

**DELAWARE VALLEY REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION**

**REGIONAL TECHNICAL COMMITTEE**

**January 7, 2025 Meeting Highlights**

**This Meeting was held online.**

**Public Comment on Any Agenda and Non-Agenda Items**

Two public comments were made at the meeting.

**RTC AGENDA ITEMS**

**1. Highlights of the November 12, 2024 RTC Meeting**

The highlights from the November 12, 2024 meeting of the RTC were presented for adoption.

*Motion by David Alas, seconded by Matt Lawson that the RTC adopt the highlights of the November 12, 2024 RTC meeting.*

Motion passed. All votes were cast in favor of the motion.

**2a. PA25-027: Statewide Multimodal Transportation Fund Projects (Various MPMS #'s), Various Counties – Accept New Projects into the TIP**

The RTC recommends:

That the DVRPC Board approves TIP Action PA25-027, PennDOT's request that DVRPC accept the listed Multimodal Transportation Fund (MTF) projects, as well as their additional funds into the FY2025 TIP for Pennsylvania. 13 projects with a total amount of \$11,601,000 in State 411 funding will be added to the TIP for Construction in FY25:

**Bucks County**

- Lower Southampton School Crossing R10 (MPMS #120747) - \$42,000 State 411
- Valley Road Bridge R10 (MPMS #81881) - \$1,547,000 State 411

**Chester County**

- Lincoln Highway Streetscape (MPMS #111761) - \$122,000 State 411
- Bridge and Starr Streets R10 (MPMS #81887) - \$900,000 State 411
- Niblock Alley R10 (MPMS #81888) - \$854,000 State 411
- Prospect Ave Pedestrian Improvements R10 (MPMS #81889) - \$514,000 State 411

#### Delaware County

- GLG-Pennel Rd/Concord Rd/Knowlton Rd Signals (MPMS #121863) - \$306,000 State 411
- Springfield Rd Clifton Heights R10 (MPMS #81882) - \$1,300,000 State 411

#### Montgomery County

- W. Monument Ave o/ Trib to Pennypack Ck R8 (MPMS #118395) – \$598,000 State 411
- St. Paul's Church Rd over Macoby Creek R10 (MPMS #81895) - \$1,978,000 State 411
- Marshall and Forest Intersection R10 (MPMS #81893) - \$547,000 State 411
- SR 73 and SR 2016 Improvements R10 (MPMS #81892) - \$1,463,000 State 411

#### City of Philadelphia

- Historic Philadelphia Streets R10 (MPMS #81884) - \$1,430,000 State 411

*Motion: by Nick Cressman, seconded by Kellie Bellina*

Motion passed. All votes were cast in favor of the motion.

#### **2b. PA25-028: 70th, 71st, and 72nd Streets over Amtrak (MPMS #17215), City of Philadelphia – Add PE Phase back into TIP**

The RTC recommends:

That the DVRPC Board approve TIP Action PA25-028, PennDOT's request that DVRPC amend the FY2025 TIP for Pennsylvania by adding the PE Phase back into the 70th, 71st, and 72nd Streets over Amtrak project (MPMS #17215), in the amount \$4,500,000 State 183 (FY25: \$500,000 /FY26: \$2,000,000/FY27: \$2,000,000)

*Motion: by Nick Baker, seconded by Donna Rendeiro.*

Motion passed. All votes were cast in favor of the motion.

**2c. PA25-029: Westpark Redevelopment (MPMS #82007), City of Philadelphia –Add New Project to the TIP**

The RTC recommends:

That the DVRPC Board approve TIP Action PA25-029, the City of Philadelphia’s request that DVRPC amend the FY2025 TIP for Pennsylvania by adding a new project, the Westpark Redevelopment project (MPMS #82007), in the amount of \$28,528,000 (\$21,396,000 RAISE/\$2,000,000 RACP/\$5,132,000 LOC) for the Construction (CON) Phase in FY25.

**2d. PA25-030: Honor Square at 5 Points Streetscape and Traffic Improvements (MPMS #82005), City of Philadelphia– Add New Project to the TIP**

The RTC recommends:

That the DVRPC Board approve TIP Action PA25-030, the City of Philadelphia’s request that DVRPC amend the FY2025 TIP for Pennsylvania by adding a new project, the Honor Square at 5 Points Streetscape and Traffic Improvements project (MPMS #82005) to the TIP, in the amount of \$3,140,000. \$500,000 LOC for the Preliminary Engineering (PE) Phase in FY25 and \$2,640,000 (\$1,616,000 SXF/\$1,024,000 LOC) for the Construction (CON) Phase in FY26.

Motion for 2c and 2d: *by June Morton, seconded by Mason Austin.*  
Motion passed. All votes were cast in favor of the motion.

**2e. PA25-031: North Broad Bus-Subway Transfer Improvement Project (MPMS #122325), City of Philadelphia – Add New Project to the TIP**

The RTC recommends:

That the DVRPC Board approve TIP Action PA25-031, SEPTA’s request that DVRPC amend the FY2025 TIP for Pennsylvania by adding a new project to the TIP, the North Philadelphia Bus-Subway Transfer Improvement Project (MPMS #122325), in the amount of \$625,000 (\$500,000 SXF/\$125,000 Local)for the Engineering, Right-of-Way, and Construction (ERC) Phase in FY25, on the FTA-funded portion of the TIP.

Motion: *by Kelley Yemen, seconded by Kellie Bellina.*  
Motion passed. All votes were cast in favor of the motion.



**2f. PA25-032: Safe, Clean, and Secure Program (MPMS #121367), SEPTA – Add New Project to the Program**

The RTC recommends:

That the DVRPC Board approve TIP Action PA25-032, SEPTA’s request that DVRPC amend the FY2025 TIP for Pennsylvania by adding a new project, the Safer Bus Operator Area Initiative Project, to the Safe, Clean, and Secure Program (MPMS #121367).

Motion: *by Ilene Lampitt, seconded by June Morton.*

Motion passed. All votes were cast in favor of the motion.

**2g. PA25-033: Philadelphia Community Charging Solutions (MPMS #82012), City of Philadelphia – Add New Project to the TIP**

The RTC recommends:

That the DVRPC Board approve TIP Action PA25-033, the City of Philadelphia’s request that DVRPC amend the FY2025 TIP for Pennsylvania by adding a new project to the TIP, the Philadelphia Community Charging Solutions project (MPMS #82012) in the amount of \$4,000,000 CRP (FY25: \$2,029,000/FY26: \$1,971,000) for the Construction (CON) Phase.

Motion: *by Donna Rendeiro, seconded by Kelley Yemen.*

Motion passed. All votes were cast in favor of the motion.

**2h. NJ24-082: DVRPC Carbon Reduction Program (DB #D2305), Various Counties—Add New Project to the Program**

The RTC recommends:

That the DVRPC Board approve TIP Action NJ24-082, Camden County’s request that DVRPC amend the FY2024 TIP for New Jersey by adding the Camden County EV Charge Up program to the DVRPC Carbon Reduction Program (CRP) (DB #D2305) line item in the amount of \$1 M CR-PHILA.

Motion: *by Nick Cressman, seconded by Tom Stanuikynas.*

Motion passed. All votes were cast in favor of the motion.

**2i. NJ24-083: Route 295/42/I-76, Direct Connection, Contract 4 (DB #355E), Camden County – Increase CON Phase**

The RTC recommends:

That the DVRPC Board approve TIP Action NJ24-083, NJDOT's request that DVRPC amend the FY2024 TIP for New Jersey by increasing the FY32 CON Phase of the Route 295/42/I-76, Direct Connection, Contract 4 project (DB #355E) by \$12.204 M NHPP from \$52.257 M NHPP to \$64.461 M NHPP.

Motion: *by Tom Stanuikynas, seconded by David Alas.*

Motion passed. All votes were cast in favor of the motion.

**3. FY2025 UPWP Amendment: SEPTA's T1 Corridor TOD and Multimodal Access Analysis Project**

The RTC recommends:

That the DVRPC Board approve the addition of the FTA Pilot Program for Transit-Oriented Development Planning – T1 Corridor TOD and Multimodal Access Analysis project to the FY 2025 DVRPC UPWP to fulfil the Federal Transit Administration's FY 2024 Pilot Program for Transit-Oriented Development Planning requirements.

Motion: *by Michael Swan, seconded by Donna Rendeiro.*

Motion passed. All votes were cast in favor of the motion.

**4. Adoption of DVRPC Fiscal Year 2026 Unified Planning Work Program and TIP Amendments**

The RTC recommends:

That the DVRPC Board

a) adopt the Final DVRPC FY2026 Unified Planning Work Program, pending the resolution of any outstanding comments and issues

b) approve the listed actions to amend or modify the FY2024 TIP for New Jersey (NJ24-084) and the FY2025 TIP for Pennsylvania (PA25-035) to support projects in the FY2026 UPWP, as required.

Motion: *by Nick Cressman, seconded by Brian Styche*  
Motion passed. All votes were cast in favor of the motion.

#### **5. Equity Through Access (ETA): 2024 Update to the Greater Philadelphia Region's Coordinated Human Services Transportation Plan (CHSTP)**

The RTC recommends:

That the DVRPC Board accept the 2024 update to Equity Through Access as the new regional CHSTP “Coordinated Plan.”

Motion: *by Matt Lawson, seconded by Donna Rendeiro.*

Motion passed. All votes were cast in favor of the motion.

#### **6. Adoption of Updated Regional Roadway Safety Targets**

The RTC recommends:

That the DVRPC Board adopt the regional safety targets update and agree to plan and program roadway safety projects to meet or exceed the targets.

Motion: *by Matt Lawson, seconded by Donna Rendeiro.*

Motion passed. All votes were cast in favor of the motion.

#### **7. Plan Centers Update for *Update: Connections 2050* Plan**

#### **8. PA Turnpike/I-95 Interchange Program, Stage 3 (Delaware River Bridge) Presentation**

#### **9. IIJA Update**

#### **10. One Minute Reports**

The next scheduled meeting of the RTC is **Tuesday, February 11, 2025, planned as an online only meeting.**

**ATTENDANCE**  
Voting Members

Representative



NJ Department of Transportation  
NJ Department of Environmental Protection  
NJ Department of Community Affairs  
NJ Governor's Appointee  
NJ Office for Planning Advocacy  
PA Department of Community and Economic Development  
PA Department of Environmental Protection  
PA Department of Transportation  
PA Governor's Appointee  
PA Governor's Policy Office  
Bucks County  
Burlington County  
Camden County  
Chester County  
Delaware County  
Gloucester County  
Mercer County  
Montgomery County  
City of Philadelphia – City Planning Commission  
City of Philadelphia – Department of Streets  
City of Philadelphia - OTIS  
City of Camden  
City of Chester  
City of Trenton  
Delaware River Port Authority  
New Jersey Transit Corporation  
Port Authority Transit Corporation  
Southeastern PA Transportation Authority  
Public Participation Task Force  
Public Participation Task Force

Farzana Ahmed  
Ruth Foster  
(not represented)  
Jay Weisbond  
Donna Rendeiro  
Isabella Fiume  
Sachin Shankar  
David Alas  
(not represented)  
Jonathan Korus  
Richard Brahler  
Tom Stanuikynas  
Ilene Lampitt  
Brian Styche  
Lou Hufnagle  
Nick Cressman  
Matt Lawson  
Matt Edmond  
Mason Austin  
Nicholas Baker  
Kelley Yemen  
June Morton  
Paul Fritz  
Lisa Serieyssel  
(not represented)  
Michael Swan  
(not represented)  
Kellie Bellina  
Craig Way  
William Matulewicz

**Non-Voting Members**

Delaware River Joint Toll Bridge Commission  
Delaware Valley Goods Movement Task Force  
Federal Highway Administration - NJ Division  
Federal Highway Administration - PA Division  
Federal Transit Administration - Region III  
Greater Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce  
NJ Turnpike Authority  
New Jersey TMAs  
Pennsylvania TMAs  
Pennsylvania TMAs  
Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission  
PhilaPort

**Representative**

(not represented)  
Kelvin MacKavanaugh  
Jason Simmons  
Eugene Porochniak  
(not represented)  
(not represented)  
Rosemary Nivar  
Cheryl Kastrenakes  
Tracy Barusevicius  
Jacqui Baxter-Rollins  
John Boyer  
(not represented)

Pottstown Urban Transit	(not represented)
Public Participation Task Force	Imani Badie
Public Participation Task Force	Judith Fagin
Select Greater Philadelphia	(not represented)
South Jersey Port Corporation	(not represented)
South Jersey Transportation Authority	(not represented)
Transportation Operations Task Force	(not represented)
US EPA - Region II	(not represented)
US EPA - Region III	(not represented)
US Department of Housing and Urban Development	(not represented)

**Other Member Representatives and Guests**

Bicycle Coalition of Greater Philadelphia	John Boyle
Bicycle Coalition of Greater Philadelphia	Patrick Monahan
Bowman	Mark Cassel
Chester County	Patty Quinn
City of Philadelphia Streets Department	Eva Hayes
City of Philadelphia City Planning Commission	Kyle Brown
Dewberry	Jack Kanarek
East Coast Greenway	Daniel Paschall
FHWA PA	Michelle Goddard
Gloucester County	Bill Fleming
Mercer County	Matthew Zochowski
Montgomery County	Matthew Popek
NJTransit	Nathan Chadwick
NJ Office for Planning Advocacy	Walter Lane
PennDOT	Jonathan Korus
PA Turnpike	Walter Wimer
SEPTA	Logan Axelson
Jacobs	Allison Banks
Jacobs	Jay Roth
NJ Turnpike Administration	Mark Bernard
BCTMA	Nicole Rodowicz
KCI	Leanne Doran
KCI	Kristen Rowe
KCI	Deb Hoover
City of Philadelphia	Lamei Zhang
City of Philadelphia	Shaghayegh Jabalameli
Four Square	Kyle Hearing

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Karen Cilurso  
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