

## MEMORANDUM

**To:** DCHC MPO Board

**From:** DCHC MPO Lead Planning Agency

**Date:** March 9, 2022

**Subject:** **Lead Planning Agency (LPA) Synopsis of Staff Report**

This memorandum provides a summary status of tasks for major DCHC MPO projects in the Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP).

- Indicates that task is ongoing and not complete.
- ✓ Indicates that task is complete.

### **Major UPWP – Projects**

#### **Comprehensive Transportation Plan (CTP) – Amendment #4**

- ✓ Amendment #3 is no longer pursued; Amendment #4 will be a subset of Amendment #3
- ✓ Release Amendment #4 for public comment – January 2022
- ✓ Public hearing for Amendment #4 – February 2021
- Adoption of Amendment #4

#### **2050 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP)**

- ✓ Approve Public Engagement Plan – September 2020
- ✓ Approve Goals and Objectives – September 2020
- ✓ Approve land use model and Triangle Regional Model for use in 2050 MTP – January 2021
- ✓ Release Deficiency Analysis – May 2021
- ✓ Release Alternatives Analysis for public comment – August 2021
- ✓ Release Preferred Option for public comments – October 2021
- ✓ Adopt Preferred Option – December 2021
- ✓ Adopt 2050 MTP and Air Quality Conformity Determination Report – February 2022

#### **Triangle Regional Model Update**

- ✓ Completed
- Rolling Household Survey – nearing completion

#### **Prioritization 6.0/FY 2024-2033 TIP Development**

- ✓ LPA Staff develops initial project list – March-April 2019
- ✓ TC reviews initial project list – May 2019
- ✓ Board reviews initial project list (including deletions of previously submitted projects) – June 2019
- ✓ SPOT On!ine opens for entering/amending projects – October 2019
- ✓ MPO submits carryover project deletions and modifications – December 2019
- ✓ Board releases draft SPOT 6 project list for public comment – February 2020
- ✓ Board holds public hearing on new projects for SPOT 6 – March 2020
- ✓ Board approves new projects to be submitted for SPOT 6 – March 2020
- ✓ MPO submits projects to NCDOT – July 2020

- ✓ LPA staff conducts data review – Spring 2021
- ✓ LPA updates local ranking methodology – May 2021
- ✓ Board approves local ranking methodology – June 2021
- ✓ NCDOT announces cancellation of SPOT 6 – August 2021
- ✓ NCDOT releases quantitative scores for SPOT 6 – November 2021
- ✓ SPOT Workgroup releases methodology for FY2024-2033 STIP – January 2022
- ✓ NCBOT approves methodology for FY2024-2033 STIP – February 2022
- Preliminary STIP released – April 2022
- NCDOT coordination with DCHC MPO on Preliminary STIP – Spring/Summer 2022
- Draft STIP released – December 2022
- Board of Transportation adopts FY2024-2033 STIP – June 2023
- MPO Board adopts FY2024-2033 MTIP – September 2023

#### **US 15-501 Corridor Study**

- ✓ 3<sup>rd</sup> public workshop: evaluate alternative strategies – October 2019
- ✓ Stakeholder meetings to discuss Chapel Hill cross-section, northern quadrant road, New Hope Commons access – completed August 2020
- ✓ Board releases final draft for public comment – September 2020
- ✓ Board holds public hearing on final draft – October 2020
- ✓ Release RFI for second phase of study – March 2021
- ✓ Develop RFQ for second phase of study – May 2021
- Update Board on second phase of study – April 2022

#### **Project Development/NEPA**

- US 70 – Durham and Orange Counties
- I-40 Widening – Orange County

#### **Upcoming Projects**

- Congestion Management Process (CMP)
- State of Systems Report