



## Capitol Region Council of Governments

**CRCOG always welcomes comments on any of its transportation planning programs. You may send comments to us by any of the means listed below:**

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**Fax: 860-724-1274**

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Hartford, CT  
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Written comments on the TIP should be submitted by January 23, 2012 to be considered by the Policy Board before they make their decision on January 25, 2012.

**The State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP)** is also available for review. This list of all federally funded surface transportation projects to be undertaken in the State over the next four years is available from CRCOG. Send written comments on the STIP to: Maribeth Wojenski, Transportation Assistant Planning Director, ConnDOT, P.O. Box 317546, Newington, CT 06131-7546 by January 14, 2012.

### **CRCOG's Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)**

One of the most important programs undertaken by CRCOG is the management of the Transportation Improvement Program, or TIP.

The TIP is the list of federally funded surface transportation projects that will be undertaken in the Capitol Region over the next four years. Projects are listed by funding source, such as transit operating, highway management, or congestion management/air quality; and by year. The cost of the project is identified and the amount of State and local funds required to match the federal funds is also listed.

The State Department of Transportation (ConnDOT) is required to consult with and seek the approval of CRCOG before any federal funds can be expended on transportation projects in the Region. The FFY 2012-2015 TIP is now being considered for approval by both CRCOG and ConnDOT.

Copies of the draft FFY 2012-2015 TIP are available by calling CRCOG at 860-522-2217, x210, or by accessing CRCOG's website: [www.crcog.org](http://www.crcog.org)

Look for the link under **WHAT'S NEW AT CRCOG?**

A public information meeting on the TIP will be held

January 23, 2012  
11:00 a.m.  
CRRA Recycling Center  
211 Murphy Road  
Hartford, CT

Your comments are welcome, either at this meeting, at the Transportation Committee meeting, the Policy Board meeting (details listed on the next page), or by phone, fax, regular mail, or email. Contact information is listed on the back page of this flyer.

See inside for instructions on how to read the TIP project listings.



# How to Read

# the Project Listings

## More Information:

The draft Capitol Region TIP and the draft State TIP are available on CRCOG's website. You can also ask for a copy to be mailed to you by calling us at 860-522-2217, x210.

Opportunities for public comment include:

All meetings at CRRA Recycling Center, 211 Murphy Road, Hartford, CT

Public Information meeting: January 23, 11:00 a.m.

Transportation Committee meeting: January 23, 12 noon.

Policy Board meeting: January 23, 12 noon.

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<b>Program</b>	Name of the federal program that will be used to fund the project.
<b>Proj</b>	State project number assigned to the project.
<b>Route</b>	Project location: name of the road or the State route number. (This does not apply to transit projects or region-wide projects)
<b>Town</b>	Project location: name of the town or area (Some projects are multi-town or even statewide.)
<b>Description</b>	Brief description of the project.
<b>Phase</b>	Which phase of the project is being funded. <b>PE</b> = design/engineering <b>ROW</b> = rights-of-way acquisition <b>C</b> = construction <b>All</b> = all phases <b>ACQ</b> = acquisition of capital equipment <b>OTH</b> = other (usually transit operating assistance)
<b>Total \$</b>	Total cost of phase being funded. (federal share + State share + local share)
<b>Federal \$</b>	Federal share of phase being funded.
<b>State \$</b>	State share of phase being funded.
<b>Local \$</b>	Local or town share of phase being funded.
<b>Year</b>	Year in which federal funds are scheduled to be committed or "obligated" to the project. 12 = federal fiscal year 2012 (Oct. 1, 2011 - Sept. 30, 2012) 13 = federal fiscal year 2013 (Oct. 1, 2012 - Sept. 30, 2013) 14 = federal fiscal year 2014 (Oct. 1, 2013 - Sept. 30, 2014) 15 = federal fiscal year 2015 (Oct. 1, 2014 - Sept. 30, 2015) FYI = for information purposes only (after Sept. 30, 2015)
<b>Comments</b>	Any special comments about the project. For example, "NEW" means that this is the first time the project (any phase) has appeared in the TIP.

**INFORMATION AND PROJECT LIST AVAILABLE AT [WWW.CRCOG.ORG](http://WWW.CRCOG.ORG) UNDER "WHAT'S NEW?"**