

**LAREDO URBAN TRANSPORTATION STUDY
ACTION ITEM**

DATE: 4-8-11	SUBJECT: MOTION Receive public testimony and approve a motion initiating a ten-day public review and comment period for the proposed amendment of the 2011-2014 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). TIP11-14/REV 02	
INITIATED BY: Staff		STAFF SOURCE: Melissa Montemayor., TxDOT District Advanced Transportation Planning Director
PREVIOUS ACTION: The MPO Policy Committee approved resolution MPO No. 2010-04 on June 25, 2010 adopting the 2011-2014 Transportation Improvement Program. Subsequently amended on 12-1-10.		
<p>BACKGROUND: The Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act (ISTEA) of 1991, the Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century (TEA-21), and the Safe, Accountable, Flexible, and Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users (SAFETEA-LU) of 2005 requires that Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPOs) in cooperation with the State and affected transit operators develop Transportation Improvement Programs (TIP) for their planning areas. These Transportation Improvement Programs then become part of the State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP). Selection for projects involving Federal participation is carried out by the State in cooperation with the MPO. The program will include a project, or an identified phase of a project, only if full funding can reasonably be anticipated to be available within the time period that is contemplated for completion of the project.</p> <p>MOBILITY</p> <p>The proposed amendment seeks to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Remove – Cuatro Vientos Connector at Pita Mangana (CSJ 0922-33-136) – \$185,550 • Remove – Cuatro Vientos Connector at Sierra Vista (CSJ 0922-33-137) – \$223, 365 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Note funding associated with these projects was reallocated among the remaining three connector projects: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cielito Lindo (CSJ 0922-33-133) \$1,453,488 ▪ Los Presidentes (CSJ 0922-33-134) \$224,520 ▪ Southgate (CSJ 0922-33-135) \$1,628,941 <p>TRANSIT</p> <p>Transit project are not proposed for revision at this time.</p>		
COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION: Approval.		STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Approval.