

Northwest Louisiana Council of Governments

The MPO for the Shreveport/Bossier City Metropolitan Area

December 6th, 2024

Mr. Joe Donahue, Secretary Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development PO Box 94245 Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9245

Re: FFY 2025 TIP Amendment #12062024-14: **Amend** the FFY2023-FFY2026 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) — **H.014056 I-69 FRTG RD CONN (STONEWALL FRIERSON)**. This request is to add the Planning/Environmental Phase, modify the R-O-W/Utility Relocation Phases and remove the Construction Phases of the project from the TIP. As per TIP guidelines, adding/modifying/removing phases of the project is considered a **TIP Amendment**.

Dear Secretary Donahue,

Please be advised that the Northwest Louisiana Council of Governments (NLCOG) has **Amended** the Northwest Louisiana Metropolitan Planning Area FFY2023-FFY2026 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for FFY2025 as specified below.

Local Sponsor: Port of Caddo-Bossier / Desoto-PPJ / Caddo Parish

Comm. / NLCOG (MPO)

Amendment Request: Add the Planning Phase/costs to the project

Modify the R-O-W/Utility Relocation Phases
Remove the Construction Phase from current TIP

LADOTD Project ID	Project	Requested Phase to (Add/Modify/Remove)	Requested Phase Funding Amount	Purpose of Request
H.014056	I-69 FRTG RD CONN (STONEWALL FRIERSON)	Planning / Environ. (Add)	\$10,000.00 (STP>200K)	
		Right-of-Way (Modify Costs)	\$1,000,000 (STP>200K)	LADOTD PM requests multiple
		Utility Relocation (Modify Costs)	\$300,000 (STP>200K)	modifications to the project.
		Construction (Phase to FFY 2028)		

Through staff consultation with LADOTD's Planning and Programming Section, the **Amendment**, as outlined in the request, is reflected in the MPO's adopted FFY2023-FFY2026 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP effective 10/01/2022).

Requested Amendment to the Current FFY2023-FFY2026 TIP

Add Planning Phase Costs to Project - TIP

Project: H.014056 I-69 FRTG RD CONN (STONEWALL FRIERSON) – For Informational Purposes Only											
Last Updated: 01.17.2025											
Route: LA 3276-P	Parish: Caddo	LADOTD District: (04								
Cntd Section:	Beg. Log Mile:	End Log Mile:									
816-12	0.00	3.50									
Off-system Road:											
Remarks	Type Improvement	Work Type	Project Notes								
Under Stage 3 / Engineering and Design underway	New Interstate Frontage Road Construction	URBAN SYSTEMS	Amendment 10272023-01: Update project phases/funding w/LADOTD Planning/Program. Section Amendment 12062024-14: Update Phasing costs / schedules								
Project Phase	Project Cost	Total Cost + (w/CE&I+IDC)	Federal Share	Federal Fund Source	Local Share	Year	Sponsor				
Planning / Environmental	\$10,000	\$10,000	\$8,000	STP>200k	\$2,000	2025	Port of Caddo- Bossier/				
R-O-W	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000	\$800,000	STP>200k	<mark>\$200,000</mark>	<mark>2027</mark>	Desoto- PPJ/				
Utility Relocate	<mark>\$300,000</mark>	<mark>\$300,000</mark>	<mark>\$240,000</mark>	STP>200k	<mark>\$60,000</mark>	<mark>2027</mark>	Caddo				
Construction	\$7,427,786.56	\$8,170,565.22	\$6,536,452.17	STP>200k Other Fed.	\$1,634,113.05	<mark>2028</mark>	PC/ NLCOG				
Total Costs:	\$8,737 <mark>,786.56</mark>	\$9,480,565.22	<mark>\$7,584,452.17</mark>		\$1,896,113.05						

Modified Items in Yellow

To enhance public involvement in the MPO's transportation planning process, an electronic copy of the current TIP, as well as the listing of **Amendments** brought before the MPO Transportation Policy Committee can be tracked through NLCOG's online presence: http://www.nlcog.org/tip.html

If you have any further questions regarding this TIP modification, feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

Kent Rogers: Secretary - MPO Transportation Policy Committee