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Bend MPO Transportation Project Amendments - Public Comment Period

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BMPO Notice of Metropolitan Transportation Improvement Program (MTIP) Amendment

21-Day Public Comment Period Open Until March 7, 2024

The [Bend Metropolitan Planning Organization \(MPO\) Policy Board](#) will consider approval of three amendments to the MTIP at their next meeting, on March 15, 2024, at 12:00 p.m. Public comments can be submitted via email for the next three weeks to kkennedy@bendoregon.gov, or during Public Comment at the hybrid (in-person/online) Bend MPO Policy Board meeting.

In-person meeting information, including a Zoom link to attend online, will be posted to the [Bend MPO Policy Board webpage](#) one week prior to the meeting date.

Summary of Amendment

PROJECT KEY NUMBER	PROJECT NAME & DESCRIPTION	PROPOSED PROJECT TOTAL	CHANGES
23607	Low or No Emissions Vehicle Purchases (COIC). Purchase vehicles and related equipment, including technological changes or	\$226,100	Add new transit project.

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	innovations to modify low or no-emissions vehicles or facilities.		
23592	Bus & Bus Facilities (SM urban COIC FFY21). Purchase buses for public transit in small urban areas.	\$461,208	Add new transit project.
21756	US20: Central Oregon Hwy Culverts Corridor. Design, right of way acquisition, and utility relocation for a future culvert replacement and repair addressing 12 poor and critical culverts to provide functioning culverts on US20 in the future.	\$1,412,916	Add construction phase to project for federal fiscal year 2024 with \$1M in Fix-it SW Culvert funds.

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