

**AMES AREA METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION (AAMPO)  
 TRANSPORTATION POLICY COMMITTEE ACTION FORM**

**SUBJECT: DRAFT FY 2016 - 2019 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM  
 AMENDMENT**

**BACKGROUND:**

In order to receive Federal funds for transportation improvement projects, it is necessary for the projects to be included in the approved Iowa Department of Transportation statewide plan. The initial step in this process is for the Ames Area MPO to develop a Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). Regulations require the TIP to include transportation projects for four years. The TIP may be amended in accordance with prescribed amendment and public participation procedures.

This amendment to the Fiscal Year (FY) 2016 - 2019 Transportation Improvement Program involves increasing the federal funding amount and accelerating timing for the Interstate 35: US 30 Interchange project. Currently the project includes \$10,471,000 of Federal Funds with a total project cost of \$16,404,000. The project is proposed to shift to FY 2016 with \$22,890,000 of Federal funds and a total project cost of \$30,103,000. **This projected is administered by IDOT and doesn't involve local funds.**

Requirements to process an amendment to the TIP require an opportunity for public review and comment as well as approval by both the Technical and Policy Committees of the Ames Area MPO. A public input session will be held on June 3, 2016 to discuss the amendment to the FY 2016-2019 TIP and receive comments.

*Current FY 2016 – 2019 TIP Listing*

TPMS Sponsor Appr. Status	Project # Location Funding Program	Length FHWA# S:TR	Pgm'd Amounts in 1000's				Total	STIP#	
			FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19			
<b>NHPP - National Highway Performance Program</b>									
Story - 85									
22016 [NBIS: 49210] DOT-D01-MPO22 FHWA Approved	<b>IM--35()--13-85</b> I35: US 30 INTERCHANGE IN AMES Pave,Bridge New,Grading	0.503 49210 --	Project Total Federal Aid Regional FA	100 0 0	11,634 10,471 0	4,358 0 0	312 0 0	16,404 10,471 0	TA --

*Proposed FY 2016 - 2019 TIP Listing*

TPMS Sponsor Appr. Status	Project # Location Funding Program	Length FHWA# S:TR	Pgm'd Amounts in 1000's				Total	STIP#	
			FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19			
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22016 [NBIS: 49210] DOT-D01-MPO22 Submitted	<b>IM--35()--13-85</b> I35: US 30 INTERCHANGE IN AMES Pave,Bridge New,Grading	0.503 49210 --	Project Total Federal Aid Regional FA	25,433 22,890 0	0 0 0	4,358 0 0	312 0 0	30,103 22,890 0	R AC --
<b>SYSTEM NOTE: CANDIDATE FOR ADVANCED CONSTRUCTION</b>									

**ALTERNATIVES:**

1. Approve the draft FY 2016 - 2019 Transportation Improvement Program amendment and set June 14, 2016, as the date for the public hearing.
2. Approve the draft FY 2016 - 2019 Transportation Improvement Program amendment with Transportation Policy Committee modifications and set June 14, 2016, as the date for the public hearing.

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

The Ames Area MPO Technical Committee has unanimously recommended approve of the FY 2016 – 2019 Transportation Improvement Program amendment. This projected is administered by IDOT and doesn't involve local funds.

Therefore, it is recommended by the Administrator that the Transportation Policy Committee adopt Alternative No. 1, thereby approving the draft FY 2016 -2019 Transportation Improvement Program and setting July 14, 2016, as the date for the public hearing.