

“Approving Funding Increase Requests for the SFY 2024 – 2025 CORPO Dedicated Funds Program”

WHEREAS, the Central Ohio Rural Planning Organization (CORPO) is designated as the regional transportation planning organization (RTPO) by the Governor, acting through the Ohio Department of Transportation and in cooperation with local officials for Fairfield, Knox, Madison, Marion, Morrow, Pickaway and Union counties; and

WHEREAS, CORPO adopted its long-range CORPO 2023 – 2050 Transportation Plan in November 2023,

WHEREAS, CORPO, to advance the strategies and projects included in the CTP, is responsible for allocating certain federal transportation funds that are dedicated to it; and

WHEREAS, the CORPO Committee adopted Resolution 6-23, “Re-Adopting Policies for Managing CORPO-Dedicated Funds,” to fairly allocate these funds in conformance with federal and state laws and regulations; and

WHEREAS, the CORPO Committee adopted Resolution 3-24, “Adoption of CORPO-Dedicated Funds Commitments,” establishing a program of projects awarded funds for the State Fiscal Year 2024 – 2025 CORPO Dedicated Funds program; and

WHEREAS, two projects returned awards received in the 2024 – 2025 CORPO-Dedicated Funds program resulting in a surplus of funds in the program; and

WHEREAS, per the adopted Policies for Managing CORPO-Dedicated Funds, project sponsors may submit requests to make significant changes to project timelines and budgets to be considered by the CORPO Committee; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Plain City submitted a request for additional funds for their Plain City Uptown Intersection Modification project in March, and the Madison County Engineer submitted a request for additional funds for their MAD-CR0004-09.07 over Opossum Run, Bridge Replacement project in March; and

WHEREAS, the CORPO-Dedicated Funds Selection Committee at its meeting on April 30, 2025 reached agreement upon the change requests for the program of funding commitments shown in Attachment 1; and

WHEREAS, the CORPO Committee has recommended approval of all change requests for projects awarded through the CORPO-Dedicated Funds program; now therefore

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

- Section 1. That it commits to allocating additional CORPO dedicated federal funding to the change requests described in Attachment 1.
- Section 2. That this resolution will be transmitted to ODOT and all local agencies listed as sponsoring agencies in the attachments for appropriate action including ODOT

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Page 2 reflecting the change requests in Ellis and inclusion of the projects and funding in the State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP).

Section 3. That it emphasizes the importance of the project sponsors maintaining the project schedule and remaining within the current cost estimates, as there is no guarantee that additional CORPO-dedicated funding or other statewide funding will be available should costs increase the projects be delayed.

Section 4. That it maintains that should a project sponsor decide not to proceed with a project, or a funding commitment is unable to be utilized, then the commitment will be cancelled, and the funds are returned to the balance of uncommitted funds available for a future solicitation round per the Policies for Managing CORPO-Dedicated Funds.

Section 5. That the CORPO Committee finds and determines that all formal deliberations and actions of this committee concerning and relating to the adoption of this resolution were taken in open meetings of this committee.



Jeff Stauch, Chair

CENTRAL OHIO RURAL PLANNING ORGANIZATION

5/5/25

Date

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Attachment 1:

1. Funding Increases for CORPO-Dedicated Funding for SFY 2024 and 2025

Table 1. Funding Increases for CORPO Dedicated Funding for SFY 2024 and 2025

Sponsoring Agency	Project Title	Award Original	Adjustments	Award New
Madison County Engineer	MAD-CR0004-09.07 over Opossum Run, Bridge Replacement	\$ 287,688.28	\$ 171,867.776 \$86,306.49	\$459,556.056 \$ 373,994.77
Village of Plain City	Plain City Uptown Intersection Modification	\$ 42,000	\$ 28,436.00 \$12,600	\$70,436.00 \$54,600