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DVRPC Approves \$1.1 Billion in Transportation Funding For Montgomery County

Norristown, PA (July 24, 2014) – Up to \$1.1 billion in transportation-related projects in Montgomery County were part of the four-year Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and the 12-year capital program approved by the Delaware Valley Regional Planning Commission (DVRPC) on Thursday.

“Today’s action heralds one of the most ambitious and exciting periods of transportation infrastructure improvement in southeastern Pennsylvania and Montgomery County in our history,” said Montgomery County Commissioner Leslie Richards, who is also a county representative on both the DVRPC and SEPTA boards. “There literally is not a corner of Montgomery County that won’t be positively influenced by this influx of sorely needed transportation funds.”

For FYs 2015 to 2026, southeastern Pennsylvania’s five-county region expects to receive almost \$8 billion in highway funding and \$7.1 billion in transit funding. Over this period, highway projects in Montgomery County stand to receive \$1.1 billion with \$403 million in the first four-years.

Two of the largest highway projects expected to receive funds are the Route 202 reconstruction and widening between Norristown and Montgomeryville, and the replacement of the Route 422 bridge over the Schuylkill River near Valley Forge.

Transit improvements include parking garages at Lansdale, Noble, Conshohocken, and Ardmore stations of the regional rail system. Surface lot expansions are slated for train stations in North Wales, Gwynedd Valley, and Philmont. Rail station improvements include the Norristown Transportation Center, Hatboro, Jenkintown, Roslyn, and Willow Grove. Other transit improvements include significant track and bridge work, new rail cars, and service frequency improvements on the Manayunk/Norristown line and the West Trenton line.

The list includes state and federally-funded projects; regionally significant projects that are not federally-funded; public transportation projects; bicycle and pedestrian improvements; and, freight-related improvements.

The projects on the TIP are agreed to by a consensus of state, county, and regional officials who concur that these projects are the most critical near-term improvements that should be pursued.

The list is fiscally-constrained, which means the total cost of the projects cannot exceed the amount of money the region expects to receive in the 12-year time frame.

Here is a complete list of the 12-year project listings:

FY2015-2026 TIP/TWELVE-YEAR PROJECT LISTING

MPMS PROJECT TITLE/DESCRIPTION

14698 US 422 Roadway reconstruction (M2B).
16150 Tookany Cr. Pkwy. over Tookany Cr.
16214 PA 611 over SEPTA; replace state bridge.
16216 Pennswood Rd. over Amtrak; replace local bridge.
16239 New Hanover Sq. Rd. over Swamp Cr.; replace state bridge.
16248 Union Ave. over rail; replace local bridge.
16334 PA 73 at Greenwood Ave.; improve intersection.
16396 Church Rd. over NHSL; replace bridge.
16400 Arcola Rd. over Perkiomen Cr.; replace county bridge.
16408 Fruitville Rd. over Perkiomen Cr.; replace county bridge.
16484 Edge Hill Rd. over PA 611; replace state bridge.
16577 Ridge Pk. reconstruct, widen & upgrade signals Butler Pk. to Phila.
16599 PA 320 reconstruct & widen btw Arden & U. Gulph Rds.
16610 Ashmead Rd. over Tookany Cr.; replace local bridge.
16658 Old Forty Ft. Rd. over Skippack Cr.; replace state bridge.
16705 Chester Valley Trail Ext. between S. Gulph Rd. & NTC.
16726 Warminster Rd. over Pennypack Cr. replace state bridge.
16738 US 422 Roadway reconstruction (M1B).
16741 PA 663 at Swamp Pk.; widen for left turn lanes.
17511 City Ave. over SEPTA; replace state bridge.
48172 PA 23 Moore Rd. to Allendale Rd. & Trout Cr.
48174 PA 63 at PA 152 & Norristown Rd.; improve intersections.
48175 Ridge Pike, reconstruct roadway, Carland Rd. to Regal Plaza Dr.
48186 Pottstown Area Signal System Upgrade (45 intersections).
48187 S. Henderson & S. Gulph Rds. Widening.
50634 County Line Rd. Restoration (3R), 3-lane cross section Kulp Rd. to PA 611.
50646 PA 63 over Unami, Perkiomen Creeks replace three state bridges.
57849 PA 29 over railroad; remove state bridge.
57851 Plank/Otts/Meyers/Seitz Rds. intersection improvements.
57865 Edge Hill Rd.; reconstruct Edge Hill Rd., Tyson Ave. & provide sidewalks, drainage.
60540 Gwynedd Valley station improvements, expand parking; new signage, lights, landscaping, stormwater controls..
60540 Lansdale Station Parking Garage, construct new parking garage adjacent to station..
60540 Noble station improvements, high-level platforms; construct parking garage..
60540 North Wales Station Improvements, expand parking; provide signage, lights, landscaping, stormwater controls..
60540 Philmont Station Improvements, expand parking; provide signage, lights, landscaping, stormwater controls..
63486 US 202 Sec 61S, Johnson Hwy. to Twp. Line Rd., reconstruct, widen to 4 lanes.

63490 US 202 Sec 61N, Twp. Line Rd. to Morris Rd., reconstruct, widen to 5 lanes.
 63491 US 202 Sec 65S, Morris Rd. to Swedesford Rd. reconstruct, widen to 5 lanes.
 63493 PA 309 at Five-Points intersection, improve.
 64220 US 422 roadway reconstruction (M03).
 64779 County Line Rd. Widening, Stump to Lower State Rds.
 64795 Belmont Ave., widen 2,400' of Belmont Ave., Rock Hill Rd., int., & replace RR overpass.
 64798 N. Narberth Ave. over SEPTA Replacement of local bridge.
 66952 PA 23 & N. Gulph Rd. Relocate & widen N. Gulph Rd.
 70197 US 422 New Exwy. Bridge at Betzwood.
 72355 Valley Green Rd. over Wissahickon Cr., replace county bridge.
 73214 Ardmore Transit Center, high-level platforms, ADA, lighting, shelters, signs, paving.
 74813 Ambler Pedestrian Sidewalk Improvements.
 74815 Upper Gwynedd curb & sidewalk reconstruction.
 74817 PA 263 Hatboro Corridor safety improvements.
 74937 Whitemarsh Township Improvements; new curb, bumpouts, ADA ramps, ped x-ings.
 77183 Conshohocken station improvements, high-level platforms; construct parking garage.

 77183 Modernize Hatboro station, improve accessibility.
 77183 Jenkintown station, improve station building; high-level platforms, ADA accessibility.
 77183 Roslyn Station Improvements, modernize station; provide improved accessibility.
 77183 Willow Grove Station Improvements; to station building, high-level platforms, ADA accessibility.
 77211 PA 309 Connector (Ph. 2), new road from Allentown Rd. to Cowpath Rd.;
 78736 E. King St. over Manatawny Cr., replace state bridge.
 79864 Lafayette St. Ext., Barbadoes St. to Ford St.
 80021 US 202 Sec 510 Markley St. reconstruction & new signals
 80052 Fetters Mill Rd. over Pennypack Cr. replace county bridge.
 80053 Knight Rd. over Green Lane Reservoir, replace county bridge.
 80093 I-76 Regional Travel Information ITS elements along Schuylkill Exwy.
 83643 PA 152 over SEPTA, replace state bridge.
 83742 Keim St. over Schuylkill River replace county bridge.
 84308 US 422 "S" Curve, reconstruct exwy. on existing, new alignments.
 86336 Congo Rd. over Middle Cr.; replace local bridge.
 86924 US 422 Resurfacing (PM2) Paving & rehab six miles btw Linfield & Royersford.
 87097 Pottstown Borough Pedestrian Improvements; sidewalk rehab.
 87099 Upper Gwynedd Twp. Pedestrian Improvements.
 87392 Lafayette St. Ext., local roads, Ridge Pk., Diamond Ave.
 90099 I-76 (Schuylkill Exwy.) over Righters Ferry Rd., replace state bridge.
 90100 I-76 (Schuylkill Exwy.) over Waverly Rd., replace state bridge.
 91571 I-76 (Schuylkill Exwy.) over Mill Rd., Mill Crk., replace state bridge.
 92807 Skippack Pk. over Skippack Cr., replace state bridge.
 92839 Ridge Pk. bridge replacement and widen over rail.
 96218 Fayette St. Signal Interconnection Proj., Elm St. to 11th Ave.
 96220 Lower Salford Signal Improvements along Main St. & Harleysville Pk.
 97993 Franconia Township Traffic Control Design, at Allentown Rd. & Lower Rd.
 97995 Lower Merion Township Signals at five intersections along St. Asaphs Rd.
 97996 Upper Merion Township Signals along S. Gulph Rd. at Crooked Ln. & Gypsy Ln.
 97998 Lansdale Borough Signal Upgrade at ten intersections along Main St. & Broad. St.
 98007 Upper Dublin Township Safety Improvements at PA 152 & Dillon Rd./Meetinghouse Rd.
 98225 Butler Pk over Prophecy Cr. replace local bridge.
 98226 Maple Ave. over Neshaminy Cr. replace local bridge.
 98227 Allendale Rd. over Abrams Run replace local bridge.
 98228 Store Rd. over Skippack Creek replace local bridge.
 102273 Second Collegeville Bridge Crossing.
 102298 Towamencin Twp. Signal Upgrade along Sumneytown Pk., Valley Forge Rd., Allentown Rd., Forty Foot Rd.