

**RESOLUTION OF THE GOVERNING BOARD  
OF THE  
NORTHEAST OHIO AREAWIDE COORDINATING AGENCY**

**WHEREAS**, the Northeast Ohio Areawide Coordinating Agency (NOACA), the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for the five Northeast Ohio Counties of Cuyahoga, Geauga, Lake, Lorain and Medina, is presently engaged, through Governing Board action and staff technical work, in the continuing phase of the cooperative, comprehensive planning process designed to meet needs, requirements, goals and objectives of national, state and local governmental levels, all within this nation's federal transportation system; and

**WHEREAS**, the Congress of the United States, through law, and the U.S. Department of Transportation, through regulation, have determined that a Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) shall be prepared, which includes federal-aid transportation projects expected to be implemented in each of the program years; and

**WHEREAS**, the NOACA Governing Board's Regional Transportation Investment Policy (Resolution No. 2003-051) requires that all proposed federal-aid transportation projects be processed through project planning review in order to meet Transportation Plan goals and federal requirements; and

**WHEREAS**, project planning review consists of staff technical and policy assessment, committee review, public involvement and Intergovernmental Review and Consultation; and

**WHEREAS**, the following projects have been processed through project planning review:

- a. GEAUGA COUNTY TRANSIT CY 2011 CAPITAL AND OPERATING PROGRAM – The 2011 program includes the purchase three replacement vehicles, capitalized maintenance, operating expenditures and continued operation of its coordinated demand response public transit system within Geauga County, which offers reduced fares to qualified individuals through its elderly and disabled (E & D) transit fare assistance program.
- b. Lake Metroparks: LAK METROPARKS BIKE TRAIL: PID No. 80964 – This project involves the construction of a multi-use asphalt path from Lake Metroparks' existing Greenway Ravenna Road parking lot to the existing Greenway Girdled Road Parking Lot in Concord Township.
- c. Lake Metroparks: LAK METROPARKS PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE: PID No. 87616 – This project involves Lake Metroparks' use of \$260,000 from an Appropriations Act Earmark toward the design and engineering for construction of an overhead pedestrian crossing, over the NS railroad tracks, west of Liberty Street in Painesville.

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- d. ODOT 12: CUY IR071-18.87: PID No. 86824 – This project involves replacing the deck of the bridge on IR-71, over IR-90/IR-490, in Cleveland.
- e. ODOT 12: CUY IR480-10.54/VAR PAINT: PID No. 85150 – This project involves painting seven bridges located on I-480, in Brooklyn, Cleveland and Brooklyn Heights.
- f. ODOT 12: LAK IR090-03.77: PID No. 83489 – This project involves replacing the deck of a bridge on Maple Grove Road, over I-90, in Willoughby Hills.
- g. City of North Ridgeville: LOR NORTH RIDGEVILLE SIGNALS – This project involves upgrading traffic signals along Lorain Road, Chestnut Ridge Road, Center Ridge Road (US-20), Avon Belden Road (SR-83) and Lear Nagle Road, in North Ridgeville.
- h. Village of Sheffield: LOR SR301-21.50 (ABBE ROAD): PID No. 83456 – This project involves widening SR-301, from four to five lanes, from SR-254 to Antioch Drive, in Sheffield Village and Elyria.
- i. City of Wadsworth: MED SR094-03.80: PID No. 81338 – This project involves improvements along SR-94, from Valley View Road to the Wadsworth north corporation limit, in Wadsworth.
- j. Medina County Engineer: MED FENN RD: PID No. 85055 – This project involves the replacement of the bridge on Fenn Road, over the west branch of the Rocky River, in Medina Township.
- k. Medina County Engineer: MED CRPM-FY2011 PAVEMENT MARKINGS – This project involves applying pavement markings to various Medina County roads (to be determined).
- l. ODOT 3: LOR/MED D03 BH FY2011: PID No. 81374 – This project involves repairs to a bridge on SR-2, over the Norfolk Southern railroad and Crosse Road, in Lorain County and a bridge on SR-303, over the west branch of the Rocky River, in Medina County.
- m. ODOT 3: LOR/MED D03 MICRO FY2012: PID No. 82443 – This project involves preventive maintenance at various locations on various routes (to be determined by ODOT District 3) throughout ODOT District 3.
- n. ODOT 3: LOR/MED D03 SMOOTH FY 2012: PID No. 82444 – This project involves preventive maintenance along various routes (to be determined by ODOT District 3) throughout ODOT District 3.
- o. ODOT 3: LOR SR057-19.42: PID No. 82645 – The project involves preliminary engineering and detailed design for improvements along SR-57, in Elyria.

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- p. ODOT 3: MED D03 BH FY2012 (A): PID No. 80188 – This project involves repairs to a bridge on SR-57 (Wadsworth Road), over I-71, in Montville Township, on Poe Road over I-71, in Montville Township and a bridge on Westfield Road over I-71, in Westfield Township.
- q. ODOT 3: MED D03 DECK FY2011: PID No. 81375 – This project involves repairs to bridges located on Laurel Road, over I-71, in the City of Brunswick and Brunswick Hills Township, Good Road, over I-71, in Montville Township and Guilford Township and Friendsville Road, over I-71, in Westfield Township.
- r. ODOT 3: MED D03 TSG FY2011: PID No. 86752 – This project involves performing traffic signal/electrical installations reconstruction on qualifying locations throughout District 3, which includes SR-18/SR-57 and SR-252 in York Township, and SR-162 and River Styx Road, in Montville Township.
- s. ODOT 3: MED US042-07.12: PID No. 83420 – This project involves resurfacing US-42, from SR-421 to the Medina west corporation line in Harrisville Township and Lafayette Township.
- t. NOACA: REG HOUSEHOLD TRAVEL SURVEY – This project involves a survey of travel behavior to update travel models used to aid forecasting future travel for subsequent engineering and economic development evaluations. The Household Travel Survey will provide data reflecting travel behavior patterns in the region in order to produce more reliable forecasts of travel demand in transportation systems for the region and help to make better planning decisions.

**WHEREAS**, the above projects are excluded from regional emissions analysis and as such do not affect the existing TIP's air quality conformity determination; and

**WHEREAS**, the project planning reviews may contain recommendations that require project sponsor attention or action; and

**WHEREAS**, it is expected that the project sponsor will, in good faith, endeavor to address comments and recommendations and will provide evidence of such, prior to the project advancing; and

**WHEREAS**, the above project planning reviews were approved and recommended by the Transportation Advisory Committee (TAC).

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Governing Board of the Northeast Ohio Areawide Coordinating Agency, consisting of forty-four principal officials of general purpose local government throughout and within the Counties of Cuyahoga, Geauga, Lake, Lorain and Medina that:

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**Section 1:** The referenced projects have successfully completed project planning review. The project planning reviews are a part of the projects' permanent record, and will be used in future programming and prioritization decisions. The projects are not subject to additional planning review unless there are significant changes in scope or finances, as determined by the Regional Transportation Investment Subcommittee.

**Section 2:** The project sponsors must endeavor to comply with any recommendations that have occurred as a result of the project planning review and will provide evidence of such in coordination meetings with NOACA staff. NOACA staff will report back to appropriate NOACA committees and the Board regarding the coordination meetings.

**Section 3:** The Executive Director is hereby authorized to transmit a certified copy of this resolution to the applicants as well as to appropriate Federal, State and local agencies.

Certified to be a true copy of a Resolution of the  
Governing Board of the Northeast Ohio  
Areawide Coordinating Agency adopted this  
11th day of June 2010.

Secretary: Betty Blair

Date Signed: 6-11-10