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March 22, 2016

Aries Little  
GDOT Office of Planning  
600 W. Peachtree St. NW, 5th Floor  
Atlanta, GA 30308

Dear Ms. Little:

**RE – March 2016 Administrative Modification to FY 2015 - 2018 TIP**

This letter is to acknowledge that the Coastal Region Metropolitan Planning Organization (CORE MPO) received the notification from the Georgia Department of Transportation (GDOT) of an administrative modification to the FY 2015 - 2018 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) to add Replacement of the Fort Pulaski Bridge as an addendum to the TIP for informational purposes. The MPO has posted the change and associated information on the MPO website at <http://www.thempc.org/Dept/Tran>.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 912-651-1446 or Mr. Mark Wilkes at 912-651-1477.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

Thomas L. Thomson, P.E., AICP  
Executive Director

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cc: Andrew Edwards, FHWA  
Keith Melton, FTA  
Eileen Schwartz-Washington, GDOT Intermodal  
Mark Wilkes, CORE MPO



U.S. Department  
of Transportation  
**Federal Highway  
Administration**

# Memorandum

Subject: Fiscal Year 2016-2019 Transportation Improvement  
Program Mid-Year Update

Date: MAR 10 2016

From: Ms. Karen A. Schmidt  
Director, Program Administration

In Reply Refer To: HFPP-15

To: Mr. Rodney Barry  
Division Administrator  
HDA-GA

The Eastern Federal Lands Highway Division (EFLHD) has developed a FY 2016-2019 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) Mid-Year Update for transportation projects within Federal Lands. The Federal requirement under Title 23 U.S.C. § 204 requires that the TIP be developed as part of the transportation planning process for Federal Lands projects. The attached spreadsheet contains an overall list of projects for your State. This list will soon be placed on the EFLHD website (<http://www.efl.fhwa.dot.gov>) in order to provide reference and information for citizens, affected public agencies, transportation agencies, private providers of transportation, and other interested parties.

Through this transmittal, we are seeking your assistance in transmitting the EFLHD's TIP to your State Department of Transportation for inclusion (*as an appendix*) into their Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) and to applicable Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPO). If you have questions or comments regarding the TIP, please contact Mr. Lewis Grimm, Planning Team Leader, at (703) 404-6289 or [Lewis.Grimm@dot.gov](mailto:Lewis.Grimm@dot.gov). Thank you for your assistance.

Attachment

cc:  
Mr. Andrew Edwards, Planning Team Leader, FHWA, HDA-GA, Atlanta, GA



**FY2016 - FY2019 Transportation Improvement Program**  
 Federal Highway Administration  
 Eastern Federal Lands Highway Division  
 Mid-Year Update (Reflects Additional Projects Since October 1, 2015)

Last Printed: 10Mar16

PROJECT	PROGRAM FISCAL YEAR	STATE	COUNTY	PARK, REFUGE, FOREST OR OTHER PARTNER/AGENCY	DESCRIPTION	TYPE OF WORK	PRIMARY FUND SOURCE	PROGRAM AMOUNT (RANGE)	FUNDS FROM TITLE	DELIVERED BY	PHASE	CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT	FLMA REGION
<b>GA -- Georgia</b>													
FW_BOSW_2005207261	FY2017	GA	Bibb	Bond Swamp National Wildlife Refuge	Rehabilitate Sand Pit Road (Route 101).	3RL	FLTP	Between \$25,000 and \$100,000	Title 23	FWS	Planned	GA-02	FWS_R4
FOPU_10(3)	FY2016	GA	Chatham	Fort Pulaski National Monument	Replacement of the Fort Pulaski Bridge	BRRH	FLTP	Between \$5,000,000 and \$10,000,000	Title 23	EFLHD	In Acquisition	GA-01	NPS_SE
OCMU_10(2)	FY2016	GA	Bibb	Ocmulgee National Monument	Rehabilitate Park Roads	3RL	FLTP	Between \$1,000,000 and \$5,000,000	Title 23	EFLHD	In Acquisition	GA-08	NPS_SE
CE_WFG_Lock(1)	FY2016	GA	Clay County	Walter F George Lake	Pavement rehabilitation at the Walter F George Lake	3RH_3RL	FLTP	Between \$500,000 and \$1,000,000	Title 23	EFLHD	Under Construction	GA-02	USACE_MVD
GA_FLAP_HART_PV1R(1)	FY2016	GA	Hart	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Hartwell Dam and Lake	Resurface 4.11 miles of Old Hwy 29 Vanna Waller Rd & 0.56 miles of Main Rd on Long Pt County Park	3RH	FLAP	Between \$500,000 and \$1,000,000	Title 23	LOCAL	Planned	GA-09	USACE_SAD
GA_FLAP_BRTW_633(1)	FY2017	GA	Bartow	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Allatoona Lake	Reconstruction of approx. 0.4 miles of Glade Rd (CR 633) & relocation of the bridge over Clark Creek	3RH_BRRP	FLAP	Between \$1,000,000 and \$5,000,000	Title 23	LOCAL	Planned	GA-11	USACE_SAD

## Wykoda Wang

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**From:** Harris, Krystal [kharris@dot.ga.gov]  
**Sent:** Friday, March 18, 2016 1:00 PM  
**To:** Wykoda Wang; Little, Aries  
**Cc:** Tom Thomson; Mark Wilkes; Jane Love; Stephanie Rossi  
**Subject:** RE: TIP Addendum Request

Wykoda,

Just a heads up, we are not asking the MPO to add this project to the TIP list per se but just make it an addendum to the TIP for informational purposes. As you've stated below, these projects are a part of the STIP list, however we were asked to request MPOs to make them addendums.

Aries will look into your request and get back to you on that.

Sincerely,

**Krystal F. Harris**

Southeast Georgia Branch Chief | Office of Planning  
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**From:** Wykoda Wang [<mailto:wangw@thempc.org>]  
**Sent:** Friday, March 18, 2016 12:50 PM  
**To:** Little, Aries  
**Cc:** Harris, Krystal; Tom Thomson; Mark Wilkes; Jane Love; Stephanie Rossi  
**Subject:** RE: TIP Addendum Request

Aries,

I would like to get some clarifications on the requested project - **Replacement of the Fort Pulaski Bridge**.

Several years ago GDOT requested us to include this project into our 2035 MTP and the TIP. GDOT also assigned a PI# to this project. We processed all of the requested amendments according to the Participation Plan. However, we were informed later that we did not need to program this project in our plan and TIP anymore since GDOT was programming it into STIP. I would like to know whether this is still that project with which so many planning and programming

changes happened. I remember that project is also from the Eastern Federal Land Highway Division (EFLHD) because I requested additional information from them before. If I remember correctly, EFLHD is not using highway trust funds either.

Would you please dig into this and let me know what happened? If it is the same project, why do we need to add it, then delete it and then add it again to our plan and program? If not, please send me some additional information for processing.

Thanks for your assistance.

Wykoda

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**From:** Little, Aries [<mailto:arlittle@dot.ga.gov>]  
**Sent:** Friday, March 18, 2016 12:12 PM  
**To:** Wykoda Wang  
**Cc:** Harris, Krystal  
**Subject:** RE: TIP Addendum Request

I do apologize for leaving off the attachments.

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**From:** Wykoda Wang [<mailto:wangw@thempc.org>]  
**Sent:** Friday, March 18, 2016 12:10 PM  
**To:** Little, Aries  
**Cc:** Harris, Krystal  
**Subject:** RE: TIP Addendum Request

Please provide the attachment.

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**From:** Little, Aries [<mailto:arlittle@dot.ga.gov>]  
**Sent:** Friday, March 18, 2016 12:06 PM  
**To:** Wykoda Wang  
**Cc:** Harris, Krystal  
**Subject:** TIP Addendum Request

Good Afternoon,

Recently, the Department received notification that the Eastern Federal Lands Highway Division (EFLHD) developed it's FY 2016-2019 TIP (see attachment for more information). Within in the EFLHD TIP, there is a project listed for the Chatham County area which will need to be added to the CORE's TIP. Please add this project (attached above)as an addendum to the CORE's FY 2015-2018 TIP via administrative modification. The project will not impact fiscal constraint and the Department does not have control over these funds.

Thanks Wykoda and have fantastic Friday!

Aries Little- Transportation Planner II  
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