

Board of Directors

Meeting date: February 18, 2026

Agenda Item #: 13

Fiscal Year 2029-2032 Transportation Improvement Program Kick-off

Agenda item type: Informational briefing

Summary

Discussion regarding the anticipated development schedule for the new Fiscal Year 2029-2032 Transportation Improvement Program, or TIP, and kick-off to amend the existing TIP policy document.

Background

The next four-year TIP will cover federal Fiscal Years 2029-2032. The TIP identifies all federal- and state-funded transportation projects, and regionally significant projects regardless of funding source, in the Denver region over a four-year period. Projects are selected through a cooperative process, considering submittals from local governments, the Colorado Department of Transportation, or CDOT, the Regional Transportation District, or RTD, and other eligible agencies. DRCOG, through the Board of Directors, approves the process and criteria for awarding DRCOG-directed state and federal funds to projects in the TIP, which allows the region to implement its transportation priorities set by the Regional Transportation Plan, or RTP.

Anticipated TIP development schedule

The development of the Fiscal Year 2029-2032 TIP is anticipated to last until Fall 2028 and consists of the following major elements outlined below. Attachment 1 outlines the anticipated schedule in more detail, including estimated discussions and actions by TAC, a newly formed TIP subcommittee, RTC, DRCOG Board and transportation forums. All dates are approximate and are subject to change.

- TAC and newly formed TIP subcommittee discussions, with RTC and Board discussions at particular points, to amend the existing [Policies for TIP Program Development](#) document: through January 2027.
- Calls for Projects:
 - Regional Share: February to August 2027.
 - Subregional Share: August 2027 to March 2028.
- TIP document development, public hearing and adoption: January to August 2028.

Action by others

None

Previous discussion/action

None

Recommendation

None.

Attachment

Fiscal Year 2029-2032 TIP Development Schedule.



For more information

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