

# **ARC FY 2024-2027 Transportation Improvement Program and 2050 Metropolitan Transportation Plan, Amendment #5 Public Review**

**September 24, 2025 to October 23, 2025**

The Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) is the mechanism by which federal, state and local funds are approved for all significant surface transportation projects and programs in the region. The FY 2024-2027 TIP comprises the first four years of the 2050 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP) for the Atlanta region, both of which were adopted in February 2024. As the federally recognized Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for the 19-county region, ARC is responsible for developing and amending/updating the TIP and MTP to meet federal planning requirements and address local needs.

The purpose of amendment #5 to the FY 2024-2027 TIP and MTP is to facilitate the following:

- Advancement project phases from federal recognized Long Range years to TIP years (between FY 2024-2027)
- Project phase change from a local or state fund source to a federal fund source
- Addition of new projects that are either considered exempt or non-exempt from air quality conformity analysis
- Deletion of federal funded projects exempt from air quality analysis
- Adjustments to the travel demand model which includes changes to project network model years or termini points of conformity projects
- Project cost estimate and programmatic changes that are of a time sensitive nature or cannot be handled administratively.

An amendment to the TIP and MTP requires a public comment and review period. An email was sent to ARC's interested parties distribution list indicating that the TIP/MTP amendment was open for public review. Details regarding the amendment project list, process, and timeline were posted on ARC's website and advertised within the South Fulton Neighbor publication. Presentations on the amendment were delivered at ARC's Transportation Coordinating Committee (TCC), Transportation and Air Quality Committee (TAQC) and Board meetings.

The public comment period opened on September 24, 2025 and closed on October 23, 2025, with a public hearing scheduled before the TCC meeting at ARC on October 8, 2025.

No written comments were submitted via the PublicInput portal during the public comment period. No verbal comments were submitted at the October 8<sup>th</sup> public hearing.

This document is being shared with TCC and TAQC members as well as all appropriate regional planning partners. Additionally, this document will be posted at the ARC amendment webpage, found at [www.atlantaregional.org/amendment](http://www.atlantaregional.org/amendment).