

State of California  
Business, Transportation and Housing Agency  
Department of Transportation

PROGRAM AMENDMENTS  
STIP Amendment 00S-048  
Action Item  
CTC Meeting: August 22-23, 2001

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***PROPOSED***

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August 1, 2001

### **STIP AMENDMENT 00S-048 ACTION**

#### **ACTION UPDATE FROM NOTICE**

This item was noticed at the July 2001 Commission meeting; the Commission requested the Action Item be placed on the consent calendar.

#### **SUMMARY**

This amendment programs \$10,194,000 from Riverside County's Unprogrammed Share Balance for four new local road projects: \$671,000 for a street improvement project in the City of Corona; \$6,947,000 for a bridge project in the City of Indian Wells; \$1,012,000 for a roadway widening project in the City of Rancho Mirage; and \$1,564,000 for a roadway widening/reconstruction project in Riverside County.

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

The Riverside County Transportation Commission (RCTC) is requesting this amendment. The Department has reviewed the amendment and found it to be consistent with the Commission adopted STIP guidelines.

#### **RESOLUTION**

Resolved, that the California Transportation Commission (CTC) revise the 2000 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) at the end of the 30-day notice period as shown in Attachment A.

#### **BACKGROUND**

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Project #1 - Lincoln Avenue Improvements (PPNO 0000F)

This amendment programs \$671,000 in Regional Improvement Program (RIP) funds in FY 2002-03 for a project to improve the intersections at Lincoln Avenue/Pamona Road and Lincoln Avenue/Sixth Street in the City of Corona. Lincoln Avenue is a major arterial between State Route 91 and Sixth Street. Lincoln Avenue and Sixth Street currently experience extensive congestion at peak hours. The proposed project will improve the level of service at the two intersections and provide the ability for left turn movements along Lincoln Avenue. The City of Corona is providing an additional \$739,000 for a total project cost of \$1,410,000.

Project #2 - Miles Avenue Bridge (PPNO 0000G)

This amendment programs \$6,947,000 in Regional Improvement Program (RIP) funds in FY 2002-03 for a project to construct the Miles Avenue Bridge in the City of Indian Wells. The Miles Avenue low water crossing over the Whitewater River Channel was washed out during the 1993 storms. The County replaced the washout using large culverts in 1998. The proposed four-lane bridge will provide a more permanent solution as the existing low water crossing is not designed to handle major storms and could wash out again. It will also facilitate traffic circulation throughout the project area. The City of Indian Wells is providing an additional \$2,055,000 in local funds for a total project cost of \$9,002,000.

Project #3 - Ramon Road Street Improvements (PPNO 0000H)

This amendment programs \$1,012,000 in Regional Improvement Program (RIP) funds in FY 2001-02 for a project to provide widening and street improvements on Ramon Road in the City of Rancho Mirage. Increased development in the City of Rancho Mirage and the County of Riverside over the past two years has caused an increase in traffic congestion on Ramon Road. This project will address the congestion by widening the roadway to six lanes. The project also provides curb and gutter, raised median curb, reconstruction of existing road surface, storm drains and a new traffic signal at Los Alamos Road. The non-STIP contribution for this project consists of \$796,000 from the City of Rancho Mirage's General Fund and \$217,000 from Riverside County's General Fund, for a total project cost of \$2,025,000.

Project #4 - Valley Way/Armstrong Road Widening & Reconstruction (PPNO 0000J)

This amendment programs \$1,564,000 in Regional Improvement Program (RIP) funds in FY 2002-03 for a project in Riverside County to reconstruct and widen Valley Way and Armstrong Road to four lanes. The existing two-lane road is in need of reconstruction and widening due to deterioration from age and increasing traffic volumes. Riverside County is providing an additional \$1,821,000 for a total project cost of \$3,385,000.

Attachment A identifies a total of \$10,194,000 in RIP funding and \$5,628,000 in local funds for these four projects.

The non-STIP local fund commitments are displayed to indicate the total funding committed to the projects; they are not allocated by the CTC.

ATTACHMENT

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2000 STATE TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM  
RIVERSIDE COUNTY**

ATTACHMENT A

DIST	CO	PPNO ELEMENT	IMPLEMENTING AGENCY PROJECT TITLE LOCATION - DESCRIPTION	FUND SOURCE	PROG AMOUNT	(PROGRAMMED DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)												
						00/01	01/02	02/03	03/04	R/W	CON	PA&ED	PS&E	R / W ENG	CON ENG			
08	Riv	Loc	0000F City of Corona Lincoln Avenue Improvements between Pomona Rd and 6th St  Local Assistance In Riverside County, within the City of Corona, on Lincoln Avenue between Pomona Rd and 6th St. - Intersection Improvements	RIP:	671			671				671						
				IIP:														
				TOTAL RIP + IIP:	671			671				671						
				OTHER CONTRIBUTORS:	739		293	446		200	446	10	83					
				FUTURE:														
TOTAL PROJECT:					1,410		293	1,117		200	1,117	10	83					
08	Riv	Loc	0000G City of Indian Wells Miles Avenue Bridge over Whitewater River Channel  Local Assistance In the City of Indian Wells, On Miles Avenue, spanning the Whitewater River Channel, between Highway 111 and Elk Horn Trail within the City of Indian Wells - Four Lane Bridge and roadway approaches	RIP:	6,947			6,947				6,947						
				IIP:														
				TOTAL RIP + IIP:	6,947			6,947				6,947						
				OTHER CONTRIBUTORS:	2,055		371	1,684			1,684	43	328					
				FUTURE:														
TOTAL PROJECT:					9,002		371	8,631			8,631	43	328					
08	Riv	Loc	0000H City of Rancho Mirage Ramon Road Street Improvements  Local Assistance In the City of Rancho Mirage, on Ramon Road from 600 feet east of Davall Drive to Los Alamos Road west of Interstate 10 - Widening and Street Improvements	RIP:	1,012		1,012					1,012						
				IIP:														
				TOTAL RIP + IIP:	1,012		1,012				1,012							
				OTHER CONTRIBUTORS:	1,013		1,013		170	721	22	100						
				FUTURE:														
TOTAL PROJECT:					2,025		2,025		170	1,733	22	100						
08	Riv	Loc	0000J County of Riverside Valley Way/Armstrong Road Widening & Reconstruction  Local Assistance Westerly of the City of Riverside, from State Route 60 to Sierra Avenue - Road reconstruction and widening from two lanes to four lanes	RIP:	1,564			1,564				1,564						
				IIP:														
				TOTAL RIP + IIP:	1,564			1,564				1,564						
				OTHER CONTRIBUTORS:	1,821	45	1,500	276		1,300	276	45	200					
				FUTURE:														
TOTAL PROJECT:					3,385	45	1,500	1,840		1,300	1,840	45	200					

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						00/01	01/02	02/03	03/04	R/W	CON	PA&ED	PS&E	R / W ENG	CON ENG
			Total Riverside County: 4 Projects	RIP:	10,194		1,012	9,182			10,194				
				IIP:											
				TOTAL RIP + IIP:	10,194		1,012	9,182			10,194				
				OTHER CONTRIBUTORS:	5,628	45	3,177	2,406		1,670	3,127	120	711		
				FUTURE:											
				TOTAL PROJECT:	15,822	45	4,189	11,588		1,670	13,321	120	711		