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For October TC meeting.

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CMAQ Planning Partners,

I have been working with Patrick Norman, Director of Planning & Programming, to ascertain the funding targets that will be available for the next round of funding prior to sending out communication to you, but we have not quite made that determination yet. However, I want to ensure that everyone is aware of the timelines that have been established for applications, so you may begin discussions within your organization about possible proposals if you have not already done so.

Similar to the last round of funding, we will focus on scheduling one year of funding at a time according to the schedule below. If you have proposals that require funding in both FFY 2018 and FFY 2019, please be sure to submit those applications according to the FFY 2018 schedule. (Also, please note future reference this schedule follows the generic CMAQ funding schedule that has been in place for a couple of years.)

Who?	What?	Deadline
<b>Projects to be Programmed in FFY 2018</b>		
MPO/RPO	Develop applications and submit to CMAQ website	March 15, 2017
TPB	Review project proposals	March 30, 2017
IRT	Conduct interagency review	April 30, 2017
TPB	Conducts follow-up coordination to address IRT comments/questions	May 31, 2017
TPB	Send letters of approval for final projects to MPOs/RPOs	June 30, 2017
MPO/RPO	Notify Local Project Sponsors of approval of final projects	At MPO/RPO discretion
TPB	Request funding set up in SAP	June 30, 2017
LPS	Project implementation – Request local agreement	July 1, 2017 – January 31, 2018
<b>Projects to be Programmed in FFY 2019</b>		
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2019

*Note 1 - Requests that entail funding in both FFY 2018 and FFY 2019 would need to be submitted on FFY 2018 schedule*

Acronyms:

MPO/RPO – Eligible Metropolitan or Rural Planning Organization

TPB – NCDOT Transportation Planning Branch

IRT – Interagency Review Team (currently NCDOT, FHWA/FTA, EPA, NCDAQ)

LPS – Local Project Sponsor

I apologize that I cannot give you actual target amounts now, but I will as soon as possible. If you need an amount to begin your local discussions, please go ahead and use the same target amounts as for the FFY 2016-2017 funding cycle. I will have the target amounts to you well in advance of the application deadline.

The application that is currently posted to the CMAQ website should be used to develop proposals. If you no longer have access to the website, please coordinate with Derry Schmidt to reestablish access.

CMAQ website: <https://connect.ncdot.gov/site/cmaqprojects/Applications/Forms/AllItems.aspx>

If you have any questions, please free to contact me by return email or telephone using the number below.

Have a good afternoon,

~terry

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