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Olympia, Washington

Attention: Stephanie Tax

2019-2022 STIP Amendment 19-09

Dear Mr. Millar:

The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and Federal Transit Administration (FTA) received the October 1, 2019, letter from Ms. Stephanie Tax, requesting approval of 2019-2022 STIP Amendment 19-09.

Pursuant to 23 CFR 450.328 we find that the TIP Amendments for the Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPOs) submitted for this round conform with the State Implementation Plan for reducing the severity and number of National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) violations and insuring expeditious attainment of the standards.

In accordance with 23 CFR 450.218, the FHWA and the FTA, based on the certification of the statewide and metropolitan transportation planning processes for and within the State of Washington, hereby find that the projects described in the 2019-2022 STIP, approved January 10, 2019, and those projects submitted through subsequent amendments (including this Amendment) are based on a transportation planning process that substantially meets the requirements of 23 CFR Part 450 Subpart A, B and C, 49 U.S.C. Sections 5303-5035, and 23 U.S.C. Sections 134 and 135. We therefore approve the 2019-2022 STIP, as amended in 19-09.

Approval of the STIP and any amendments thereto are not to be construed as a Federal-aid eligibility determination. Each project must satisfy the specific requirements of the program

from which Federal funds are solicited, as well as other Federal requirements, before Federal funds are authorized.

If you have any questions concerning our joint action on this STIP amendment, please contact Matt Kunic, FHWA, at 360-753-9487 and/or Ned Conroy, FTA, at 206-220-4318.

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Central Puget Sound Regional 2019-2022 Transportation Improvement Program Amendments and Corrections to be included in the 2019-22 STIP

PSRC's Amendment 2019-09

County: King

List of 19-09 Amendment Projects

Jurisdiction: Federal Way

Project Number: FW-40

Title: Lakota Middle School-SW Dash Point Road

| Phase | Programmed Year | Obligation Date | Funding Source | Federal Fund | State Funds | Local Funds | Phase Total |
|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| P/E-Design | 2019 | 11/30/2019 | Safe Routes To Schools | \$139,000 | \$0 | \$0 | \$139,000 |
| P/E-Design | 2019 | 11/30/2019 | Local | \$0 | \$0 | \$31,000 | \$31,000 |
| Construction | 2021 | 1/31/2021 | Safe Routes To Schools | \$1,211,000 | \$0 | \$0 | \$1,211,000 |
| Construction | 2021 | 1/31/2021 | Local | \$0 | \$0 | \$269,000 | \$269,000 |

WSDOT PIN: **Totals:** \$1,350,000 \$0 \$300,000 \$1,650,000

Federal Aid/FTA Grant Number(s):

Functional Class: Not applicable (transit, enhancements, Etc.)

Improvement Type: Sidewalk

Location: SW Dash Point Road

From: 21st Ave SW

To: SW 312th Street

MTP Status: Exempt

MTP Reference(s): N/A

Description:

Total Cost:

\$1,650,000

Regionally Significant: No

Environmental Status: CE

Construct sidewalk, planter strip, bicycle lane, and street lighting on the south side of SW Dash Point Road between 21st Ave SW and 100 feet southwest of SW 312th Street. Upgrade existing pedestrian crossings and curb ramps at 21st Ave SW to current ADA standards. Extend reduced speed school zone through SW 312th intersection.

Jurisdiction: King County Department of Transportation (Transit)

Project Number: MET-185

Title: Vehicle, Equipment and Facilities Maintenance

WSDOT PIN: N/A

Totals:

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Federal Aid/FTA Grant Number(s): WA-2016-021-00
WA-90-X523-00

WA-54-0006-00
WA-2016-021-01

WA-90-X524-01
WA-90-X523-01

WA-2016-021-02

Functional Class: Not applicable (transit, enhancements, Etc.)

Improvement Type: Operations -- Transit

Location: Various locations

From: N/A

To: N/A

MTP Status: Exempt

MTP Reference(s): N/A

Description:

Total Cost: \$198,354,722

Regionally Significant: No

Environmental Status: CE

This is a TIP bucket project that contains King County Metro Transit's FTA funded preventative maintenance of transit-related vehicles, equipment and facilities. The project contains the annual program of maintenance work on Metro's fleet of approximately 1,500 buses, vanpool fleet, electric trolley infrastructure (70 miles of overhead wire) and seven operating bases and other facilities that are necessary for the maintenance and operations of Metro service. The project includes PSRC FHWA and FTA funds already expended or scheduled to be expended over the span of FFYs 2013-2017.

Jurisdiction: Tukwila

Project Number: TUK-59

Title: Strander Blvd./SW 27th St Extension

WSDOT PIN:

Totals:

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Federal Aid/FTA Grant Number(s): 1276(007)

Functional Class: Urban Minor Arterial

Improvement Type: New Facility -- Roadway

Location: Strander Blvd./SW 27th St Extension

From: West Valley Highway

To: Naches Ave

MTP Status: Candidate

MTP Reference(s): 4164

Description:

Total Cost: \$38,500,000

Regionally Significant: Yes

Environmental Status: DCE

This project is Phase 3 of a multi-phase improvement that will connect Strander Blvd./SW 27th St between West Valley Hwy in Tukwila and Oakesdale Ave in Renton. This project will complete the design, right-of-way and construction phases for the roadway segment between West Valley Hwy and Naches Ave. Project components include a railroad bridge for the Union Pacific RR to provide grade separation, a new 4/5 lane roadway segment east of West Valley Hwy, roadway widening of two lanes for a portion of the project segment, a separated joint-use trail, a new trail bridge for the Interurban Trail (including new trail connections to Strander Blvd.), a new flyover bridge connection to the Tukwila Station, a new traffic signal serving the Tukwila Station, and storm drainage facilities. Current funding will complete the preliminary engineering and right of way phases. Construction will be funded as part of a future phase.

Jurisdiction: Fife

Project Number: FIF-16

Title: Port of Tacoma Interchange Improvements

| Phase | Programmed Year | Obligation Date | Funding Source | Federal Fund | State Funds | Local Funds | Phase Total |
|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| P/E-Design | 2019 | 6/1/2019 | Local | \$0 | \$0 | \$75,000 | \$75,000 |
| P/E-Design | 2019 | 10/1/2019 | State | \$0 | \$3,000,000 | \$0 | \$3,000,000 |
| ROW | 2019 | 6/1/2019 | Local | \$0 | \$0 | \$75,000 | \$75,000 |
| ROW | 2020 | 2/1/2020 | State | \$0 | \$5,000,000 | \$0 | \$5,000,000 |
| Construction | 2019 | 6/1/2019 | Local | \$0 | \$0 | \$143,534 | \$143,534 |
| Construction | 2019 | 6/1/2019 | State | \$0 | \$2,330,000 | \$0 | \$2,330,000 |
| Construction | 2019 | 6/1/2019 | State | \$0 | \$3,550,000 | \$0 | \$3,550,000 |
| Construction | 2019 | 11/1/2019 | State | \$0 | \$2,280,000 | \$0 | \$2,280,000 |
| Construction | 2022 | 6/1/2022 | Local | \$0 | \$0 | \$9,085,700 | \$9,085,700 |
| Construction | 2022 | 6/1/2022 | State | \$0 | \$8,500,000 | \$0 | \$8,500,000 |

WSDOT PIN:

Totals:

\$0 \$24,660,000 \$9,379,234 \$34,039,234

Federal Aid/FTA Grant Number(s): 9927(056)

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Functional Class: Urban Interstate

Improvement Type: Major Interchange -- GP

Location: I-5 & Port of Tacoma Road

From: I-5 MP 135.5

To: I-5 MP 137

MTP Status: Candidate

MTP Reference(s): 4529

Description:

Total Cost: \$102,169,500

Regionally Significant: Yes

Environmental Status: CE

This project will complete the reconfiguration of the I-5 / Port of Tacoma Rd interchange into a split-diamond with one-way couplet. Port of Tacoma Rd will become a one-way SB street from 12th St E to 20th St E and 34th Ave E will be reconstructed and extended to a one-way NB street from 20th St E to 12th St E. The I-5 ramps will be reconfigured to complete the diamond couplet and the new 34th Ave E roadway includes a new bridge crossing over I-5. Traffic signals will be installed at all new intersections. Additional local road improvements will include widening 12th Street E, 20th Street E, and Pacific Hwy E with sidewalks and/or paved shoulders included on the City's roadway segments. Phase 2 of the interchange improvements will completes all work on the South side of I-5 and connect with the Phase 1 project on the North side of I-5. This is a multi-year project and the programming reflects the funds available within the span of the regional TIP.

Jurisdiction: Everett Transit

Project Number: ET-36

Title: Everett Transit Preventive Maintenance for Vehicle Fleet

| Phase | Programmed Year | Obligation Date | Funding Source | Federal Fund | State Funds | Local Funds | Phase Total |
|-------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Other | 2019 | 10/1/2018 | 5307(Urban) | \$1,254,605 | \$0 | \$0 | \$1,254,605 |
| Other | 2019 | 10/1/2018 | Local | \$0 | \$0 | \$629,539 | \$629,539 |
| Other | 2020 | 6/30/2020 | 5307(Urban) | \$1,282,298 | \$0 | \$0 | \$1,282,298 |

WSDOT PIN:

Totals:

\$2,536,903

\$0

\$629,539

\$3,166,442

Federal Aid/FTA Grant Number(s):

WA-90-X572-01

WA-2017-017-00

WA-90-X551-00

WA-90-X572-00

Functional Class: Not applicable (transit, enhancements, Etc.)

Improvement Type: Operations -- Transit

Location: 3225 Cedar Street

From: 32nd Street

To: Cedar Street

MTP Status: Exempt

MTP Reference(s): N/A

Description:

Total Cost:

\$9,291,805

Regionally Significant: No

Environmental Status: CE

The project contains the annual program of maintenance work on the agency's fleet of approximately 70 fixed route buses and paratransit fleet that are necessary for the maintenance and operations of service. On average, the federal funds programmed represent approximately 30% of the annual budget for this activity.

Jurisdiction: Port of Everett

Project Number: POE-3

Title: Port of Everett Diesel Emission Reduction

WSDOT PIN:

Totals:

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Federal Aid/FTA Grant Number(s):

Functional Class: Not applicable (transit, enhancements, Etc.)

Improvement Type: Other -- Special

Location: 2730 to 3500 Terminal Avenue

From: N/A

To: N/A

MTP Status: Exempt

MTP Reference(s): n/a

Description:

Total Cost:

\$5,133,557

Regionally Significant: No

Environmental Status: EA

The project contains two related elements that allow the Port to connect its diesel mobile harbor cranes to electric power at two facilities and also provides the infrastructure for ships to use electric shore power rather than diesel generators while at berth. Pier 1 Crane Electrification -- Provide underground power lines, a substation, and switchgear to add two (2) new crane receptacles on the north side of Pier 1, in order to switch the cranes from diesel to electric power when loading and unloading cargo. South Terminal Shore Power -- Extend high voltage power systems into the Port's South Terminal to provide power and equipment, allowing shipping vessels to "cold iron" while at berth, keeping them from idling on diesel fuel. New main underground power lines, substations, transformers, and electrical panels will be installed in the terminal. Other special equipment is needed dockside to allow high voltage cables to be extended and connected to the ships' power systems.

Jurisdiction: Sound Transit

MTP Status: Approved

MTP Reference(s): 2492

Description:

Total Cost: \$1,899,756,000 **Regionally Significant:** Yes **Environmental Status:** EIS

Implementation of the Northgate Link project includes a 4.3 mile light rail extension from UW to Northgate, including three stations: U District Station, Roosevelt Station, and Northgate Station. King County Metro will complete PE/NEPA for portions of the project related to the Northgate Transit Center, and the City of Seattle will complete PE/NEPA for a new two-way cycle track. This project is anticipated to be financed with a federal TIFIA Master Credit Agreement loan. When the loan is executed, a total of \$615,267,000 in TIFIA loan disbursements will be available 2017-2022. This is a multi-year project and programming reflects funding within the span of the current TIP.

* = Asterisk by Obligation Date indicates funds for this phase obligated earlier this calendar year

Project Number: WDNW-1208

Title: I-5/SeaTac Northbound Weigh Station 1 - Weigh Station Preservation

| Phase | Programmed Year | Obligation Date | Funding Source | Federal Fund | State Funds | Local Funds | Phase Total |
|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| P/E-Design | 2019 | 2/15/2019 | NHPP | \$113,720 | \$0 | \$0 | \$113,720 |
| P/E-Design | 2019 | 2/15/2019 | Local | \$0 | \$0 | \$11,247 | \$11,247 |
| Construction | 2019 | 10/21/2019 | Local | \$0 | \$0 | \$782,705 | \$782,705 |

WSDOT PIN: 100501G

Totals: \$113,720 \$0 \$793,952 \$907,672

Federal Aid/FTA Grant Number(s):

Functional Class: Urban Interstate

Improvement Type: Safety -- Roadway

Location: I-5

From: MP 140.39

To: MP 140.85

MTP Status: Exempt

MTP Reference(s): N/A

Description:

Total Cost:

\$907,672

Regionally Significant: No

Environmental Status: CE

The ramps leading into and out of the I-5 NB weigh station in SeaTac are heavily cracked and have required several repairs by Maintenance. Rehabilitation of the ramps and sealing the parking area will preserve the facilities and provide reliable access to the scales.

