

## Agenda Item 6.1

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## **MEMORANDUM**

**To:** CMAP Transportation Committee

From: CMAP Staff

Date: September 13, 2019

**Re:** Proposed FFY 2020–2024 STP- Shared Fund program

On September 5, 2019, the Surface Transportation Program (STP) Project Selection Committee (PSC) approved the attached program of 17 projects to be funded over the next five years from the STP-Shared Fund. The program was developed by applying a performance-based selection methodology to the 71 project applications received in response to the call for projects issued in January 2019. The draft program of projects was available for public comment from July 18 through August 16, 2019. More than 500 comments were received regarding the STP-Shared Fund recommended program and the process used to develop the recommendation. The majority of comments (485) were in support of specific projects recommended for funding. A summary of comments and the staff recommendations with regard to those comments is available in this memo provided to the STP PSC for their September 5th meeting. Copies of the individual comments are available on the call for projects web page at https://cmap.is/2019callforprojects.

In addition to the 17 projects recommend for the FFY 2020 – 2024 STP-Shared Fund Active Program, all other projects submitted for consideration that met all eligibility requirements will be included in a contingency program. Project phases in the contingency program may be selected to move into the active program if funds become available, according to the Active Program Management policies enacted by the STP PSC.

The recommended program has been incorporated into TIP Amendment 20-21.1. Staff requests that the Transportation Committee recommend approval of the proposed program and TIP Amendment 20-21.1 to the CMAP Board and MPO Policy Committee.

**ACTION REQUESTED: Approval**