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8/28/2019	2	Technical Committee	forwarded	
5/22/2019	1	Technical Committee	forwarded	

<u>2045 Metropolitan Transportation Plan -- Amendment #2 (MTP) (10 minutes)</u> Andy Henry, LPA Staff

The MPO Board released Amendment #2 to the 2045 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP) in September and conducted a public hearing in October. There are three changes to the proposed amendment since the October Board meeting, including:

- * North Carolina Central University (NCCU) is included in the description of high capacity transit service on page 4 of Section 7. This change was based on a Board member comment at the October Board meeting.
- * "and other protected bicycle and pedestrian facilities" has been included with the SUP (shared use path) references in the Appendix 1 table and description on page 8 of Section 7 (i.e., bicycle and pedestrian policy). This was based on the public comment that was received.
 - * The performance measures table in chapter 4 has new targets for the safety performance

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measures. This change is related to the safety measures item on this same agenda.

The final changes to the 2045 MTP report are shown in the attached Appendix 1 (i.e., highway project table), section 4 and section 7 of the report. The proposed resolution for adoption and a copy of the public comment are attached.

The changes in Amendment #2 achieve the reasons for initiating this amendment, which included:

- Ensure consistency with the FY 2020-2029 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP);
- * Make new highway improvement projects eligible for SPOT 6.0 evaluation;
- * Add premium transit projects to serve demand in the Durham-Orange Light Rail Transit (D-O LRT) corridor and to connect with Wake/Raleigh BRT projects;
- * Clarify MPO policy on freeway access and on appropriate bike/pedestrian facilities on arterial roadways.
- Update the safety performance targets.

Note that the FY 2000-2029 TIP and the Transportation Conformity Determination Report (i.e., air quality) are related to Amendment #2 and will likely be adopted at the December Board meeting.

TC Action: Recommended that the MPO Board adopt Amendment #2 to the 2045 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP) by resolution.

Board Action: Review and provided comments on Amendment #2, and adopt Amendment #2 to the 2045 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP) by resolution.