

**RESOLUTION OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE JOHNSON CITY METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION
PLANNING ORGANIZATION (MTPO) TO AMEND**

**THE 2017-2020 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP) TO ADD THE CONSTRUCTION
PHASE TO THE STATE ROUTE 91 EXTENSION AND I-26 EXIT 17 PROJECTS**

WHEREAS, Johnson City Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization (MTPO) is responsible for programming of funds for Transportation Purposes; and

WHEREAS, it is the responsibility of the Johnson City MTPO to program these funds for transportation projects in the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP); and

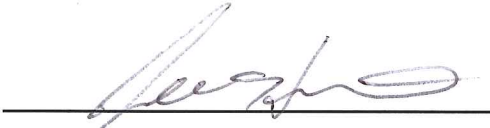
WHEREAS, the IMPROVE Act has provided state funding to move forward the construction phases for the State Route 91 and Interstate 26 Exit 17 projects; and

WHEREAS, no local highway and transit projects are eligible for Federal funds until they are programmed in the TIP; and

WHEREAS, the Johnson City MTPO has involved the public and interested stakeholders in accordance with the Public Participation Plan, which requires a public review and comment period of 14 calendar days and a public hearing; and

WHEREAS, these two highway projects are vital in order to maintain the system preservation of the I-26 and State Route 91 corridors; and

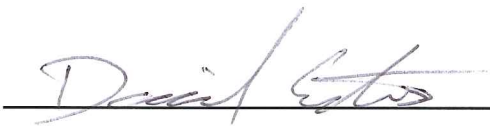
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Executive Board of the Johnson City Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization does hereby amend the 2017 – 2020 Transportation Improvement Program to add the construction phase to the State Route 91 Extension and I-26 Exit 17 projects.



MTPO Executive Board, Chairperson

8-23-2018

Date



MTPO Executive Staff, Chairperson

8/23/18

Date