

## RESOLUTION 16-12

### A RESOLUTION OF THE NORTHWESTERN INDIANA REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION AMENDING THE FY 2016-2019 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR LAKE, PORTER, AND LA PORTE COUNTIES, INDIANA AMENDMENT NO. 19

**April 21, 2016**

**WHEREAS**, Northwest Indiana's citizens require a safe, efficient, effective, resource-conserving regional transportation system that maintains and enhances regional mobility and contributes to improving the quality of life in Northwest Indiana; and

**WHEREAS**, the Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission, hereafter referred to as "the Commission", being designated the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for the Lake, Porter and LaPorte County area, has established a regional, comprehensive, cooperative, and continuing (3-C) transportation planning process to develop the unified planning work program, a transportation plan, and a transportation improvement program to facilitate federal funding for communities, counties, and transit operators, and to provide technical assistance and expertise to regional transportation stakeholder interests; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commission performs the above activities to satisfy regional requirements under the Fixing American Surface Transportation Act (FAST Act, 2015), as well as other federal, state and local laws mandating transportation planning activities; and

**WHEREAS**, the FY 2016-2019 Transportation Improvement Program is a product of a multi-modal, 3-C transportation planning process, compatible with regional goals and objectives and socio-economic and demographic factors used to form the 2040 Comprehensive Regional Plan (CRP); and

**Transportation Improvement Program for Lake, Porter, and LaPorte Counties, Indiana for 2016-2019**  
**Amendment No. 19, April 12, 2016 TRANSIT ONLY**

<b>ADD New Public Transit Projects</b>										
DES	Applicant	Project Name	County	Fund Type	Year	Total Cost	Federal Cost	Local Cost		
1600585	NICTD	Mech. Shop PE	La Porte	Sec. 5337	FY 2016	\$ 300,000	\$ 240,000	\$ 60,000		
1600586	NICTD	Overhaul of Shop Locomotive	La Porte	Sec. 5337	FY 2016	\$ 150,000	\$ 120,000	\$ 30,000		
1600587	NICTD	Passenger Counters	Multiple	Sec. 5337	FY 2016	\$ 500,000	\$ 400,000	\$ 100,000		
1600588	NICTD	Acct. Software	La Porte	Sec. 5337	FY 2016	\$ 500,000	\$ 400,000	\$ 100,000		
1600589	NICTD	Rolling Stock	Multiple	Sec. 5337	FY 2017	\$ 625,000	\$ 500,000	\$ 125,000		
1600590	NICTD	Mech. Shop Roof	La Porte	Sec. 5337	FY 2017	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 800,000	\$ 200,000		
1600591	NICTD	Passenger Counters	Multiple	Sec. 5337	FY 2017	\$ 500,000	\$ 400,000	\$ 100,000		
1600592	NICTD	Public Address Systems	Multiple	Sec. 5337	FY 2017	\$ 250,000	\$ 200,000	\$ 50,000		
1600593	NICTD	Rolling Stock	Multiple	Sec. 5337	FY 2018	\$ 2,000,000	\$ 1,600,000	\$ 400,000		
1600594	NICTD	New Line and Signal Bldg.	La Porte	Sec. 5337	FY 2018	\$ 2,000,000	\$ 1,600,000	\$ 400,000		
1600595	NICTD	Repl. Lights for Shop Yards	La Porte	Sec. 5337	FY 2018	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 800,000	\$ 200,000		
1600596	NICTD	Inward Facing Cameras	Multiple	Sec. 5337	FY 2019	\$ 2,000,000	\$ 1,600,000	\$ 400,000		
1600583	NICTD	Mech. Components	Multiple	Sec. 5337	FY 2019	\$ 1,200,000	\$ 960,000	\$ 240,000		
1600584	NICTD	Rolling Stock	Multiple	Sec. 5337	FY 2019	\$ 1,500,000	\$ 1,200,000	\$ 300,000		
<b>MODIFY Existing Projects</b>										
1382932	NICTD	Increase Substation Improvs.	La Porte	Sec. 5337	FY 2016	\$ 1,500,000	\$ 1,200,000	\$ 300,000		
1382934	NICTD	Decrease Replace. Rail	La Porte	Sec. 5337	FY 2016	\$ 719,900	\$ 575,920	\$ 143,980		
1500462	NICTD	Increase Station Improvs.	La Porte	Sec. 5337	FY 2016	\$ 3,350,000	\$ 2,680,000	\$ 670,000		
1500463	NICTD	Increase Track Rebuild	La Porte	Sec. 5337	FY 2016	\$ 2,050,000	\$ 1,640,000	\$ 410,000		
1382947	NICTD	Decrease Replace. Rail	La Porte	Sec. 5337	FY 2017	\$ 700,000	\$ 560,000	\$ 140,000		
1383056	NICTD	Increase Station Improvs.	La Porte	Sec. 5337	FY 2017	\$ 700,000	\$ 560,000	\$ 140,000		
1592141	NICTD	Decrease End-of-Life Rebuild for 1982-83 Cars	La Porte	Sec. 5337	FY 2017	\$ 500,000	\$ 400,000	\$ 100,000		
1592143	NICTD	Increase Track Improvs.	La Porte	Sec. 5337	FY 2017	\$ 2,300,000	\$ 1,840,000	\$ 460,000		



**WHEREAS,** the FY 2016-2019 Transportation Improvement Program is an implementation of the 2040 Comprehensive Regional Plan (CRP); is fiscally constrained, and is consistent with the State Implementation Plan for Air Quality; and

**WHEREAS,** the FY 2016-2019 Transportation Improvement Program is developed by the Commission in coordination and cooperation with local elected and appointed highway and transit officials, special interest and service organizations, including users of public transit, the Indiana Department of Transportation, the Indiana Department of Environmental Management, the U.S. Federal Highway Administration, the U.S. Federal Transit Administration, and the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission hereby amends the FY 2016-2019 Transportation Improvement Program by adding and/or modifying the transit project(s) as shown on the attachment to this resolution.

Duly adopted by the Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission on this twenty-first day of April, 2016.



James G. Ton  
Chairperson

ATTEST:



Geof R. Benson  
Secretary