



**REGION 1 PLANNING COUNCIL
MPO POLICY COMMITTEE**

MPO RESOLUTION 2024-06

RE: SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BLOCK GRANT FUNDS

WHEREAS the Federal Highway Act of 1962, as amended, and the Urban Mass Transportation Act of 1964, as amended, provide for an urban transportation planning process; and

WHEREAS the Fixing America's Surface Transportation (FAST) Act currently authorizes funding to improve our nation's transportation system for highways, highway safety, public transit, alternative non-motorized forms of transportation, and freight; and

WHEREAS the Fixing America's Surface Transportation (FAST) Act and its predecessors, require a Long-Range Transportation Plan (LRTP) as well as a Transportation Improvement Program (TIP); and

WHEREAS the Region 1 Planning Council is the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for the Rockford Urban and Metropolitan Area, and the MPO Policy Committee has the specific responsibility to direct and administer the continuing urban transportation planning process; and

WHEREAS under agreement with the State of Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) a portion of the funding authorized under the Surface Transportation Block Grant (STBG) of the FAST Act is annually allocated for use in the MPO metropolitan planning area, said funds hereafter referred to as STBG funds; and

WHEREAS the MPO has a current STBG apportionment balance of \$4,457,107 in available funds to program within the MPO planning area; and

WHEREAS it is the responsibility of MPO Policy Committee to determine the appropriate uses for STBG funds in accordance with applicable Federal and State guidelines; and

WHEREAS the MPO conducted a competitive selection process to develop recommendations for project(s) selection from September 21, 2023 to November 3, 2023; and

WHEREAS the received projects applications were scored in accordance with the adopted technical MPO STBG evaluation criteria approved by the MPO Policy Committee on August 29, 2019 via MPO Resolution 2019-12, to develop recommendations for project(s) selection; and

WHEREAS the resulting program of projects, provided in "Attachment A", were discussed at the March 21, 2024 MPO Technical Committee for project(s) selection and programming of MPO STBG funds; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The MPO Policy Committee, upon deliberation at their March 22, 2024 meeting, hereby selects from the Surface Transportation Block Grant (STBG) projects for programming of MPO STBG funds;

- One-hundred percent of the available STBG funds from FY 2024 in the amount of \$4,457,107 for the Winnebago County's South Perryville Road Rehabilitation Project.

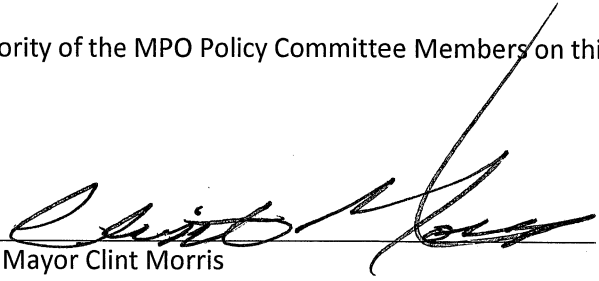
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:

The MPO Policy Committee amend the Fiscal Year 2024-2027 MPO Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for the purpose of the addition of project(s) selected by the MPO Policy Committee for the programming of MPO STBG funds, "Attachment B".

We hereby certify the foregoing has been approved by a majority of the MPO Policy Committee Members on this 22nd day of March 2024.



Chairman Joseph V. Chiarelli
MPO Chair



Mayor Clint Morris
MPO Vice-Chair

Number of members authorized to vote 8

Ayes 8

Nays 0

Abstain 0



Attachment A:

**Surface Transportation Block Grant
Program of Projects**

Dated: 11/21/2023

MAX SCORE: 100

Corridor Revitalization/Realignment Projects

RANK	PROJECT NAME	SPONSOR	TOTAL SCORE	STBG COST	LOCAL COST	TOTAL COST
1	S. Perryville Road Rehabilitation	Winnebago County Highway Departmen	86	\$6,400,000	\$2,800,000	\$9,200,000
2	Harrison Avenue Improvements	City of Rockford	80	\$8,400,000	\$3,600,000	\$12,000,000
3	9th Street Two-Way Conversion	City of Rockford	74	\$7,059,698	\$7,857,497	\$18,937,497

Other Corridor Projects

RANK	PROJECT NAME	SPONSOR	TOTAL SCORE	STBG COST	LOCAL COST	TOTAL COST
1	Latham/Ralston Road Widening and Rehabilitation	Winnebago County Highway Departmen	71	\$3,840,000	\$1,110,000	\$4,950,000
2	Woodstock Road Extension	Boone County	65	\$4,250,000	\$2,440,000	\$6,690,000
3	Baxter Road/Harrisville Road Intersection Improvements	Winnebago County Highway Departmen	42	\$1,200,000	\$800,000	\$2,000,000



Attachment B:

R1PC MPO Transportation Improvement Program (FY 2024 - FY 2027):

Fiscal Year 2025

Project #	Project Location	Termini	Project Type	Phase of Work	Federal Share (000s)		State Share (000s)		Other Share (000s)		Total
					Source	Amount	Source	Amount	Source	Amount	
02 - Winnebago County Roadway Projects Department (WCHD)											
2-24-4	S. Perryville Road Rehabilitation	Harrison Avenue to E. State Street (US Bus 20)	3R	CON	STBG-U	\$4,457.107	-	-	Local	\$2,800	\$7,257.107