FFYs 2019-23 TIP Development Update

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Agenda

➢ **TIP Schedule:** where are we and how did we get here?

➢ Recap of Proposed Evaluation Updates

➢ Initial Evaluation Results

➢ Next Steps

✓ **Deadline**: Municipalities Identify New TIP Contacts	Oct 2
✓ **Deadline**: Municipalities review and confirm their projects in universe	Nov 30 – Dec 7
✓ **Deadline**: Municipalities submit project information (FDRs); MPO staff start project scoring	Dec 14
✓ Quarterly MassDOT Project Review Committee (PRC) Meeting	Mid-Dec
✓ MPO Staff complete initial project evaluations	By Feb 1
✓ **Key MPO Meeting:** Present initial evaluation results for new and previously scored roadway projects	Feb 1
✓ **Deadline**: Municipalities Submit Feedback on Project Evaluations	Feb 2 – Feb 9
✓ MPO Staff post revised evaluation scores and initial list of top projects being considered for TIP funding in FFYs 2019–23 ("First-Tier" list)	Feb 13
✓ TIP Readiness Meeting with MassDOT	Feb 14
✓ **Key MPO Meeting:** MPO discusses any revisions to project scores and list of top projects ("First-Tier" list)	Feb 15
✓ **Key MPO Meetings:** MPO Discusses Staff Recommendation for Project Programming	Mar 1, 15
✓ MPO Releases Draft FFYs 2019–23 TIP for public review and comment	April

FFYs 2019 – 2023 TIP Evaluation Criteria

Proposed Updates

What were the goals?	What did we do?
Create **repeatable** methodology	Worked with MPO staff and MassDOT to clarify how criteria should be applied
Define **all data** needs and sources	Connected each criteria to data source(s)
Clarify what we need from project proponents	Created project proponent guide and questionnaire
Simplify and organize our internal project database	Developing reorganized internal TIP database
Clearly communicate project scoring through online TIP database	Developing reorganized online TIP database

What are the proposed changes?

➢ **Equity**

✓ Align MPO measures of equity with Federal guidance

✓ eliminate minimum population requirement

➢ **Safety**

✓ Align MPO measures of safety with the Commonwealth's average crash rates

✓ Create meaningful way to understand an area of above-average safety concern for the region

What are the results?

➢ **Repeatable** methodology with clearly defined data needs and sources

➢ **Clear and Transparent** process

➢ Minor change in some project scores

Questions?