



MEMORANDUM

To: Whatcom Transportation Policy Board
From: Lethal Coe, Senior Planner
Date: June 25, 2021
Subject: WCOG 2021 TIP Amendment

Amendment #3 (21-07) of the WCOG 2021 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) includes the following:

1. Add new Whatcom Transportation Authority (WTA) project *Purchase Electric Buses and Infrastructure* for the purchase of two electric buses and related infrastructure. This project is funded through Washington State Public Transportation – Green Transportation Capital Grants.

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

Suggested motion:

“Approve Amendment #3 for the Whatcom Council of Governments 2021 Transportation Improvement Program.”

TIP Amendment #3 (21-07) Table

#	Agency	Project Title	Amended Action	Added Funds	Total Cost	Source
1	WTA	<i>Purchase Electric Buses and Infrastructure</i>	Add new project	2,616,438	2,616,438	State funded

No Policy Board Action Required for the following Administrative Modifications

Recent Administrative Modifications - administrative modifications are less substantial project changes and are administered by WCOG staff.

(All Pending Policy Board Action)

Agency	Project	Modification Administered	Total Costs	Federal Source
WTA	<i>Replace Fixed Route Diesel Buses-2021</i>	Reduce bus purchase from 9 to 7 and reduce funding	4,294,021	5307
WTA	<i>Replace Paratransit Mini Buses</i>	Reduce bus purchase from 14 to 12 and adjust funding source from 5307 to 5310	1,927,255	5310