LAREDO & WEBB COUNTY AREA METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION POLICY COMMITTEE ACTION ITEM

DATE : 06-20-24	ITEM: IV.C		

SUBJECT: MOTION

Receive public testimony and approve Resolution No. **MPO 2024-09**, adopting the proposed revision(s) to the 2020-2045 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP):

• **Revision** of Appendix 'A' – Short Range Projects identified in the MTP and listed in the TIP as necessary to incorporate and reflect the proposed 2025-2028 TIP.

INITIATED BY:	STAFF SOURCE:		
Staff	Juan S. Mendive, MPO Director		

PREVIOUS ACTION:

On January 21, 2020, the Policy Committee adopted the 2020-2045 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP). The Policy Committee has approved the following Revisions to the MTP:

- Revision #1 on April 20, 2020, through Resolution No. MPO 2020-05.
- Revision #2 on June 15, 2020, through Resolution No. MPO 2020-07.
- Revision #3 on February 22, 2021, through Resolution No. MPO 2021-02.
- Revision #4 on April 19, 2021 as an Administrative Modification.
- Revision #5 on February 8, 2022, through Resolution No. MPO 2022-03.
- Revision #6 on October 19, 2022, through Resolution No. MPO 2022-09.
- Revision #7 on January 18, 2023, through Resolution No. MPO 2023-02.
- Revision #8 on July 19, 2023, through Resolution No. MPO 2023-09.
- Revision #9 on November 15, 2023, through Resolution No. MPO 2023-13.
- Revision #10 on January 17, 2024, through Resolution No. MPO 2024-02.

On May 15th, 2024 the MPO Policy Committee approved a motion to receive public testimony and initiated a 10-day public review and comment period for the proposed revisions.

BACKGROUND:

Metropolitan Planning Organizations are required to develop and update the Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP) for their respective metropolitan area covering a planning horizon of at least 20 years. The Laredo MTP is an official, comprehensive, intermodal transportation plan developed and adopted for the metropolitan planning area. The 2020-2045 MTP identifies the existing and future transportation needs and develops coordinated strategies to provide the necessary transportation facilities essential for the continued mobility and economic vitality of the region.

Projects included in the MPO's Transportation Improvement Program shall be consistent with the approved Metropolitan Transportation Plan. On April 19, 2021, an administrative modification to the MTP added *Appendix A – Short Range Projects identified in the Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP) and listed in the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)* to facilitate the identification of projects on both the TIP and the MTP, and to ensure consistency between both documents.

The proposed revision is intended to make the necessary changes to the MTP, specifically **Appendix A – Short Range Projects identified in the MTP and listed in the TIP** to incorporate and reflect the projects as part of the proposed 2025-2028 TIP.

No comments were received.

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:	STAFF RECOMMENDATION:
The Technical Committee recommends approval.	Staff recommends approval.



RESOLUTION NO. MPO 2024-09

BY THE LAREDO WEBB COUNTY AREA METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION POLICY COMMITTEE

ADOPTING THE REVISION(S) OF THE 2020-2045 METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLAN (MTP)

WHEREAS, the Laredo Webb County Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (LWCAMPO) has reviewed the proposed revision(s) of the 2020-2045 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP); and

WHEREAS, the Laredo Webb County Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (LWCAMPO) finds that the proposed revision(s) of the 2020-2045 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP) meet the high priority improvements necessary for the LWCAMPO area;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Laredo Webb County Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (LWCAMPO), has adopted the proposed revisions of the 2020-2045 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP), which are attached hereto and made a part hereof for all purpose:

We certify that the above resolution was passed and adopted on this 20th day of June 2024, at a public meeting of the Policy Committee of the Laredo and Webb County Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (LWCAMPO).

Honorable Tano E. Tijerina

Webb County Judge and Chairperson of the

LWCAMPO Policy Committee

Juan S. Mendive, AICP LWCAMPO Director Epigmenio "Epi" Gonzalez, P.

1∕xDOT Laredo District Engineer

				FY 2025						
	CSJ	PROJECT NAME	DESCRIPTION	FROM	то	PROJECT SPONSOR	CATEGORY	YOE COST		
1	0018-05-089	Replace Bridge at Uniroyal Dr.	IH-35 RECONSTRUCTION & INTERCHANGES (RECONSTRUCTED/NEW) @ UNIROYAL DR. & SH 84	0.47 MI S OF UNIROYAL INTERCHANGE	3.22 MI N OF UNIROYAL INTERCHANGE	TxDOT	12, 4	\$254,133,312		
2	0086-16-008	SL 20 Interchange at Lomas Del Sur Blvd.	CONSTRUCTION OF INTERCHANGE IMPROVEMENT AT LOMAS DEL SUR BLVD.	0.580 MILES SOUTH OF LOMAS DEL SUR BLVD.	0.721 MILES NORTH OF LOMAS DEL SUR BLVD.	TxDOT	2, 7	\$41,565,320		
3	0922-33-076	FM1472 / Flecha Lane	REALIGNMENT OF FLECHA LN AND LAS CRUCES BLVD.	INTERSECTION OF FM 1472 AND FLECHA LN.	0.174 MILES EAST OF FM 1472	City	10	\$1,800,000		
4	0922-33-093	Calton and San Maria Interchange	CONSTRUCTION OF A GRADE SEPARATION INTERCHANGE	0.25 MI EAST OF CALTON/SANTA MARIA INTERSECTION	0.25 MI WEST OF CALTON/SANTA MARIA INTERSECTION	City	10	\$16,240,154		
5	0922-33-177	River Vega Trail	CONSTRUCTION OF RIVER VEGA MULTIUSE ALTERNATIVE TRANSPORTATION TRAIL	ANA PARK	LCC CAMPUS	City	9-TAP	\$696,850		
6	5000-00-234	NEVI charging station	INSTALL 8 DIRECT CURRENT FAST CHARGE PORTS ALONG THE ELECTRIC ALTERNATIVE FUEL CORRIDORS (IH 35)	619 CROSSROADS AVE, LAREDO, TX		Circle K Stores, Inc.	10NEVI	\$1,304,115		
					6 PROJECTS FOR	R FY 2025 IN TH	E AMOUNT OF:	\$315,739,751		
				FY 2026						
	CSJ	PROJECT NAME	DESCRIPTION	FROM	то	PROJECT SPONSOR	CATEGORY	YOE COST		
1	0018-06-185	Direct Connector #3 and # 6	NEW DIRECT CONNECTOR (#3, #4 AND #6) NORTHBOUND AND SOUTHBOUND IH 35 TO US 59 EASTBOUND	0.50 MI EAST OF IH 35	0.50 MI NORTH OF US 59	TxDOT	12, 11	\$113,505,334		
2	0922-33-236	SPRINGFIELD extension PH 4	CONSTRUCTION OF NEW OFF- SYSTEM 2-LANE ROADWAY WITH CONC PAVEMENT, CURB GUTTER, STORM SEWER, SIGNS, MARKINGS & HIKE&BIKE TRAIL.	Hospitality Drive	US 59 NBFR	Webb County City of Laredo Regional Mobility Authority	12*	\$838,555		
					2 PROJECTS FOR	R FY 2026 IN TH	E AMOUNT OF:	\$114,343,889		
				FY 2027						
	CSJ	PROJECT NAME	DESCRIPTION	FROM	то	PROJECT SPONSOR	CATEGORY	YOE COST		
1	0922-33-205	Vallecillo Road	CONSTRUCTION OF VALLECILLO ROAD 4-LANE OFF-SYSTEM HWY WITH CONTINUOUS TURN LANE	FM 1472	IH 35	RMA	12,* 7, 3LC	\$37,956,556		
						1 PROJEC	T FOR FY 2027	\$37,956,556		
				FY 2028						
	CSJ	PROJECT NAME	DESCRIPTION	FROM	то	PROJECT SPONSOR	CATEGORY	YOE COST		
1	0086-14-077	US 59 (Loop 20) Interchange at Airport	CONSTRUCTION OF INTERCHANGE AT AIRPORT	0.50 MI SOUTH OF E CORRIDOR RD. (AIRPORT)	0.50 MI NORTH OF E. CORRIDOR RD. (AIRPORT)	TxDOT	2M, 12	\$37,329,691		
2	0086-14-086	US 59 (Loop 20) Reconstruction	CONVERTING A 6-LANE NON- FREEWAY FACILITY TO A 6-LANE FREEWAY FACILITY WITH AUXILIARY LANES AND FRONTAGE ROADS	BUSINESS 59	0.28 MILES SOUTH OF JACAMAN RD.	TxDOT	12	\$79,634,871		
3	0922-33-213	World Trade Bridge Expansion	PRELIMINARY ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION FOR THE EXPANSION OF THE WORLD TRADE BRIDGE CONSISTING OF 8 LANES BY BUILDING A NEW 8 LANE BRIDGE ADJACENT TO THE EXISTING BRIDGE FOR A TOTAL OF 16 LANES AFTER COMPLETION OF THE PROJECT	WORLD TRADE BRIDGE		City	3, 7	\$12,000,000		
	3 PROJECTS FOR FY 2028 IN THE AMOUNT OF: \$128,964									
	TOTAL OF 12 PROJECTS IN THE AMOUNT OF: \$597,0									