# Staff Progress Report Quarter 1



# **CMAP Activity Report FY2024**

# 2.11 Transportation Policy

# **Operational Area**

# Regional Transportation Investment Strategy (RTIS) program development (2022.038)

# Qtr 2022.038 Quarter Progress

Program charter approved. Induced Demand Strategy Paper has been shifted to the Congestion Management Process Update project (2022.038). Discussions held with relevant CMAP staff regarding equity, GHG reduction, and resilience investment strategies.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Continue discussion with relevant CMAP staff on incorporating subject matter areas (environmental justice, safety, climate, resilience, freight, economy) into the investment strategy for the Regional Transportation Plan.

# **Projects**

# Safe Travel for All Roadmap (STAR) program (2021.029)

# Qtr 2021.029 Quarter Progress

1Q The agreement with IDOT for a portion of the local match was executed. The RFP for the County Safety Action Plan were released, and 11 responses were received.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Board authorization to enter into contracts with up to 7 consultants for 6 County Safety Action Plans and one Regional Engagement Plan, work with Counties to identify best matches and align funds.

# Community Alliance for Regional Equity (CARE) (2021.056)

## Qtr 2021.056 Quarter Progress

1Q 11 out of 12 Community Based Organizations are returning for year 2 and CARE has recruited 16 applicants for the 4 additional slots available. Held mid-year retreat in August in Batavia and heard presentations from CCER in September.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Representatives from TRIPP and Participatory budgeting will present at LSNA in October and the CARE team will interview and select participants for cohort year 2.

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# Electric vehicle (EV) infrastructure planning (2022.008)

#### Qtr 2022.008 Quarter Progress

1Q Coordinated with other teams to integrate EV planning concepts into related FY24 projects. Completed developing draft content for EV resource page and memos. Continued supporting partner EV work.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Launch EV resource page and continue integrated EV work into related emissions reduction, local planning, and freight projects.

# Plan of Action for Regional Transit (PART) (2023.004)

#### Qtr 2023.004 Quarter Progress

1Q Held fourth and fifth steering committee meetings, concluding the work of the PART Steering Committee. Finalized recommendations and drafted Plan of Action for Regional Transit report for consideration by the CMAP Board and MPO Policy Committee.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Upon authorization from the CMAP Board and MPO Policy Committee, submit PART report to the State of Illinois. Conduct additional analysis and address questions as required by state and regional stakeholders.

# Regional Project Collaborations: Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA) programs (2023.005)

#### Qtr 2023.005 Quarter Progress

1Q Two IIJA working group meetings were held. Project list was updated and individual meetings with implementers were held.

## **Next Quarter Objectives**

Conduct analysis of updated project list. Identify funding programs that are over- or undersubscribed. Build consensus around projects to include in 2024 booklet. Finalize booklet content and design.

# new regional plan scoping and development (2023.016)

#### **Qtr** 2023.016 Quarter Progress

1Q Scope confirmed. Project kicking off this quarter.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Stand up task teams and begin procurement for consultant support.

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# IDOT SPR grant agreement - Speed safety data (2023.018)

#### Qtr 2023.018 Quarter Progress

1Q Internal approval of budget modification request currently under Finance Team's review.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Consultant will provide the literature review to staff.

# 2.12 Regional Economic Competitiveness

# **Operational Area**

# Demographic analysis (2010.028)

#### Qtr 2010.028 Quarter Progress

1Q No activity occurred in Q1 FY2024.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

No activity anticipated in Q2 FY2024.

# **Projects**

# Regional economic development analysis, implementation, and coordination (2021.031)

## Qtr 2021.031 Quarter Progress

1Q The Program Charter is currently under executive review, and FY24 projects are underway.

## **Next Quarter Objectives**

Continue scoping and budgeting for FY25 projects and program.

# **Community Characteristics for Reinvestment (2021.034)**

# Qtr 2021.034 Quarter Progress

1Q Identified initial data points for use in the community classification analysis and conducted data clean-up, operationalization, and normalization. Provided a program manager update. Presented to and engaged with CARE cohort.

## **Next Quarter Objectives**

Finish drafting literature review & finish draft community classification analysis. Prep for stakeholder engagement.

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# Inclusive regional economy collaboration (2022.041)

## **Qtr** 2022.041 Quarter Progress

1Q Job Quality and Access Tool user group formed and meets monthly. TIP Strategies has incorporated new data and adjusted tool based on user group feedback. Monitored GCEP's progress on program development and service delivery.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Finalize tool update. TIP strategies and CMAP staff will create an outreach plan and materials to introduce partners to the updated tool. Scoping and outlining a memo to the CMAP Board with a summary of progress over the first year.

# **Elevated Chicago Capital and Programs working group (2023.031)**

# Qtr 2023.031 Quarter Progress

1Q This work plan item supported staff time for CMAP staff operating as the co-chair of the Eleveated Capital and Programs working group. CMAP is ending this project. CMAP will provide future Elevated staff support under the External Ambassador project.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Project complete.

# 2.13 Climate

# **Projects**

# Regional climate strategic planning (2021.005)

#### Qtr 2021.005 Quarter Progress

1Q The team finalized the scope and held the first coordination meeting, which reviewed the agency's current climate portfolio. The team also worked to finalize an internal climate resource page and develop a plan for updating communication resources.

# Next Quarter Objectives

The project team will continue hosting regular coordination meetings. The project team will also launch the internal climate resources page and develop updated project fact sheets and climate PowerPoint templates for the new fiscal year.

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# Regional transportation emissions mitigation plan (2021.015)

## **Qtr** 2021.015 Quarter Progress

1Q Outlined scope for climate action plan and identified the transportation focused elements of the overall project. Began work on GHG inventory, transportation strategy updates, and low income and disadvantaged communities analysis.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Develop scope and begin drafting decarbonization briefs for the transportation sector.

# Regional heat vulnerability index (2021.022)

#### Qtr 2021.022 Quarter Progress

 New staff onboarded to project. LST data engineering completed and documented, major progress on vulnerable populations completed.
 Participated in HVI additions to Resilience Comms and Engagement plan.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Complete index data inputs: sensitivity and adaptation elements. Complete framework and testing of composite index assembly.

# IEPA Water Quality Management Plan (WQMP) implementation and update FY2023 (2021.062)

# Qtr 2021.062 Quarter Progress

1Q Continued review and summary of Illinois and Areawide WQMP.
Provided technical assistance to partners and stakeholders. Prepared project Scope Statement for CMAP use. Held discussions with IEPA regarding amendment status and next funding cycle.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Finalize AWQMP Implementation Strategy and submit final review version to IEPA. Continue review and summary of Illinois and Areawide WQMP. Begin assessment of CMAP's DMA responsibilities. Continue to provide technical assistance.

# Regional transportation vulnerability assessment (2022.010)

#### **Qtr** 2022.010 Quarter Progress

1Q CMAP and ICF held the first stakeholder workshop on August 30 and completed Part 1 of the risk assessment.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Make significant progress on Part 2 of the risk assessment. Hold second steering committee meeting and stakeholder workshop.

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# Improving climate resilience investments (flood equity) (2023.010)

#### Qtr 2023.010 Quarter Progress

1Q The team finalized the equity guide and data thus completed work funded through the NOAA grant. Phase 2 work is underway, including the development of the Communications & Engagement (C&E) Plan.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Complete final grant report (due end of year). Complete C&E plan and format equity guide for distribution.

# Flood susceptibility index update (2023.011)

#### Qtr 2023.011 Quarter Progress

1Q CMAP staff finalized the methodology report and began conducting the index's update.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

CMAP will begin testing flood factors and meet with stakeholders to discuss results.

# Northwest Water Planning Alliance water supply sustainability plan (2023.036)

# Qtr 2023.036 Quarter Progress

1Q CMAP and IISG conducted one of up to 8 water conservation strategy assessments and a second strategy assessment was initiated. The project team held monthly coordination group meetings and presented project progress to the WSSP to the NWPA TAC and EC.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Continue to conduct water strategy assessments, including presentations to the NWPA TAC and EC.

# Regional water demand forecast refinement (2023.037)

## Qtr 2023.037 Quarter Progress

1Q The team is reviewing the draft methodology and familiarizing itself with the datasets. The team is also working to locate previously completed analyses and scripts in order to take next steps in completing the forecast.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Once the proper files are located, the team will complete water data processing, beginning with developing a source mix. Additionally, the team will amass data for the completion of the regression analysis.

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# 2.21 Planning Resources

# **Operational Area**

# Pavement Management Plans for Local Agencies (2020.083)

# **Qtr** 2020.083 Quarter Progress

1Q Kickoff meeting, pavement data collection, PAVER database build and Pavement Condition Index (PCI) developed for 6 municipalities.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Draft Analysis and Multi-Year Recommendation, finalized plan, PAVER training session and Board/Committee presentation for 6 municipalities. Identification of subsurface sampling (FWD) areas for each muni. Identification of next prospect municipalities.

# **IDOT ADA Grant Agreement (2022.068)**

## Qtr 2022.068 Quarter Progress

1Q No activity to report.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

No activity anticipated in Q2 FY2024.

# **Projects**

# IEPA Indian Creek Watershed-based Plan (2019.034)

#### **Qtr** 2019.034 Quarter Progress

1Q Submitted final version of the watershed-based plan and executive summary to Illinois EPA on August 17 for their review and comment.

## **Next Quarter Objectives**

Address Illinois EPA comments if received during this quarter and finalize plan.

# **NEXT: Chicago Illinois International Port District Master Plan (2019.038)**

#### Qtr 2019.038 Quarter Progress

1Q Supported successful IDOT SPR application (\$435K) for green port infrastructure study. Met with key partners to continue to advance priority Master Plan items.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Launch CAT with IIPD Executive Director, assist with RFQ for Lake Calumet Multi-Use Trail engineering.

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# Local Planning: City of Chicago Austin neighborhood central avenue corridor study (2020.806)

#### Qtr 2020.806 Quarter Progress

1Q Completed community survey, over 125 responses. Final ULI TAP publication was released. Completed in person engagement at summer events and Austin Town Hall farmers market. Action plan framework created, commenced planning for three "walkabouts."

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Hold three walkabouts with residents and partner, complete action plan matrix, hold workshop with partner taskforce and policy leads, draft text of ECR and summary of engagement.

# Local Planning: DuPage County Lake St. Corridor Overlay Zoning (2020.808)

## **Qtr** 2020.808 Quarter Progress

1Q Staff have begun outreach to each jurisidction to coordinate project completion. DuPage County has completed adoption and approval.

## **Next Quarter Objectives**

Coordinate project completion with the 4 jurisdictions.

# Local planning: Elevated Chicago station area plan – Logan Square Blue Line (2020.830)

#### Qtr 2020.830 Quarter Progress

1Q Team members conducted small conversations with partners about implementation. All implementation work completed.

## **Next Quarter Objectives**

Project complete. No further updates.

# **ULI Professional Services 2021 - 2023 (2021.064)**

#### Qtr 2021.064 Quarter Progress

1Q Held second ULI half-day session with Incentives Collaborative participants. Held individual meetings with Berkeley, Hillside, and Montgomery staff re: fall developer dialogues. Made decision to split into two separate dialogues.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Host two developer dialogues before end of calendar year - one in Berkeley/Hillside and other in Montgomery.

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# **ADA Program (2021.080)**

#### Qtr 2021.080 Quarter Progress

1Q The ADA Team began the second round of training on the topics of Title II, ADA Coordinators, Self-evaluations, and Transition Plans. Five transition plans are currently in the procurement process.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

FY24 includes additional projects including Title II compliance, release of several policy briefs, and integrating accessibilty into all work that CMAP does.

# **Available Transportation Grant List (2021.081)**

#### Qtr 2021.081 Quarter Progress

1Q Project paused pending new PM identification; pitch included in The Draft.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Identify new project PM.

# Local Planning: Country Club Hills comprehensive plan (2021.907)

#### Qtr 2021.907 Quarter Progress

1Q CMAP and consulting team from Design Workshop presented the full draft plan to city council joint adminstrative and planning committee on 9/18, slated for full adoption on 10/9.

### **Next Quarter Objectives**

City council adoption, final PAO amendment and billing from consultant, project close out, consultant evaulation, and assisting partner with implementation strategy in time for the next call for projects.

# Local Planning: Waukegan Unified Development Ordinance (2021.910)

#### Qtr 2021.910 Quarter Progress

1Q Due to staff role changes, the project was shifted from staff-led to consultant-led. The project went through the procurement process and is awaiting final approvals. New Project Manager role filled.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Kick-off meeting with the consultant.

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# Local planning: Metropolitan Water Reclamation District (MWRD) land use planning partnership (2021.912)

#### Qtr 2021.912 Quarter Progress

1Q CMAP team is completing plan writing while awaiting the content from MWRD. MWRD anticipates delivering all of their content by Sept. 30 at the latest.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

CMAP Team will continue to conduct outreach of the CMAP developed recommendations, finalize plan, prepare for its adoption, and begin discussing plan implementation.

# Local Planning: Butterfield Road corridor plan (2021.915)

#### **Qtr** 2021.915 Quarter Progress

1Q The draft Butterfield Road Corridor Plan has been reviewed by the project sponsors and the Steering Committee. Staff made edits to the draft plan based on the received feedback.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

A Steering Committee meeting will be held on October 11. Staff will solicit feedback on the draft plan from the public and will host a public open house. Staff will work with the project sponsors on the plan adoption process.

# Local planning: Braidwood comprehensive plan (2022.050)

#### Qtr 2022.050 Quarter Progress

1Q Chose market analysis consultant and began contract. Completed ECR. Formed Steering Committee and held first meeting.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Following Steering Committee meeting, revise ECR, plan and hold community-wide event (late Nov/early Dec) and release revised ECR to whole community. Begin development of key recommendations memo.

# Local Planning: Harvey comprehensive plan (2022.051)

#### Qtr 2022.051 Quarter Progress

1Q Consultant deliverd the draft ECR in September. The new City Administrator met with staff and the consultant to learn about the project and provide support going forward.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Steering Committee and staff review of the ECR and next public outreach event.

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# Local Planning: River Grove comprehensive plan (2022.052)

## **Qtr** 2022.052 Quarter Progress

1Q Conducted visioning activities, including public engagement (in person and online) and began development of key recommendations. Continued meetings with key stakeholders within the community. Selected market analysis consultant.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Contract with market analysis consultant. Draft key recommendations memo with input from plan steering committee.

# Local Planning: Round Lake Beach Bike Ped Plan (2022.053)

#### **Qtr** 2022.053 Quarter Progress

1Q Joined Sam Schwartz/Epstein team at one of the two open houses at Ellis and Round Lake Beach Elementary schools. Finished the Steering committee roster. Currently planning to host the initial SC meeting and go over the first iteration of the ECR.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Begin regular SC meeting cadence, and provide Sam Schwartz with additional guidelines and feedback for the next iteration of the ECR.

# **Local Planning: Glendale Heights Bike Ped Plan (2022.054)**

#### **Qtr** 2022.054 Quarter Progress

1Q Consultant has completed the key recommendations memo.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Consultant will complete final plan after steering committee approval.

# **NEXT: Lynwood (2022.057)**

#### **Qtr** 2022.057 **Quarter Progress**

1Q Staff met with Mayor and Village staff to dicsuss final steps in implementation assistance. Staff developed webmaps and draft walk audit toolkit to enhance Robinson Engineering transportation plan scope.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Staff will finalize and deliver walk audit toolkit and transition memo.

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# **CIP: Dixmoor Capital Improvement Plan (2022.060)**

#### Qtr 2022.060 Quarter Progress

1Q The consultant finalized the training workshop proposal memo and hosted the first training workshop of the Capital Improvement Plan on August 22. The consultant continued to conduct stakeholder interviews and work on the existing conditions report.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

The consultant will continue to work on the existing conditions report and stakeholder interviews. The consultant will schedule workshop #2. CMAP will work on the participatory budgeting process of the CIP with the Village.

# City of Chicago Black Metropolis National Heritage Area Feasibility Study (2023.002)

# Qtr 2023.002 Quarter Progress

1Q The team and partner did a tour of the core of Bronzeville, completed an inventory of existing assets, reviewed comparable plans, and attended monthly National Park Serivce onboarding webinars for newly designated NHA's.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Build out the CMAP team, conduct a goals and objectives session with the partner and their board, have a one-on-one interpretive planning sesion with National Park Service staff, build out list of tasks and community engagement strategy.

# ADA Program: Community Transition planning framework (2023.013)

# Qtr 2023.013 Quarter Progress

1Q The team is refining the data collected in fall 2022 and have begun developing a series of policy briefs.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Determine questions for the spring municipal survey and publish 2-3 policy briefs.

# ADA Program: Training (2023.014)

#### Qtr 2023.014 Quarter Progress

ADA trainings have been successful with consistently high attendance. Feedback collected through post-training surveys has been positive. These four trainings will mark the conclusion of the second round of trainings organized by CMAP.

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Spring 2024 will mark the commencement of the third round of ADA trainings. The key decision ahead is whether to continue providing fundamental knowledge to engage a broader audience, or to introduce more advanced ADA-related topics.

# ADA Program: Economic (2023.042)

# Qtr 2023.042 Quarter Progress

1Q Three UIUC students are using the previous research to update methodologies, review data, and determine the economic impacts of accessibility as part of their graduate program capstone. The students completed their literature review.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Students will refine the project methodology and start collecting data. Dr. Eisenberg from UIC will be brought on as an academic advisor.

# Village of Alsip Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan (2024.019)

## **Qtr** 2024.019 Quarter Progress

1Q Procurement annouced PAO on 9/21. Bids are due on 10/6/23.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Staff will review the bids and begin contract negotiations in October to begin the project.

# Village of Richmond Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan (2024.020)

## Qtr 2024.020 Quarter Progress

1Q Staff completed internal PAO process and secured executed IGA.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Staff will kick off project with consultant and community mid-November.

# West Cook Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan (2024.021)

#### Qtr 2024.021 Quarter Progress

1Q Developed full scope statement for PAO, and released PAO for bid to preapproved bike/ped consultant list. Received approved IGAs from each of the five municipalities.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

PAO bids due October 13. Review bids and select vendor. Begin contract with vendor and five municipalities.

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# CIP: Lansing Capital Improvement Plan (2024.022)

#### Qtr 2024.022 Quarter Progress

1Q Training #1 design was approved and scheduled for FY24 Q2. Stakeholder engagement and initial asset inventory collection began.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Completion of asset inventories across village departments, completion of Training #1, and scheduling of Training #2.

# Local Planning: Franklin Park Grand Ave corridor plan (2024.023)

#### Qtr 2024.023 Quarter Progress

1Q Charter and scope were finalized, and IGA was executed. CMAP held an external kickoff with village staff and conducted a site visit. Staff held an internal kickoff meeting.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Begin outreach activities, including stakeholder interviews and engagement events. Finalize communications and outreach strategy and begin existing conditions research. Contract with a market analysis consultant.

# **Local Planning: Chinatown NEXT Implementation Assistance (2024.024)**

# Qtr 2024.024 Quarter Progress

1Q The NEXT team is setting up for an open house after a successful tabling event. There will be a trunk or treat event to close out engagement on walking/biking around Chinatown.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Input will be consolidated to create recommendations for walking/biking around Chinatown. Wayfinding will be explored next.

# **Grant Readiness: Village of Midlothian (2024.027)**

#### Otr 2024.027 Quarter Progress

1Q Staff held a kick off meeting on August 22. An IGA between Midlothian and CMAP has been executed. Staff conducted stakeholder interviews and started to review past plans.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Staff will draft and finalize an action plan that will outline the activities that will be undertaken during the project. Staff will begin working on the action plan items.

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# PMO services for SS4A Countywide Safety Action Plans (2024.040)

#### Qtr 2024.040 Quarter Progress

1Q CMAP published RFP 287, 288; engaging in negotiations with vendors and stakeholders.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

AECOM will hold a kickoff meeting with consultants; establish project management controls for RFP 287, 288 consultants.

# 2.22 Planning Policy Development

# **Operational Area**

# **Mapping Innovations (2019.044)**

#### Otr 2019.044 Quarter Progress

1Q Staff continued to support team GIS requests, coordinated with other departments on GIS administration needs, and held two planning team GIS meetings.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Staff will finalize planning team member roles in GIS administrative and training activities, as well as continuing to convene departmental planning users and responding to mapping requests.

# 2.23 Civic Coordination

# **Operational Area**

# Local government network (LGN) (2020.081)

#### Qtr 2020.081 Quarter Progress

1Q Opened the third annual Regional Tourism Challenge. Executed initiative 021 (invite targeted cohort 1 and 2 communities to technical assistance workshops) and initiative 022 (encourage Cook County communities to spread the word about FEMA assistance).

## **Next Quarter Objectives**

Conclude the Regional Tourism Challenge and announce winners. Execute initiatives as needed.

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# **Projects**

# Collaborative: Incentives guide implementation (2022.036)

# Qtr 2022.036 Quarter Progress

1Q Hosted meeting #4 in Matteson to learn about ongoing efforts to redevelop former Lincoln Mall site (nee Market Square Crossing). Produced memo with ULI recapping findings from developer dialogue session in late June.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Host final meeting of the collaborative (#5), produce final deliverable that recaps learnings from the year.

# 2.24 Leadership Development

# **Projects**

# TBN Housing and Land Use Program (2010.029)

#### Qtr 2010.029 Quarter Progress

1Q The team worked on developing a regional response to the HUD PRO Housing funding opportunity. This included meeting with partners, drafting the narrative, and developing the budget.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

The team will be finalizing the application, posting for public comment, holding a public hearing, and submitting application by the October 30 deadline.

# **Capacity Building Program (2019.007)**

#### **Qtr** 2019.007 Quarter Progress

1Q Received feedback on program area and discussed revisions with executive sponsor.

#### Next Quarter Objectives

Finalize program area revisions following edits feedback, as needed.

# Complete Streets Economic Impact Analysis (2021.904)

#### Qtr 2021.904 Quarter Progress

1Q Project team completed research/best practice review memo and finalized data tracker to inform development of the evauation strategy. Team also finalized corridors for comparison evaluation. IGA under review of new acting CDOT commissioner.

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Project team will complete deliverable #1 - evaluation strategy and begin data collection anad analysis. Team will also hold a partner workshop to review and discuss the proposed evaluation strategy. IGA expected in City Council October or November.

# 2.31 Transportation Modeling

# **Operational Area**

# **Travel and Emissions Modeling (2010.017)**

# Qtr 2010.017 Quarter Progress

1Q Updating results processing scripts. Making model improvements.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Finish updating results processing scripts. Complete model improvements for C23Q4. Complete C23Q4 conformity modeling. Resume transit network update and model validation.

# Transportation Modeling Services to Regional Partners (2010.035)

#### Qtr 2010.035 Quarter Progress

1Q Completed 76 small area traffic forecasts (7 multiscenario with 15 alternate networks). Data Collectors completed 4 RR crossings, 2 24hr truck counts and expressway speed pre- and post-COVID analyses. GHG/VMT analyses 7 munis and non-expy NDLSD.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Complete 75-100 small area traffic forecasts, up to 10 multiscenario/20 alternative networks. Continue replacement of implementation of EMME commands w scripted equivalents for network assignment. 5 GHG/VMT analyses for munis. Host NDLSD Task Force.

# **Projects**

# **Advanced Travel Model Implementation (2010.033)**

# Qtr 2010.033 Quarter Progress

Installed & tested new ABM on CMAP servers. Revised ABM model code & implemented final mode choice model coefficients by tour purpose.

Coordinated with USDOT consultant on freight model code updates.

Explored alternative bike model path analysis.

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Update ABM GitHub repository and package code for easy installation of ABM. Complete testing of ABM installation. Continue coordination with USDOT consultant on freight model updates. Begin bike model zone update and SAS code conversion.

# Update and Enhancement of Activity-Based Travel Demand Model (2010.037)

#### Qtr 2010.037 Quarter Progress

1Q Biweekly meetings to bring new staff up to date on previous WDF efforts. Attempts to track down already completed work by previous project staff is taking longer than expected.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Complete source mix and prepare variables for regression.

# **Data Applications Development (2019.045)**

#### Qtr 2019.045 Quarter Progress

1Q Continued development of PM dashboards including Safety, Pavement condition, Congestion, and Bridges. Met with Program Lead to discuss development of the Data Science program and how current projects align with program outline.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Continue development of PM dashboards. Meet with Program Lead and Communications staff to develop a plan for making the dashboards publicly available online.

# **Transportation Project Analysis Tool Development (2023.022)**

# Qtr 2023.022 Quarter Progress

1Q Consultant has delivered draft of tool and training.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

CMAP will test the tool and consultant will finish their work.

# **Congestion Management Process Update (2023.023)**

# Qtr 2023.023 Quarter Progress

1Q CMAP project manager onboarded. Induced Demand Strategy moved to this project. Literature review and MPO peer scan conducted.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Team will interview key CMAP staff to understand how induced demand is currently understood and addressed in CMAP's processes. Draft recommendations for internal improvements anticipated to be complete by end of Q2 of FY24.

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# **Advanced Emissions Modeling (2024.003)**

# Qtr 2024.003 Quarter Progress

1Q Work will take place in FY25.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Work will take place in FY25.

# 2.32 Transportation Programming

# **Operational Area**

# Conformity of plans and program (2010.040)

# **Qtr** 2010.040 Quarter Progress

1Q Work with IEPA on developing a new MVEB budget continued.
Discussions with IEPA and EPA regarding SIP developed and the impacts on transportation funding also took place as did discussions with LADCO on potential emissions projects. MOVES 4 was released.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Prepare for Conformity Amendments in Oct with approval in Jan. Check TIP projects flagged during carryover for conformity amendment. Continue work with IEPA on a new MVEB, LADCO on emissions projects, and internal staff on MOVES and conformity process.

# eTIP Database Development and Maintenance (2010.044)

#### **Qtr** 2010.044 Quarter Progress

1Q Continued to monitor eTIP database functionality, make corrections to issues that arise, and to prepare for the rollout of new eTIP platform.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Continue to monitor eTIP database functionality and make corrections to issues that arise. Continue to prepare for the rollout of new eTIP platform.

# Council of Mayors Advisory Committee (2019.065)

#### **Qtr** 2019.065 Quarter Progress

1Q Held meeting July 18 and August 15. ADA Planning, CMAQ, CRP, TAP-L and STP Shared Programs recommendations and PART report was shared with the Mayors. Staff continued bi-weekly meetings with PL staff.

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November meeting with mayors. This will include committee approval of PL scope of services for UWP submittal. Continue providing regular CMAP updates to council planning liaisons, committees, and boards.

# **Projects**

# Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) Development and Management (2010.039)

# Qtr 2010.039 Quarter Progress

1Q Regular processing of TIP amendments was completed for Transportation Committee action in July and September. TIP Programmer Resources were updated as needed. Completed end of FFY transition of over 1,900 projects to the 24-00 TIP.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Continue regular processing of TIP amendments for Transportation Committee action in November and December. Review and update TIP Programmer Resources as needed.

# Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) project development and tracking (2010.043)

# Qtr 2010.043 Quarter Progress

1Q Developed marks for the 24-28 TIP. Continued coordination efforts with FHWA, IDOT, counties, and the PLs. Continued to address fiscal constraint issues in the TIP and with implementation of IIJA related activities.

## **Next Quarter Objectives**

Continue to work on fiscal constraint and programming mark issues, specifically for local bridge and NHPP funded projects. Work on fund transfers with IDOT. Finish IDOT manual review.

# 2.33 Research and Innovation

# **Operational Area**

# Census Agency Administrator and Data Coordination (2010.013)

#### Qtr 2010.013 Quarter Progress

1Q Continue to assist requestors with Census needs. Began project outlining change in the region between 2010 and 2020 in preparation for a demographics report.

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Continue to assist requestors with Census needs. Update PUMA files on V Drive. Continue work on demographics report.

# Northeastern Illinois Development Database (NDD / NIDD) Maintenance (2010.018)

# Qtr 2010.018 Quarter Progress

1Q Continued data entry and cleanup. Posted quarterly snapshot to Data Depot. Continued adding polygons to records lacking them. Continued correcting records not meeting current data rules.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Ongoing data entry and cleanup. Post quarterly snapshot to Data Depot. Continue correction of records not meeting new data rules. Train new staff on entry and update tools, assign work.

# Small Area Estimates of Employment Database Maintenance (2010.019)

#### Qtr 2010.019 Quarter Progress

1Q Posted revised 2020 files to Data Depot. Generated and posted 2021 files. Continued processing of 2022 data.

## **Next Quarter Objectives**

Obtain Q1 2023 data from IDES. Work with interns on school/headquarters breakouts. Post draft 2022 estimates.

# **Community Cohort Evaluation Tool (2019.018)**

#### **Qtr** 2019.018 Quarter Progress

1Q Completed update of cohort data and documentation. Memo approved and released.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

No activites planned for Q2 FY2024.

# Internal data library (2020.024)

## **Qtr** 2020.024 Quarter Progress

1Q Continued to update the latest datasets, including updating the Divvy data, DuPage Assessor data acquisition, IDNR data acquisition and updating, and CoStar data. Team also worked to update other out-of-date datasets that were discovered.

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Team will continue to update and acquire datasets as they become available. Additionally, the team will be working to automate much of the data cleaning processes in order to better streamline the project.

# **CMAP Data Hub (2020.025)**

#### **Qtr** 2020.025 Quarter Progress

1Q Transferred ownership prior to PM departure from CMAP. Launched ArcGIS Hub site application at datahub.cmap.illinois.gov. Making corrections as requested while awaiting new PM and data governance framework.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Continue to make corrections as requested. Select and onboard new PM.

# **Developments of Regional Importance (DRI) requests (2020.026)**

# **Qtr** 2020.026 Quarter Progress

1Q No major projects to trigger a DRI review

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Re-evaluate the DRI review process.

# **Land Use Inventory Maintenance (2020.027)**

#### **Qtr** 2020.027 Quarter Progress

1Q Production complete on all counties except Cook (non-residential). QC ongoing in Will and Cook Counties, finished in others.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Continue production in Cook County (non-residential). Complete QC in Will County, continue QC in Cook County. Begin process to redesign LUI process for 2023 inventory.

# Community data snapshots (2020.029)

# Qtr 2020.029 Quarter Progress

1Q New co-manager onboarded to project. Two internal, strategic discussions sessions organized and facilitated. Topics included future directions, and ways final product will be shared with regional stakeholders. Online viz development in progress.

## **Next Quarter Objectives**

Continue coordination with Communications regarding online visualizations developed by consultant. Review and provide feedback. Facilitate "Data Points" strategic discussion. Plan for 2024 release cycle.

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# Bike/pedestrian count database maintenance (2020.030)

#### Qtr 2020.030 Quarter Progress

1Q Obtained access to CDOT Miovision automated counts for up to two years of 24/7 ped and bike count data. Downloaded counts for the first 5 non-holiday weekdays for each month for each of more than 200 locations. Identified database changes necessary.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Complete code for changes necessary to accommodate new Miovision data collection

# **Bikeways Inventory (BIS) Maintenance (2020.031)**

#### Qtr 2020.031 Quarter Progress

1Q Kicked-off the project with a new team. Brainstormed options. Initiated collaboration with Councils of Governments via PLs. Designed and shared municipal survey regarding IDOT's new online system (BFIS).

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Summarize survey results and share with COGs and IDOT. Draft new approach based on responses. Draft "How to Use BFIS" guide for municipal staff.

# Bicycle and Pedestrian Planning Evaluation (BPUI) requests from IDOT (2020.076)

# Qtr 2020.076 Quarter Progress

1Q Staff did not receive any new BPUI requests this quarter.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Project manager will coordinate with IDOT to understand external project value and impact and finalize FY24 research scope.

# Agency-wide GIS working group (2021.001)

#### Qtr 2021.001 Quarter Progress

1Q Shared training information with staff. Ongoing license and content management. Project's goals and potential tasks re-organized. Project management change in effect by the end of September.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

New project manager will lead all activities and report on progress. New team member will be recruited during Fall Project Draft.

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# Regional Socioeconomic Forecast (2021.020)

#### Qtr 2021.020 Quarter Progress

1Q Convened technical advisory group and began reseraching regional context and trends. Focused on integrating migration into code. Finalized forecast assumptions with executive team.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Benchmarking report and presentation to executive team in early August. Conduct further research on migration and convene technical advisory group meeting about integrating migration into code.

# **CMAPplot Maintenance and Augmentation (2022.003)**

#### Qtr 2022.003 Quarter Progress

1Q Identified opportunities for feature improvements.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Continue to improve packages in response to staff feedback.

# Applied Research (2023.029)

#### Qtr 2023.029 Quarter Progress

1Q Continued work on zoning data update and analysis. Completed interviews of agency project managers, principals and program leads to collect potential topic ideas, submitted to Deputy Director for review.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Receive additional executive direction before proceeding.

# **Projects**

# Northeastern Illinois Development Database (NDD / NIDD) Update (2020.073)

#### Qtr 2020.073 Quarter Progress

1Q Revised new database incorporating staff input. Continued development of data entry/update tools. Began development of NDD/UrbanSim coordination tool. Continued work on public-facing web interface.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Continue implementation of data maintenance tools and public interface. Reach out to additional counties for local assistance. Gather local input to inform public interface design.

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# **UrbanSim Land Use Model Utilization (2021.018)**

#### **Qtr** 2021.018 Quarter Progress

1Q Created timeline for local forecast which includes all sub-projects. Meeting regularly with sub-project teams to prepare data and with UrbanSim Inc to address model issues.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Begin addressing household size issue with UrbanSim Inc. By end of quarter: Draft NDD Add Tool. Draft NDD Web Map at end of quarter. Run PopSim. Review zoning data.

# Regional Safety Data Project (2021.077)

#### Qtr 2021.077 Quarter Progress

1Q Jacobs importing waypoint data and have completed the literature review. CMAP completed the safety roadnetwork and shared with Jacobs. Automated Crash Emphasis Area categorization is completed. Progress made on Replica AADT and final crash file.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Continue processing waypoint data. Finalized 6-year crash network with Emphasis Area info. Finalize Replica AADT work. Finalize HIN. Geolocate crashes to segments LRS. Produce crash file for the SS4A consultants.

# 2.41 Policy Development and Analysis

# **Operational Area**

# Regionally significant projects (RSP) support and evaluation (2010.024)

#### **Qtr** 2010.024 Quarter Progress

1Q New project manager onboarded. Policy update presentation given to CMAP Transportation Committee. Research and analysis began for RSP defintion update. Work began to convene a resource group to inform the RSP policy update process.

## **Next Quarter Objectives**

Finalize analysis and convene resource group for defintion update.

# Establishment of Performance Targets and Performance Monitoring (2010.030)

#### Qtr 2010.030 Quarter Progress

1Q Presented safety target strategies to committees. Interns have made progress on congestion and transit dashboards.

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Safety targets to be set in early 2024. Continue to develop dashboards.

# ON TO 2050 indicator and performance monitoring (2010.031)

#### **Qtr** 2010.031 Quarter Progress

1Q Updated project charter for FY24 and moved some responsibilities to Congestion Management Plan (CMP). Continued to update and publish new data as available. Continuing to explore ESRI-based dashboard.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Publish new data as available. Make a decision on which ESRI-based dashboard to transition to and begin work to transition indicators by the end of FY24.

# Financial plan development and implementation (2021.047)

#### **Otr 2021.047 Quarter Progress**

1Q Began scoping for Financial Plan within context of Regional Transportation Plan.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Finalize project charter, conduct project kickoff. Begin consultant procurement process for initial work tasks.

# **Projects**

# **Grade Crossings Feasibility Analysis (2020.082)**

#### Qtr 2020.082 Quarter Progress

1Q Approved IGA with CCDOTH and CMAP. Drafted RFQ, reviewed by CCDOTH, addressing comments by CCDOTH.

## **Next Quarter Objectives**

CMAP review and release of RFQ.

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# 2.42 Legislative Strategy and Engagement

# **Operational Area**

# State legislative analyses, strategy, and engagement (2010.034)

# Qtr 2010.034 Quarter Progress

1Q Staff spent significant time in the region meeting with legislators, county staff and leadership, COGs, and other stakeholders on the PART recommendations. Staff also began refining a strategy for advancing priorities, including RPA funding, next session.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Staff will provide updates on veto session activities and continue to prepare for the 2024 regular session. This includes updating the legislative strategy around CMAP priorities and supporting the launch of the PART report.

# **Projects**

# Federal legislative analyses, strategy, and engagement (2010.032)

# Qtr 2010.032 Quarter Progress

1Q Continued engagement on federal funding opportunities, including IIJA coordination and IRA climate funding approaches. Supported ongoing 290/Blue Line coordination. Participated in visits with FTA and FHWA Administrators.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Prepare for annual NARC legislative visits to DC. Begin planning for district directors event. Continue coordination around federal funding opportunities in IIJA and IRA.

# 2.50 Communications and Outreach

# **Operational Area**

# Engagement support (2010.049)

## Qtr 2010.049 Quarter Progress

1Q The engagement team continued to support and implement communications and engagement strategies for program priorities, and supported other external engagement.

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The engagement team will continue to collaborate across the agency to support external engagement, speakers' bureau, planning priorities.

# CMAP committee support (2019.031)

## Qtr 2019.031 Quarter Progress

1Q Provided support to staff as needed with Legistar, meeting logistics, and meeting content. Held coordination meetings to refine CMAP's vision for committee engagement.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Continue to provide support to staff and hold coordination meetings as needed.

# CMAP Talks webinars (2021.010)

#### **Qtr** 2021.010 Quarter Progress

1Q The engagement team continued to collaborate with other divisions to develop potential webinars, including internal In the Loop discussions with external partners.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

This project will be folded into general external engagement.

# **Projects**

# Future leaders in planning (FLIP) program (2010.005)

#### Qtr 2010.005 Quarter Progress

1Q Program directors provided a program recap and began engagement of students at Lindblom Math and Science Academy.

## **Next Quarter Objectives**

Program directors will begin planning the 2024 program and continue Lindblom engagement project.

# **Communications support (2010.045)**

# Qtr 2010.045 Quarter Progress

1Q Produced, edited, and composed topic-based newsletters, general newsletters, updates, and features related to ON TO 2050 implementation, transportation, climate, and economy focus areas, plus the Plan of Action for Regional Transit (PART).

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Ensure communications adhere to messaging strategies and content guidance.

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# State of the Region event (2021.048)

#### Qtr 2021.048 Quarter Progress

1Q Staff prepared recommendations for a State of the Region in 2025.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Staff will continue to plan a 2025 State of the Region.

# Regional awards program (2021.049)

### Qtr 2021.049 Quarter Progress

1Q Staff determined that the next Regional Excellence Awards will happen in 2025.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Staff will continue to plan the 2025 Regional Excellence Awards, including identifying new jurors.

# Public opinion poll (2021.050)

#### **Qtr** 2021.050 Quarter Progress

1Q Debriefed on State of the Region as a whole (which public opinion poll fits into) and decided to skip survey in FY2024 and possibly move to a biannual cycle.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Revisit public opinion survey in FY2025.

# ON TO 2050 exhibit (2021.051)

#### **Qtr** 2021.051 Quarter Progress

10 Staff installed the exhibit in CMAP's offices for visitors to view.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Staff will continue to explore additional venues and partners for the exhibit.

# Website upgrade (2021.079)

#### **Qtr** 2021.079 Quarter Progress

1Q Developing Community Data Snapshots visualizations. Entire comms team is working on web copy. Working with vendor to establish hosting platform and plan for development site.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Completed staging site and testing. Draft policies and schedule trainings for new web admins. Anticipate new website going live in Q3.

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# 2.61 Finance and Procurement Program

# **Projects**

# Annual Work Plan (2010.011)

# Qtr 2010.011 Quarter Progress

1Q Workplan process began, program managers submitted projects to be continued into FY25 and suggested new projects. Scoping and staffing hour estimates created. Several program manager workshops held.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Continue developing FY25 workplan, refine submitted projects and staff hour allocations.

# Finance and accounting (2010.046)

#### Qtr 2010.046 Quarter Progress

1Q FY23 audit still in progress. Contribution letters being compiled to send out to external partners. Q5/Q6 progress tracked. Grants quarterly reports compiled and submitted.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Finalize FY23 audit. Negotiate indirect rates. Review grant budgets and actuals.

# Enterprise resource planning system (ERP) (2021.044)

## Qtr 2021.044 Quarter Progress

1Q Phase 2 design nearing completion; progress on completing data migration and data migration plan objectives; chart of accounts revision complete and accepted.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Complete data migration and data migration plan objectives; begin user access testing; set up change management plan for CMAP process integration.

# 2.62 Human Resources

# **Operational Area**

# **Benefits Administration (2010.007)**

#### **Qtr** 2010.007 Quarter Progress

1Q Currently conducting informational sessions with benefit providers. Open Enrollment is scheduled for the last two weeks in November. Plan rates will be provided to Executive Director this week.

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Execute Open Enrollment, finalize carrier connections with ADP.

# CMAP Intern and Fellowship Programs (2010.020)

#### Qtr 2010.020 Quarter Progress

1Q Extended a number of internships and became better equiped to address out of state remote work internship extensions.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Formalizing the intern program with a mission statement, program details, and resources for interns. Will issue an exit survey to current and former interns to assess their experience and use the results to further develop the program.

# Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) response coordination (2010.057)

#### Qtr 2010.057 Quarter Progress

1Q CMAP received/responded to 47 external requests for data and 2 FOIA requests.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Continue receiving, reviewing, and responding to requests.

# **Projects**

# Diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) roadmap implementation (2022.032)

## Qtr 2022.032 Quarter Progress

1Q DEI Council and working groups met several times. Roadmap projects kicked off and began work. Facilitation consultant secured and training for plain language procured.

## **Next Quarter Objectives**

Continue regular meetings of the Council and working groups. Scope future Roadmap projects.

# 2.70 Information Technology and Facilities

# **Operational Area**

# Web Infrastructure Management (2010.052)

#### Qtr 2010.052 Quarter Progress

1Q Repointed Data Hub DNS record. Updated VPN SSL certificate.

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Continue to support DNS and SSL certificate infrastructure.

# **Information Security (2010.053)**

#### Qtr 2010.053 Quarter Progress

1Q Completed risk assessment. Presented security analysis results to Deputy Executive Director. Implemented new firewalls.

## **Next Quarter Objectives**

Perform new security analysis project. Setup new authenticator appliances.

# Office Systems Management (2010.054)

# Qtr 2010.054 Quarter Progress

1Q Completed Kendall Room AV upgrade. Worked with AVI to resolve mic issues.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Deploy new micro PCs in small conference rooms.

# **User support (2010.055)**

#### Qtr 2010.055 Quarter Progress

1Q 338 Helpdesk tickets completed. Continued to improve onboarding and separation ticketing.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Complete monitor replacement project for staff. Continue to support staff.

# **Facilities (2010.056)**

## Qtr 2010.056 Quarter Progress

1Q Worked with IT staff to recycle old hard drives and servers. Worked with Executive Office staff in organizing all meetings. Updating onsite storage database.

#### **Next Quarter Objectives**

Working with IT on pricing for potentially buying new copier equipment. Will be working with EO staff on updating offsite storage space. Researching pricing on requested replacement chairs for staff.

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# **Projects**

# Information technology and facilities (2010.048)

# Qtr 2010.048 Quarter Progress

1Q Procured and prepared additional laptops for staff. Completed FY24 software renewals. Procured additional VxRail virtual server nodes.

# **Next Quarter Objectives**

Procure and prepare additional laptops for staff. Implement new VxRail nodes.

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