2045 MTP Fiscal Constraint Forecast

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Basis of 2045 Forecast

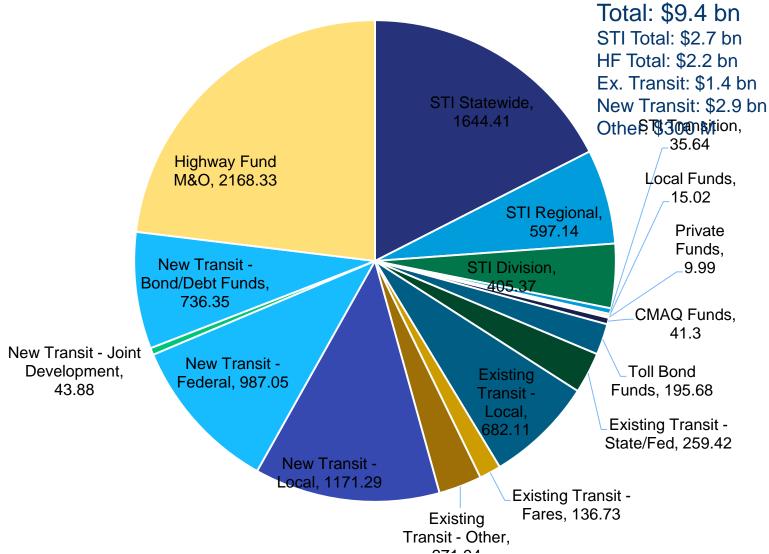
- State/federal funding is assumed to work within the framework/ constraints of STI (where applicable)
- ➤ Transit funding is assumed to be consistent with county plans for new service, and existing funding patterns/levels for existing service

- Three financial forecasts were developed:
 - Constrained Assumed growth of state funds in line with NCDOT projections, flat federal revenues
 - Moderate Assumed slightly higher growth of state funds, growth of federal funds consistent with FAST Act trends
 - Aspirational Assumed overall STI funding would grow at a rate consistent with 2018-27 STIP (which is higher growth than historic trend)

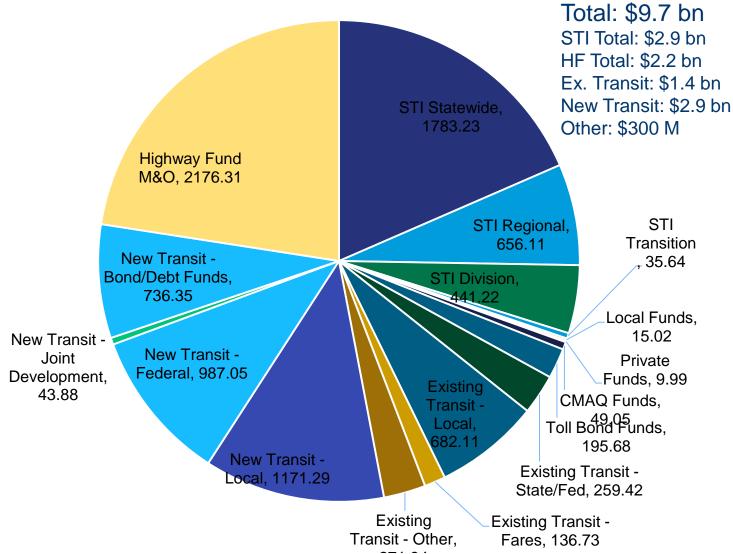




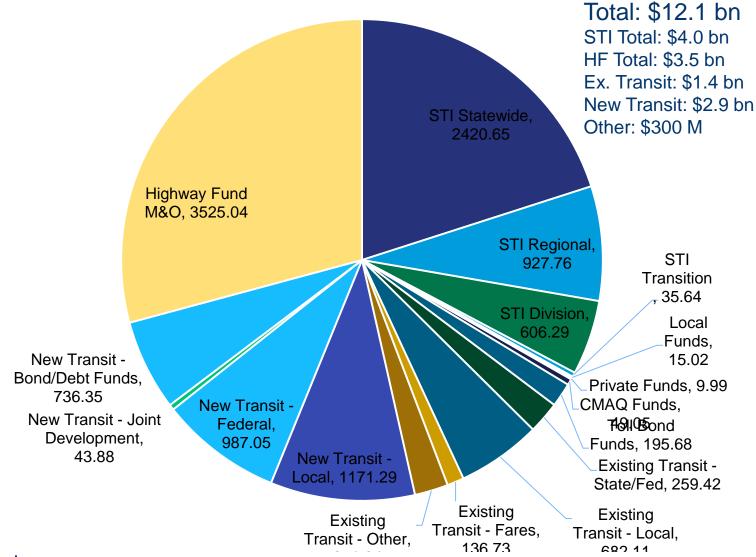
Constrained Forecast (2016 Dollars, Millions)



Moderate Forecast (2016 Dollars, Millions)



Aspirational Forecast (2016 Dollars, Millions)



Notes on STI Funds in Aspirational Forecast

- ► In first decade of MTP (through 2025), assumes the projects already shown in STIP (\$831 M)
- In second decade new projects can be added with the following caveats:
 - All of the expected Statewide category funding for 26-35 is already spoken for in current STIP projects
 - ► \$159M of regional funds already spoken for, leaving \$213M to program
 - \$21M of division funds already spoken for, leaving \$207M to program

- ► In third decade (36-45) new projects can be added as follows:
 - ▶ \$981M for statewide
 - ► \$423M for regional
 - ▶ \$256M for division
- ► Any STI revenues that are expected to pay toward the new transit services in the county plans (estimated at \$191M) must also be subtracted out from the STI funding. So if we assumed these were Regional STI funds in the second decade, that would leave only \$22M to program on other regional projects that decade.







2045 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP)

Very Preliminary Costs and Revenues

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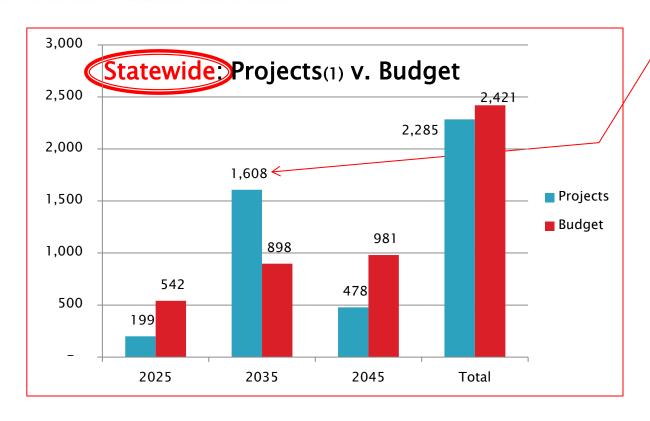
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What are these charts?

- We don't know the costs for the 2045 MTP, yet. But, do we know what kind of shape we are in? Do we have to start working on a scenario that eliminates a lot of projects?
- The four charts in this presentation show estimated **costs** for a scenario that implements the existing 2040 MTP and the FY 18-27 STIP, and compares them to the projected **revenues**
- Note that the charts break out the financial information by the three <u>horizon years</u> (2025, 2035 and 2045), and by the SPOT <u>funding categories</u> (statewide, regional and division).



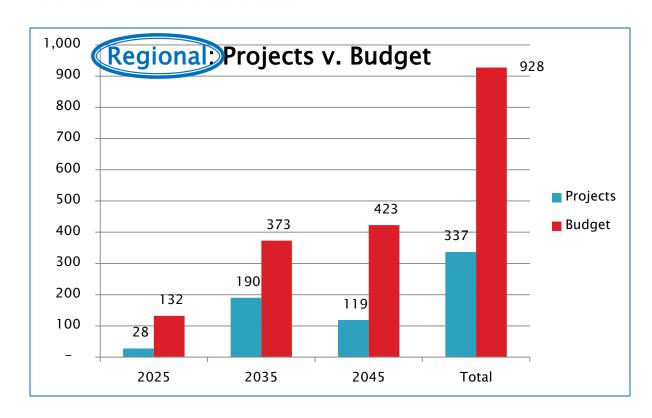


Year 2035 Includes improvements to: I-40 (Orange Co.), I-40 managed lanes*, NC 147, Fordham Blvd, US 70, some I-85, and many interchanges.

(1) Projects are costs to implement 2040 MTP and draft 18-27 STIP. One lump sum in year that project is completed.

* I-40 managed lanes use STIP cost estimate (~\$700m). MPO will likely use feasibility study estimate, which is lower.

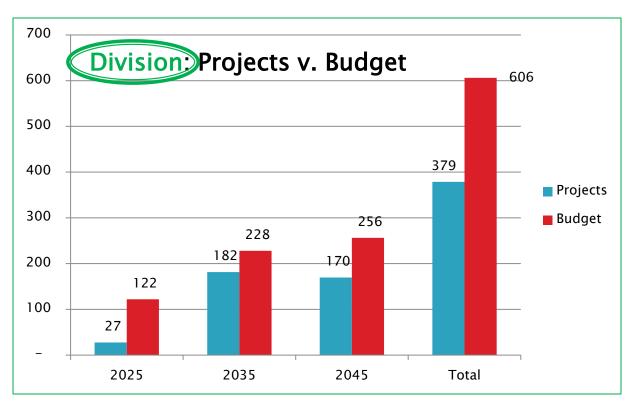




There will be additional costs for transit match (~\$191m), TSM (intersections) and ITS.

* There is 10% transit and nonhighway cap; and 4% non-highway minimum.

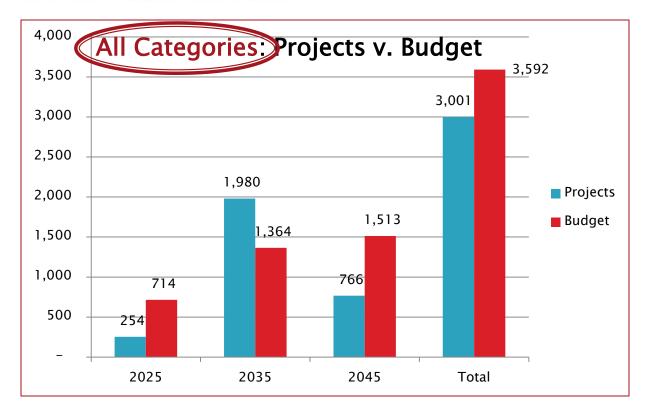




- Additional <u>costs</u> for TDM, TSM (intersections), bicycle and pedestrian, and transit match.
- Additional <u>revenues</u> from local government and private sources.

 There is 10% non-highway cap (statewide); and 2% non-highway minimum (division and statewide).





<u>Conclusion</u>: the MPO should be able to release a Preferred Option that is similar in scale to the current 2040 MTP.