

WILMAPCO Council

Action Item Summary Sheet

Meeting Date: May 1, 2025

Action Item #9: To Adopt the State/Local Cash Commitment for Fiscal Year 2026

Description/Summary of Item: This resolution provides for the state/local cash commitment for funding the FY2026 UPWP. WILMAPCO's federal planning funds require a 20% match by the states and/or localities. The state/local match may be made with cash or in-kind services. For the FY 2026 UPWP all state/local match will be in cash.

Summary of Action Taken by PAC: The WILMAPCO PAC did not take action on this agenda item.

Summary of Action Taken by TAC: The WILMAPCO TAC reviewed the resolution at their April 17th meeting.

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

WILMAPCO Staff Recommendations: The WILMAPCO staff recommends that the Council adopt the State/Local Cash Commitment for Fiscal Year 2026.

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DRAFT RESOLUTION

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BY THE WILMINGTON AREA PLANNING COUNCIL ADOPTING THE STATE/LOCAL CASH COMMITMENT WHEN MATCHING WILMAPCO'S FEDERAL FUNDS FOR FY 2026 UNIFIED PLANNING WORK PROGRAM

WHEREAS, WILMAPCO receives federal funding from the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and Federal Transit Administration (FTA) to support transportation planning activities; and,

WHEREAS, all federal funds must be matched by twenty percent (20%) State/Local funds; and,

WHEREAS, federal regulations permit State/Local matching to be made either in cash or by way of "in-kind services", or soft match; and,

WHEREAS, WILMAPCO requires a certain amount of the matched funds to be made in cash in order to ensure that WILMAPCO's cash obligations may be met; and

WHEREAS, the agreed upon cash commitment have been \$15,856 from the State of Maryland, \$15,856 from Cecil County, \$808,118 from the State of Delaware, \$31,500 from New Castle County and \$11,796 from the City of Wilmington;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the WILMAPCO Council does hereby adopt the State/Local Cash Commitment when matching WILMAPCO's federal funding for fiscal year 2026 UPWP, as outlined above.

Date:

John Sisson, Chairperson
Wilmington Area Planning Council



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