

# **WILMAPCO Council**

## **Action Item Summary Sheet**

**Meeting Date: January 13, 2022**

**Action Item #11 : To Release the Draft New Castle County FY 2023-26 TIP Air Quality Conformity Analysis for Public Comment**

**Description/Summary of Item:**

A new air quality conformity determination was made necessary by a project adjustment in New Castle County, which changed a regionally significant project's expected in-service year. A Cecil County conformity analysis is not required at this time.

The conformity determination was developed through the Air Quality Subcommittee, with modeling completed by DeIDOT.

The analysis shows that all required emission budget tests are easily met.

This action will release the New Castle County conformity determination for public comment, which will run in step with the Draft FY 2023-2026 TIP's public comment period, from March 18, 2022 to April 29, 2022.

**Summary of Action Taken by PAC:**

The PAC did not take action on this item.

**Summary of Action Taken by TAC:**

The TAC recommended Council release the Draft New Castle County FY 2023-26 TIP Air Quality Conformity Analysis for public comment at their joint meeting with the Air Quality Subcommittee on December 16, 2021.

**Summary of Action Taken by Subcommittee/Task Force (if applicable):**

The Air Quality Subcommittee approved the conformity determination at their joint meeting with the TAC on December 16, 2021.

**WILMAPCO Staff Recommendations:**

The WILMAPCO staff recommends that Council release the Draft New Castle County FY 2023-26 TIP Air Quality Conformity Analysis for public comment.