



November 30, 2005

To: Metropolitan Policy Committee

From: Paul Thompson

Subject: Item 4.b: Amendment to Central Lane MPO FY05-07 Metropolitan
Transportation Improvement Program (MTIP)

Action Recommended: Approve Resolution 2005-14 adopting an amendment to the
FY05-07 MTIP.

Discussion

On December 8, 2005 MPC will be asked to approve Resolution 2005-14 to enact an amendment to the MTIP. This amendment is summarized below. Attachment 1 to this memo presents the Resolution. Staff will be available at the December 8th meeting to answer questions regarding the amendment if needed. Additional information on the amendment is posted to <http://www.lcog.org/meetings/mpc.html>.

The MPO's Transportation Planning Committee (TPC) has reviewed this MTIP amendment, and voted unanimously on November 28, 2005 to recommend that MPC adopt the amendment to the FY05-07 MTIP.

Amendment 2005-64 to FY05-07 MTIP:

LTD is requesting an amendment to the FY05-07 MTIP to add a new project, "LTD Buses". This project will purchase replacement buses in FY06 and FY07 using funding authorized by the FY06-09 SAFETEA-LU transportation bill. The total federal cost is \$1.403 million with LTD match of \$351,000 for a total FY06-FY07 cost of \$1.754 million.

LTD must order the buses by the end of 2005 for delivery in 2006 in order to start operation of the Franklin EmX and other associated service changes in the fall of 2006. These vehicles are essential for the EmX and fall service needs. FTA requires that the project be listed in the current MTIP before purchases are made.

Staff Recommendation

Staff recommends approval of Resolution 2005-14 (Attachment 1), adopting MTIP Amendment #2005-64 as summarized above.

Attachments:

Attachment 1 – Resolution 2005-14