

**LAKE CHARLES, LOUISIANA URBANIZED AREA  
METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION (MPO)  
TRANSPORTATION POLICY COMMITTEE**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2023-24-08**

**APPROVING AND ADOPTING AMENDMENT NO. 10 (AGGREGATE RECORD NUMBER 15) TO  
THE LAKE CHARLES MPO 2023-2026 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP)**

**WHEREAS**, the Southwest Louisiana Regional Planning Commission (SWLA-RPC) is the designated Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for the Lake Charles Urbanized Area, charged with overall responsibility for managing the four (4) year Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for the Lake Charles MPO Study Area; **AND**

**WHEREAS**, the Transportation Policy Committee of the Lake Charles, Louisiana Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) approved and adopted the 2023-2026 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) on September 26, 2022; **AND**

**WHEREAS**, changes and modifications are required from time to time affecting the scope, design, funding and/or timeline for improvements identified in the current TIP; **AND**

**WHEREAS**, it is the responsibility of the Transportation Policy Committee (TPC) to receive, review, and act on proposed changes and modifications to the TIP submitted for consideration; **AND**

**WHEREAS**, the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development (LaDOTD) has submitted Amendment No. 10 (Aggregate Record No. 15) for Project H.003931 CALCASIEU RIVER BRIDGE (HBI) to ADD Environmental Phase \$15 million in State Cash in Federal Fiscal Year 2024 and ADD Right-of-Way Phase \$25 million in State Cash in Federal Fiscal Year 2024; **AND**

**WHEREAS**, the MPO Transportation Technical Advisory Committee has reviewed the proposed TIP Amendment No. 10 and recommended approval to the MPO Transportation Policy Committee; **AND**

**WHEREAS**, the Transportation Policy Committee has received and reviewed recommendations of the Technical Advisory Committee to approve TIP Amendment No.10;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION TRANSPORTATION POLICY COMMITTEE FOR THE LAKE CHARLES URBAN AREA, THE APPROVAL AND ADOPTION OF AMENDMENT NO. 10 TO THE LAKE CHARLES MPO 2023-2026 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP) AS FOLLOWS:**


Amendment No. 10 (Aggregate Record No. 15) for Project H.003931 CALACSIEU RIVER BRIDGE (HBI) as follows:

ADD: Environmental Phase \$15 million in State Cash in Federal Fiscal Year 2024.

ADD: Right-of-Way Phase \$25 million in State Cash in Federal Fiscal Year 2024,

**THIS RESOLUTION BEING VOTED ON AND ADOPTED THIS 28<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF NOVEMBER 2023.**

ATTEST:

  
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Michael Hollier  
Executive/MPO Director

  
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Mayor Nic Hunter, Chairman  
Transportation Policy Committee