

## FAMPO RESOLUTION 22-13

### **DIRECTING A PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE FY21-24 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP) TO ADD UPC 119112, #SMART22 I-95 EXIT 126 STARS STUDY IMPROVEMENTS AND UPC 119108, #SMART22 – RT. 208 OPERATIONAL AND MULTIMODAL IMPROVEMENTS**

**WHEREAS**, the Fredericksburg Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (FAMPO) has a Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for Fiscal Years 2021-2024 which was approved on May 18, 2020 and became effective October 1, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, the Virginia Department of Transportation has requested the addition of UPC 119112, #SMART22 I-95 Exit 126 STARS Study Improvements and UPC 119108, #SMART22 – Rt. 208 Operational and Multimodal Improvements which were both funded via SMART SCALE Round 4; and

**WHEREAS**, the FAMPO Policy Committee wishes to add UPCs 119112 and 119108 to the TIP in order to advance the projects to the Preliminary Engineering (PE) phase; and

**WHEREAS**, the addition of these projects to the TIP would normally trigger an air quality conformity assessment; and

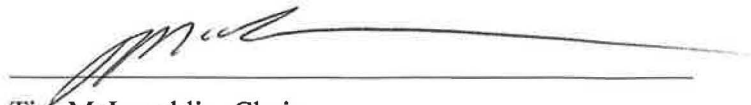
**WHEREAS**, UPCs 119112 and 119108 are included in FAMPO's active conformity assessment for the 2050 Long Range Transportation Plan and FY21-24 TIP which is scheduled for approval by FHWA/FTA in January 2022; and

**WHEREAS**, under FAMPO's Public Participation Plan, a minimum 15-day public comment period is required for the proposed amendment since this is a new TIP project.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Fredericksburg Area Metropolitan Planning Organization Policy Committee authorizes staff to release these draft FY21-24 TIP amendments for public comment over a 15-day period commencing November 16, 2021.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Fredericksburg Area Metropolitan Planning Organization Policy Committee authorizes the Technical Advisory Committee to approve these TIP amendments at its December meeting subject to any adverse comments received.

Adopted by the Policy Committee at its meeting on November 15, 2021.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tim McLaughlin', is written over a horizontal line.

Tim McLaughlin, Chair  
Fredericksburg Area Metropolitan Planning Organization  
Policy Committee