January 20, 2012

Lonnie J. Gregorcyk, P.E.
Texas Department of Transportation – Yoakum District Office
P.O. Box 757
403 Huck Street
Yoakum, Texas 77995

RE: 1st Amendment to FY 2011-2014 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)

Mr. Gregorcyk:

I am attaching the 1st Amendment to the Victoria MPO’s FY 2011-2014 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). The amendment was approved by the MPO Policy Advisory Committee on January 10, 2012. The purpose of the amendment is to add one project to the FY 2013 State Funded Project List, the Airline Road Overpass Project on Loop 463 (Zac Lenz Parkway). I am also attaching the related public involvement documentation.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

John K. Kaminski, AICP
Director of Development Services
TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP)

FISCAL YEARS 2011-2014

Prepared By:

City of Victoria Planning Department,
The Designated MPO Staff for the Victoria MPO

FINAL VERSION
June 8, 2010

PUBLIC HEARING DATE: May 26, 2010
APPROVED BY POLICY ADVISORY COMMITTEE: June 8, 2010
1st AMENDMENT APPROVED BY POLICY ADVISORY COMMITTEE: January 10, 2012
### VICTORIA METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION

#### FY 2013

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#### LIMITS
- **FROM:** 0.14 MILES SE OF MOCKINGBIRD LANE
- **TO:** 0.26 MILES NW OF BU 59

#### PROJECT DESCRIPTOR
- **DESCRIPTION:** CONSTRUCT 4-LANE OVERPASS AT THE INTERSECTION OF AIRLINE RD
- **LIMITS FROM:** 0.14 MILES SE OF MOCKINGBIRD LANE
- **LIMITS TO:** 0.26 MILES NW OF BU 59
- **REVISION DATE:** 02/2012
- **MPJ NUM:**

#### REMARKS
- **P7:**

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- **3 - Prop 12**
- **TOTAL:** $10,400,000

#### PHASE: C = CONSTRUCTION, E = ENGINEERING, R = ROW, T = TRANSFER

* FUNDING NOT FIXED
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NOTICE OF INTENT TO AMEND
THE FISCAL YEARS 2011 – 2014 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP)

Friday, December 2, 2011

The Victoria Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO), the agency responsible for transportation planning activities in Victoria County, intends to Adopt its Fiscal Year 2011-2014 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). In accordance with the MPO’s adopted Public Involvement Program (PIP), this notice is being distributed to a “Transportation Mailing List”, consisting of affected agencies, transportation providers and interested individuals.

The TIP is a short-term (4-year) list of proposed transportation improvement projects. It must include all federally funded road construction projects, transit facilities and other transportation improvements in Victoria County. The TIP lists State funded transportation improvements and any locally funded projects considered to be “regionally significant.” The TIP is required by federal law to be fiscally constrained (funding sources must be available and identified). The purpose of this amendment is to add the following project, to the 4-year listing:

LP 463 (Zac Lentz Parkway)
From just south of Mockingbird Lane to US 59B (Houston Highway)
Project will provide for the continuation of frontage roads from Mockingbird to US 59B and will provide for an overpass at Airline Drive. This will complete the urban freeway section of LP 463 from US 87 to US 59B.

The following is the proposed schedule for the TIP approval process:

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Copies of the proposed FY 2011-2014 TIP are available free of charge from the City of Victoria Development Services Department, Suite 115, 700 Main Center or can be found at [www.victoriampo.org](http://www.victoriampo.org). All interested parties are encouraged to attend the December 13, 2011 Public Meeting. Oral and written comments are accepted. Written comments are accepted through December 9, 2011, 5:00 p.m. For additional information, please contact John K. Kaminski, Director of Development Services at, at 485-3360 or by email at jkaminski@victoriatx.org.
NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

The Victoria Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) will conduct a Public Meeting for the purpose of receiving public comments on the proposed adoption of the Fiscal Year 2011-2014 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP).

The TIP is a short-range (4-year) list of transportation projects and programs proposed in Victoria County for the 2011 – 2014 fiscal years. It must include all federally funded road construction projects, transit facilities and other transportation improvements in Victoria County. The TIP lists State funded transportation improvements and any locally funded projects considered to be “regionally significant.” The purpose of this amendment is to add the following project, to the 4-year listing:

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Public Meeting is scheduled for 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, December 13, 2011, in the 700 Main Conference Room, Suite 204. Citizens, public agencies, public and private transportation providers and other interested parties are encouraged to attend.

The proposed FY 2011-2014 TIP available for inspection by the public in the offices of the City of Victoria Development Services Department, 700 Main Center, Suite 115 and at www.victoriampo.org. Copies of the TIP will be provided by the Development Services Department free of charge. Written comments may be submitted to the Development Services Department (P.O. Box 1758, Victoria, Texas 77902) from now until Friday, December 9, 2011. Written and oral comments will be accepted at the Public Meeting.

Please contact the City of Victoria Development Services Department at (361)-485-3360 for additional information.

(Please provide the City of Victoria Development Services Department with an Affidavit of Publication.)

City of Victoria Development Services Department
P.O. Box 1758
Victoria, Texas 77902
Public Meeting
City of Victoria

Adoption of the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for Fiscal Years 2011 – 2014

We invite you to attend a Public Meeting regarding the adoption of the Victoria Metropolitan Planning Organization’s Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for the Fiscal Years of 2011 – 2014 and amendments. The meeting is Tuesday, December 13, 2011 at the 700 Main Center, Conference Room, Suite 204. The presentation begins at 2:00 p.m. Citizens, public agencies, public and private transportation providers and other interested parties are encouraged to attend.

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Questions and comments regarding the public meeting and/or the proposed FY 2011 - 2014 Transportation Improvement Program? Contact:

John K. Kaminski
Director of Development Services - MPO Coordinator
City of Victoria
P. O. Box 1758
Victoria, TX 77902-1758
361/485-3360
Fax: 361/485-3364

Public Meeting
Adoption of the FY 2011-2014 Transportation Improvement Program
December 13, 2011
700 Main Center, Conference, Suite 204
Presentation – 2:00 p.m.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TEXAS OPEN MEETINGS LAW OF THE FOLLOWING MEETING OF A GOVERNMENTAL BODY:

The Victoria Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) Policy Advisory Committee

MEETING

City Conference Room, 700 Main Center
Second Floor, Suite 204
Victoria, Texas

Tuesday, December 13, 2011
2:00 p.m.

THE SUBJECTS LISTED ON THE ATTACHED AGENDA WILL BE CONSIDERED AT THE MEETING.

SCARLET SWOBOUDA
City Secretary

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MEETING AGENDA

Tuesday, December 13, 2011
2:00 p.m.
City Conference Room, 700 Main Center
Second Floor, Suite 204
Victoria, Texas

1) Approval of Minutes:   October 19, 2011

2) Citizen Communication: (The MPO Chairperson will recognize any person wishing to
address the MPO Policy Committee on items not specifically listed on this agenda).

3) Public Hearing on the First Amendment to the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)
   for Fiscal Years 2011-2014.
   a) Staff Briefing
   b) Public Hearing

4) Consider Approval of the Corrected Fiscal Year 2012 Unified Planning Work Program
   (UPWP).
   a) Staff Briefing
   b) Formal Action

5) Report on the US Hwy 87 Corridor Alignment Study for the Intersection of US Hwy 87 at
   FM 447 in Nursery.
   a) Presentation
   b) Discussion

6) Transportation Program Reports.
   a) Victoria Transit
   b) Highway Projects
   c) Victoria Airport
   d) Port of Victoria

7) Items from MPO members.

8) Adjournment.
MPO MEETING
DECEMBER 13, 2011

MEMBERS PRESENT:
Tom Halepaska, Chairman
Jason Milewski, Vice-Chairman
Randy Bena
Charmelle Garrett
Kenny Spann
Lonnie Gregorcyk
Gabriel Soliz
Lynn Short
Don Pozzi
Jennifer Stastny

STAFF PRESENT:
John K. Kaminski, Director of Development Services
Lila Foster, Development Specialist

1) Approval of Minutes: October 11, 2011

The minutes of the October 11, 2011 meeting were approved after a few minor corrections were made.

2) Citizen Communication – None

3) Public Hearing on the First Amendment to the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for Fiscal Years 2011-2014.

   a) Staff Briefing

Mr. Kaminski stated that the Transportation Improvement Program for Fiscal Years 2011-2014 was approved by the MPO Board on June 8, 2010. At the October 11, 2011 MPO meeting the staff briefed you on some State Proposition 12 funds that are currently available to the Victoria MPO and to Yoakum TxDOT District. It was explained to the MPO committee at that meeting that the consensus of MPO was that the highest priority project for Victoria is the Loop 463 overpass project at Airline Road. The implementation of that project requires an amendment to the current TIP. Mr. Kaminski stated that is the purpose of this agenda item. Mr. Kaminski stated that the project will include a grade separation at Airline Road and will complete the freeway section with frontage roads from just south of Mockingbird Lane to US 59 Business. The project estimate is $10.4 million. He stated approximately $2 million in Victoria MPO Proposition 12 funds will be allocated to the project, with the remaining balance coming from Yoakum District Proposition 12 Funds. The project is scheduled for letting in June-August 2013.

Mr. Kaminski stated the only action required of the committee today is to conduct a Public Hearing, there will be no vote of the Board. We will come back at the regular January meeting with a vote to approve this TIP amendment so it can be submitted to TxDOT.
b) Public Hearing

Will Armstrong, 105 Creekside, Victoria, Texas, stated that he would like to speak in favor of this issue. He stated that he wanted to congratulate and commend this group for bringing this project forward and it is appreciated immensely.

Chip Dence, 302 N. Hummel, Victoria, Texas, asked if any more right-of-way was needed. There was no more right-of-way needed. He stated on behalf of the builders here in Victoria and himself, they are in support of the project.

Bobby Jacobs, 6041 Country Club Drive, Victoria, Texas, stated that this project would be beneficial not only for traffic flow but for safety also.

Thomas Gwosdz, City Attorney for City of Victoria, stated that he was not speaking as City Attorney today, but as Scout Master of Troop 364. He stated that one and a half years ago they lost one of their scouts in a motorcycle accident at that intersection. He stated that he wanted to “thank” TxDOT for moving this project forward.

Donald Day, 207 Brocton, Victoria, Texas, stated that he frequents that intersection quite often and stated that it would be a great improvement to the transportation plan for Victoria. He stated that he is very much in support of this project.

There being no more public comments, Mr. Halepaska closed the public hearing.
Dear Mr. Kaminski,

A quick note to express my support for the extension of the frontage roads on Loop 463/Zac Lentz Parkway from Mockingbird to Business 59. The project will increase commercial growth in Victoria, as well as providing greater safety for motorists on that stretch.

Thanks very much,

Bill Congdon
201 Charleston Drive
Victoria, TX 77904
John Kaminski

From: David.C.Edwards@wellsfargo.com
Sent: Monday, December 12, 2011 3:21 PM
To: John Kaminski
Subject: Loop 463 (Zac Lenz Parkway) extension

John,

I will be unable to attend the Regional Planning meeting tomorrow. I support the extension of Loop 463 from Mockingbird to US 59. This roadway will improve the traffic flow in the area, but most importantly, this system improvement will reduce the risk of a major traffic accident. The recent construction and relocation of Victoria East High School has increased the demand for this roadway and thus presents additional safety risks to the system. Please make this project a top priority within the Metropolitan Planning Organization's Transportation Improvement Program.

Regards,

David C. Edwards
Texas, Crossroads/UGC Business Banking Manager
Wells Fargo Bank
T0400-011
4800 N. Navarro St.
Victoria, Texas 77904-2079
(o) 361-485-7794 (c) 361-550-4183
(f) 361-485-8291

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From: Jan Scott [jscott@andersonsmith.com]
Sent: Monday, December 12, 2011 3:43 PM
To: John Kaminski
Subject: I support an Airline Drive overpass

Mr. Kaminski,

I am unable to attend the MPO Transportation Improvement Program meeting Tuesday of this week here in Victoria so I am writing to give my support to an amendment that would include construction of an overpass over Airline Drive on Loop 463. This is a commercially congested area and this overpass will significantly improve safety now and as the City grows to the East.

We all anticipate increased commercial traffic at that intersection as it is immediately north of the Caterpillar location. I think an overpass at this intersection is as crucial (if not more) as the ones at Mockingbird Lane and Salem Road.

I am a business owner in Victoria and I live in the Colony Creek subdivision which is adjacent to this proposed overpass. Thank you for having the forethought to include this overpass for construction before it becomes an emergency situation.

Jan Scott

Janis L. Scott
Anderson, Smith, Null & Stofer, L.L.P.
Post Office Box 1969
Victoria, Texas 77902
(or 101 W. Goodwin, Suite 700
Victoria, TX 77901)
(361) 573-9191
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________________________________________________________________________
John Kaminski

From: John Quary [jquary@victoriadiocese.org]
Sent: Tuesday, December 13, 2011 12:16 PM
To: John Kaminski
Subject: support of TIP projects

Dear Mr. Kaminski,

Due to other obligations, I am unable to meet today to pledge my support, in person. Therefore, I am writing, as a private citizen, to offer my support of the Victoria Metropolitan Planning Organization’s Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for the next four years and the projects outlined in the TIP including an overpass at Airline and Loop 463.

Respectfully,

John E. Quary
Superintendent of Schools
Diocese of Victoria
361-573-0828
361-573-5725 fax

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Psalm 34:4
I sought the LORD, and He heard me, And delivered me from all my fears.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TEXAS OPEN MEETINGS LAW OF THE FOLLOWING MEETING OF A GOVERNMENTAL BODY:

Addendum to the Victoria Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) Policy Advisory Committee Meeting

City Conference Room, 700 Main Center
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Victoria, Texas

Tuesday, January 10, 2012
2:00 p.m.

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2) Citizen Communication: (The MPO Chairperson will recognize any person wishing to address the MPO Policy Committee on items not specifically listed on this agenda).

3) Consider Approval of the First Amendment to the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for Fiscal Years 2011-2014.
   a) Staff Briefing
   b) Public Hearing
   c) Formal Action

4) Discussion of draft Federal transportation reauthorization bill, Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21st Century (MAP-21).
   a) Staff Briefing
   b) Discussion

5) Transportation Program Reports.
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6) Items from MPO members.

7) Adjournment.
MEMBERS PRESENT:

Tom Halepaska, Chairman
Jason Milewski, Vice-Chairman
Randy Bena
Lonnie Gregorczyk
Charmelle Garrett
Lynn Short
Jennifer Stastny
Gabriel Soliz

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Don Pozzi

STAFF PRESENT:

John Kaminski, Director
Development Services
Denyce Beyer, Administrative Assistant
Marie Lester, Environmental Programs Coordinator

1) Approval of Minutes: December 13, 2011

The minutes of the December 13, 2011 minutes were approved as delivered.

2) Citizens Communication:

Daniel Mussatti, with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission and noted his office was in Rockville, Maryland just north of Washington D.C. He stated he was here on behalf of the work that the nuclear regulatory commission is doing at this time in preparing an environmental impact statement for the proposed early site permit application for Victoria’s nuclear site. He stated that Exelon has put forward to us an early site permit application and given us what is called environmental report which they are using as a basis for them to develop an environmental impact statement. Mr. Mussatti stated that this is a permit for them to reserve the site, but do not know what the exact parameters of the plant. He noted that there is a team of about 30 of them here at this time. He noted some of them are from Exelon, some of them are contractors for Exelon and some of them are from the Nuclear Regulatory Commission. Mr. Mussatti stated that they are looking at the socio-economic impacts of the plant.

3) Consider Approval of the First Amendment to the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for Fiscal Years 2011-2014.

a) Staff Briefing

Mr. Kaminski stated that the TIP Amendment will add one project to the list and that is the Zac Lentz overpass project at Airline Road. He reported that a 4-lane grade separation will be constructed and the frontage roads will be completed. The estimated cost is $10.4 million, $2 million of which is coming from Victoria MPO Proposition 12 Funds and the remainder is coming from the district’s Proposition 12 funds. The project will be let between June and August of 2013.

b) Public Hearing – No one wished to comment.
c) **Formal Action**

Mr. Short made a motion to approve the First Amendment to the Transportation Improvement Program for Fiscal Years 2011-2014. Mr. Milewski seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.