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## **DRAFT RESOLUTION**

### **BY THE WILMINGTON AREA PLANNING COUNCIL (WILMAPCO) RECOMMENDING USE OF SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM, CONGESTION MITIGATION AND AIR QUALITY IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM, TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES PROGRAM, FTA URBANIZED AREA, AND FTA 5310 PROGRAM FUNDS**

**WHEREAS**, the Wilmington Area Planning Council (WILMAPCO) has been designated the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for Cecil County, Maryland and New Castle County, Delaware by the Governors of Maryland and Delaware, respectively; and

**WHEREAS**, the United States Department of Transportation (USDOT) Regulations and Regulations of Fixing America's Surface Transportation Act (FAST) Metropolitan Planning Requirements require that the MPO, in cooperation with participants in the planning process, develop, and at least every four years, update the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP); and

**WHEREAS**, the use of federal funds for projects in the TIP are determined through a process of consultation and coordination between the Delaware Department of Transportation and WILMAPCO;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Wilmington Area Planning Council does hereby approve the recommended programming of STBG, CMAQ, FTA Urbanized Area, FTA 5310, and TAP Funds for FY 2020 projects.

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Date:

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John Sisson, Chairperson  
Wilmington Area Planning Council



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October 8, 2019

Ms. Tigist Zegeye  
 Executive Director  
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 Newark, DE 19711

Dear Ms. Zegeye:

Pursuant to the adoption of Wilmington Area Planning Council's (WILMAPCO) Fiscal Year 2020 - 2023 TIP and the Delaware Department of Transportation's Fiscal Year 2019 - 2022 STIP, I am recommending programming Federal funds for Fiscal Year 2020 projects as follows:

**Surface Transportation Block Grant Program (STBG) (Population over 200,000) (Z230)**

<u>Project</u>	<u>Amount</u>
A Street Shared Use Path, Wilmington	\$560,000
Little Baltimore Road Drainage Improvements	\$1,203,330
Christina River Bridge Approaches	\$2,029,216
Statewide Paving & Rehabilitation	\$2,800,000
Bridge Preservation (BR 1-022; 1-148; 1-302)	\$3,746,381
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$10,338,927</b>

**Surface Transportation Block Grant Program (STBG) (Population 5K to 200K) (Z231)**

<u>Project</u>	<u>Amount</u>
SR 299, SR 1 to Catherine Street	\$7,394,331
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$7,394,331</b>

**FTA Urbanized Area (5307)**

<u>Project</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Preventive Maintenance - New Castle County	\$5,200,000
Claymont Station	\$7,700,000
NCC Transit Center	\$800,000
Transit Vehicle Replacement (21) 40' NCC FY21	\$7,784,856
Paratransit Replacement Buses NCC FY21	\$1,956,126
Churchman's Crossing Fairplay Station Parking Expansion	\$1,001,600
Beech Street Maintenance Building	\$2,497,210
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$26,939,792</b>



**Congestion Mitigation/Air Quality (CMAQ) (Z400)**

<u>Project</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Statewide Rideshare – Transportation Management Improvements	\$360,000
Statewide Bicycle and Pedestrian Improvements	\$4,000,000
Elkton Road – MD Line to Casho Mill Rd	\$5,000,000
Statewide Transportation Management Improvements	\$2,544,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$11,904,000</b>

**FTA Elderly and Persons with Disabilities (5310)**

<u>Project</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Statewide Transit Vehicle Replacement	\$458,596
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$458,596</b>

**Transportation Alternatives Program (Z300, Z301, 5307)**

<u>Project</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Statewide Transportation Alternatives (FHWA)	\$2,857,957
Transportation Alternatives Wilmington Urbanized Area (FTA)	\$160,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,017,957</b>

We respectfully request your approval by way of signature on this document. If you have any questions, please contact me at (302) 760-4819.

Sincerely,

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_  
Tigist Zegeye  
Executive Director

  
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