



Central Ohio
Rural Planning
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Memorandum

TO: Central Ohio Rural Planning Organization Committee

FROM: Nick Gill, Transportation Director
Central Ohio Rural Planning Organization

DATE: 04/26/2023

SUBJECT: Resolution 1-23 Adopting the Central Ohio Rural Planning Organization (CORPO) SFY 2024 Planning Work Program (PWP)

The Planning Work Program (PWP) documents CORPO's transportation planning program scope of work, products, and budgets which utilize federal and state planning funds. They are prepared annually and submitted to ODOT for approval. The SFY 2024 PWP for RTPOs are due to ODOT by May 1st. Resolution 1-23 approves the SFY 2024 CORPO Planning Work Program to receive federal and state planning funds.

During the spring 2023 CORPO Subcommittee meetings, the SFY 2024 PWP was discussed, including the December memo from ODOT initiating the development of the SFY 2024 PWP. Staff presented the work items in the SFY 2024 PWP and discussed more specific planning activities to be included in the SFY 2024 PWP. A draft of the PWP was provided to ODOT for comments. ODOT responded with minor comments. Those edits/additions were made to the document.

The SFY 2024 Planning Work Program has been developed to reflect recent CORPO meeting discussions and other member communication and to address the needs and advance the goals of CORPO members.

Attachment: Resolution 1-23 Adopting the Central Ohio Rural Planning Organization (CORPO) FY2024 Planning Work Program (PWP)

RESOLUTION 1-23

A RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THE CENTRAL OHIO RURAL PLANNING ORGANIZATION'S (CORPO) FY2024 PLANNING WORK PROGRAM (PWP).

WHEREAS, surface transportation systems serve economic activities and provide the necessary and highly valued opportunity for people to travel freely wherever and whenever they want; and

WHEREAS, inevitably travel in Central Ohio involves frequent crossings of municipal, township and county boundaries on facilities that are under the control of various local jurisdictions, special-purpose agencies, and the State of Ohio; and

WHEREAS, usually transportation systems that function best and are most cost-effective include regular cooperative and coordinated planning and decision-making across geographic and administrative boundaries; and

WHEREAS, it is the role of the Central Ohio Rural Planning Organization (CORPO) to help encourage, facilitate, and provide a forum for this cooperation so as to help spend regional transportation funds most effectively; and

WHEREAS, the Planning Work Program (PWP) is the document that outlines the work of the CORPO, the use of regional transportation planning funds, and the regional planning activities that will be undertaken in the coming year; and

WHEREAS, approval of this work program by the CORPO is necessary for MORPC to receive federal and state grants to accomplish the scope of work within it for CORPO; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CENTRAL OHIO RURAL PLANNING ORGANIZATION COMMITTEE:

Section 1. That it hereby approves the attached CORPO Planning Work Program for Fiscal Year 2024 as a document to receive federal and state planning funds.

Section 2. That this resolution be forwarded to ODOT as evidence of acceptance of this program by CORPO.

Section 3. That this committee finds and determines that all formal deliberations and actions of this committee concerning and relation to the adoption of this resolution were taken in open meetings of this committee.

Mark Forrest Chair
CENTRAL OHIO RURAL PLANNING COMMISISON

Date

Prepared by: CORPO Staff

Attachment: CORPO FY 2024 Planning Work Program (main document only – no appendices)