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Notice of Comment Period and Public Hearing Rockingham Planning Commission 2011-2014 TIP Amendment #3

The FY 2011-2014 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) is a prioritized list of federal and state funded regional transportation projects developed by NH DOT and representatives from the communities of the Rockingham Planning Commission (RPC) region. The RPC announces its intent to amend the TIP to account for project changes and to maintain consistency with the State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP). The project specific changes to the TIP, the supporting documentation, and the most recent Air Quality Conformity Analysis, can be found on the Rockingham Planning Commission website at <http://www.rpc-nh.org>.

The RPC, in consultation with NH DOT, NH DES, US EPA, FHWA, FTA and the other NH MPO's, has confirmed that the revisions do not trigger a new conformity determination for the Southeast New Hampshire Non-attainment Area. Therefore, the Air Quality Conformity Analysis prepared and approved by the RPC in June, 2011, continues to be valid.

A 30-day public comment period for the Amendments begins Friday, September 9, 2011 and concludes on Monday, October 10th, 2011. A public hearing to consider the changes and any received comments is scheduled for **Wednesday October 12th, 2011, beginning at 7:00 PM** at the Town Hall in North Hampton (233 Atlantic Avenue). The Planning Commission will meet after the public hearing to adopt the changes to the TIP.

Copies of all documents, are available at the RPC offices, on the website at <http://www.rpc-nh.org>, and will be sent to interested parties by request. Written comments will also be accepted through October 10th, 2011 and may be addressed to:

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For more information please contact David Walker at Rockingham Planning Commission at (603) 778-0885.

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