



## **Public Notice**

### **FY 2024-2027 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) Amendment - Exempt from Conformity**

1. Newport News – Permanent Message Boards (UPC 115376)



## COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

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August 29, 2025

Mr. Robert A. Crum, Jr.  
Executive Director  
Hampton Roads Transportation Planning Organization  
The Regional Building, 723 Woodlake Drive  
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RE: FY 2024 - 27 HRTPO TIP Amendment UPC 115376

Dear Mr. Crum,

The Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) requests a TIP Amendment from the Hampton Roads Transportation Planning Organization (HRTPO) to add the RW Phase and to revise the schedule, cost estimate, and obligations for UPC 115376, Permanent Message Boards, in the FY 2024-27 TIP. This project will install permanent message boards in the City Center area to mitigate congestion through active route management. Fiscal constraint of the subject project is demonstrated. To that end, we request UPC 115376 be revised in the FY 2024-27 TIP including the following information:

- UPC 115376 – Permanent Message Boards
  - Non-Federal Oversight
  - FY Previous Obligations
    - No Previous Obligations.
  - Replace FY 24 - 27 Obligations:
    - PE (FY26) Federal – CMAQ \$136,000
    - PE (FY26) Federal – CMAQ (M) \$34,000

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- Estimate \$1,230,000 (Increase)

Phase	Cost Estimate	Start Date	End Date	Status
PE	\$170,000	01/23/2026	06/30/2028	FY26
RW	\$50,000	06/30/2028	04/05/2030	FY28
CN	\$1,010,000	04/05/2030	03/24/2031	FY30

- Replace FY Previous and FY 24 - 27 Allocations with the following:

Fund Name	Previous Allocations	FY2024	FY2025	FY2026	FY2027	TOTAL
CMAQ	\$0	\$0	\$80,000	\$320,000	\$0	<b>\$400,000</b>
CMAQ (M)	\$0	\$0	\$20,000	\$80,000	\$0	<b>\$100,000</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$100,000</b>	<b>\$400,000</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$500,000</b>

The Department is requesting that the staff of the Hampton Roads TPO process this TIP Amendment at your next meeting. Attached is the proposed TIP workup sheet for your reference. Thank you for your support in this effort.

Sincerely,

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