

Memo

To: Whatcom Transportation Policy Board

From: Lethal Coe, Principal Planner

Date: March 4, 2025

Subject: WCOG 2025 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) Amendments

Amendment #2 (25-03) of the *WCOG 2025 Transportation Improvement Program* (TIP) includes the following:

1. Add WSDOT project *I-5 SB Nooksack River to Blaine – Paving* to resurface and preserve Interstate 5. Construction is federally funded through National Highway Preservation Program (NHPP) and state Motor Vehicle Account (MVA) and is scheduled for 2025.

Formal TIP Amendments require review and resolution from the Policy Board to amend the current TIP and make federal funding accessible.

Suggested Policy Board Action

Approve Amendment #2 of the Whatcom Council of Governments 2025 Transportation Improvement Program.

WCOG TIP Amendment #2 (25-03) Table

#	Agency	Project Title	Amended TIP	Added	Total Cost	Source
			Action	Funds		
1	WSDOT	I-5 SB Nooksack River to	Add project –	9,174,472	10,210,572	NHPP,
		Blaine – Paving	construction phase			MVA

Recent or Upcoming Administrative Modifications - Administrative modifications are less substantial project changes and are administered by WCOG staff. <u>No Policy Board Actions are required.</u>

Agency	Project	Modification Administered	Total Costs	Source
Everson	Blair Drive Improvements	Increase funding for right-of- way phase	\$2.42 mil	STBG(R)