



**Proposed Amendments to the Mississippi Gulf Coast Metropolitan Planning Organization's
FY2015-2019 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP).**

Public review and comment period: May 27th to June 7th, 2016.

The Technical Coordinating Committee (TCC) of the MPO reviewed and discussed the proposed amendments to the FY2015-2019 TIP at their regular meeting on May 26th, 2016 and recommended that the proposed amendments be adopted by the Transportation Policy Committee (TPC).

MPO policy requires a 10 day public review and comment period for any amendment of the TIP. This review period complies with Federal Highway, Federal Transit and MS Department of Transportation requirements for public participation.

The proposed amendments include:

Mississippi Department of Transportation (MDOT) TIP/STIP Amendment(s):

1. Add New Project: Bridge Group #107213-10100 (FY2016) I-10 Widening from Hwy 57 to the Alabama State Line. Funding for preliminary engineering phase – Total \$750,000 (\$600,000 Federal, \$150,000 State/Local)

Coast Transit Authority (CTA) Amendment(s):

2. Funding Increase: Sec 5307 Preventive Maintenance
Increase to total \$1,663,000 (federal \$1,330,400, local \$332,600)
3. Funding Increase: Sec 5307 JARC Purchased Transportation
Increase to total \$380,000 (federal \$380,000, local \$0)
4. Funding Increase: Sec 5310 New Freedom Services
Increase to total \$840,000 (federal \$672,000, local \$168,000)
5. Funding Increase: Sec 5307 Mobility Manager
Increase to total \$75,000 (federal \$60,000, local \$15,000)
6. Funding Increase: Sec 5307 Expand Gulfport Transit Center Intermodal Hub
Increase to total \$8,345,000 (federal \$6,676,000, local \$1,669,000)
7. Add New Project: Sec 5339 Gulfport Hwy 90 Tram Bridge Project
Total \$9,856,000 (federal \$7,884,800, local \$1,971,200)

Please contact David Taylor, dtaylor@grpc.com or 228-864-1167, with any questions or comments regarding these proposed amendments.

PUBLIC NOTICE
In accordance with 23 CFR 450, Gulf Regional Planning Commission; the Mississippi Gulf Coast MPO, is providing public notice of proposed amendment(s) to the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). Included in the TIP are Coast Transit Authority projects funded by the Federal Transit Administration. The public review and comment period is set for May 27th to June 7th, 2016, satisfying the requirements for FTA section 5307 and the 5309 POP notice. The proposed amendments include:

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Contact the MPO staff about these amendments or other questions related to the regional transportation planning process at www.grpc.com, 228-864-1167 or by mail to 1635-G Poppas Ferry Rd, Biloxi MS 39532. GRPC prohibits discrimination in all of its programs, services and activities. Persons who require assistance under the Americans with Disabilities Act should contact the MPO at 228-864-1167 or contactus@grpc.com at least five (5) business days prior to the end of the scheduled review period.
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