OLD COLONY METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION (MPO)

FFY 2019-2023
OLD COLONY
TRANSPORTATION
IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM
(TIP) AMENDMENT 1

- RELEASED BY THE OLD COLONY MPO ON JANUARY 15, 2019 FOR A 21-DAY PUBLIC REVIEW AND COMMENT PERIOD

PREPARED IN COOPERATION WITH:
- BROCKTON AREA TRANSIT AUTHORITY (BAT)
- FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION (FHWA)
- FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION (FTA)
- MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (MASSDOT)

PREPARED BY:
OLD COLONY PLANNING COUNCIL
70 SCHOOL STREET
BROCKTON, MASSACHUSETTS
UNDER MASSDOT CONTRACT 88826
Notice of Nondiscrimination Rights and Protections to Beneficiaries

Federal “Title VI/Nondiscrimination” Protections

The Old Colony Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) operates its programs, services, and activities in compliance with federal nondiscrimination laws including Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (Title VI), the Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987, and related statutes and regulations. Title VI prohibits discrimination in federally assisted programs and requires that no person in the United States of America shall, on the grounds of race, color, or national origin (including limited English proficiency), be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity receiving federal assistance. Related federal nondiscrimination laws administered by the Federal Highway Administration, the Federal Transit Administration, or both prohibit discrimination on the basis of age, sex, and disability. These protected categories are contemplated within the Old Colony MPO’s Title VI Programs consistent with federal interpretation and administration. Additionally, the Old Colony MPO provides meaningful access to its programs, services, and activities to individuals with limited English proficiency, in compliance with US Department of Transportation policy and guidance on federal Executive Order 13166.

State Nondiscrimination Protections

The Old Colony MPO also complies with the Massachusetts Public Accommodation Law, M.G.L. c 272 §§ 92a, 98, 98a, prohibiting making any distinction, discrimination, or restriction in admission to or treatment in a place of public accommodation based on race, color, religious creed, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, disability, or ancestry. Likewise, the Old Colony MPO complies with the Governor’s Executive Order 526, section 4 requiring all programs, activities, and services provided, performed, licensed, chartered, funded, regulated, or contracted for by the state shall be conducted without unlawful discrimination based on race, color, age, gender, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, religion, creed, ancestry, national origin, disability, veteran’s status (including Vietnam-era veterans), or background.

Additional Information

To request additional information regarding Title VI and related federal and state nondiscrimination obligations, please contact:

Old Colony Planning Council  
Title VI/ Nondiscrimination Coordinator  
Pat Ciaramella  
70 School Street  
Brockton, MA 02301  
508-583-1833 Extension 202  
pciaramella@ocpcrpa.org
Complaint Filing

To file a complaint alleging a violation of Title VI or related federal nondiscrimination law, contact the Title VI Specialist (above) within 180 days of the alleged discriminatory conduct.

To file a complaint alleging a violation of the state’s Public Accommodation Law, contact the Massachusetts Commission Against Discrimination within 300 days of the alleged discriminatory conduct at:

Massachusetts Commission Against Discrimination (MCAD)
One Ashburton Place, 6th Floor
Boston, MA 02109
617-994-6000
TTY: 617-994-6196
Translation

English
If this information is needed in another language, please contact the MPO Title VI Coordinator at 508-583-1833 ext. 202.

Spanish
Si necesita esta información en otro idioma, por favor contacte al coordinador de MPO del Título VI al 508-583-1833 ext. 202.

Portuguese
Caso estas informações sejam necessárias em outro idioma, por favor, contate o Coordenador de Título VI da MPO pelo telefone 508-583-1833, Ramal 202

Chinese Simple
如果需要使用其它语言了解信息，请联系Old Colony大都会规划组织（MPO）《民权法案》第六章协调员，电话508-583-1833，转202。

Chinese Traditional
如果需要使用其他语言瞭解資訊，請聯繫Old Colony大都會規劃組織（MPO）《民權法案》第六章協調員，電話508-583-1833，轉202。

Vietnamese

Haitian Creole
Si yon moun bezwen enfòmasyon sa a nan yon lòt lang, tanpri kontakte Koòdonatè a Title VI MPO nan 508-583-1833 ext. 202.

French Creole
Si yon moun vle genyen enfòmasyon sa yo nan yon lòt lang, tanpri kontakte Kòwòdinatè MPO Title VI la nan nimewo 508-583-1833, ekstansyon 202.

Russian
Если Вам необходима данная информация на любом другом языке, пожалуйста, свяжитесь с Координатором Титула VI в МПО по тел: 508-583-1833, добавочный 202.
Si vous avez besoin d'obtenir une copie de la présente dans une autre langue, veuillez contacter le coordinateur du Titre VI de MPO en composant le 508-583-1833, poste 202.

Italian
Se ha bisogno di ricevere queste informazioni in un'altra lingua si prega di contattare il coordinatore MPO del Titolo VI al 508-583-1833 interno 202

Mon-Khmer, Cambodian
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Arabic
إذا كنت بحاجة إلى هذه المعلومات بلغة أخرى، يرجى الاتصال بمنسق الفترة السادسة لمنظمة التخطيط الحضري على الهاتف: 333-583-08-508 وثم اضغط الأرقام 202.

Updated April 2015
Old Colony Planning Council
NOTICE OF PUBLIC REVIEW AND COMMENT PERIOD

- FFY 2019-2023 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP) AMENDMENT 1

In accordance with the Public Participation Process developed by the Old Colony Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO), Old Colony Planning Council (OCPC) is making the FFY 2019-2023 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) Amendment 1 available for a 21-Day Public Review and Comment Period. Copies of TIP Amendment 1 are available for review at the OCPC Offices (8:30 PM to 4:00 PM), at http://www.ocpcrpa.org/, and/or upon request. This process will also be used as Brockton Area Transit Authority's (BAT) public participation process. BAT, the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Section 5307(c) applicant, has consulted with the Old Colony MPO and concurs that the public involvement process adopted by the Old Colony MPO for development of the TIP satisfies the public hearing requirements that pertain to the development of the Program of Projects for the regular Section 5307, Urbanized Area Formula Program, grant applications including the provisions for public notice and the time established for public review and comment. Public notice of public involvement activities and time established for public review and comments on the TIP will satisfy the program of projects (POP) requirements. The public discussion of the TIP at Old Colony JTC, Old Colony MPO, and transportation meetings satisfies the Program of Projects (POP) public hearing requirements of the FTA. A public meeting of the Old Colony Joint Transportation Committee (JTC), is scheduled for February 7, 2019 at 12 PM. Furthermore, a public meeting of the Old Colony MPO is scheduled for February 19, 2019 at 10 AM to hear additional public comments and consider endorsement. Please contact Charles Kilmer at 508-583-1833 Extension 206 for information.

Please send written comments to:
Old Colony Planning Council (OCPC)
70 School Street
Brockton, MA 02301
Attention: Charles Kilmer
The Old Colony MPO fully complies with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and related statutes and regulations in all programs and activities. The Old Colony MPO operates without regard to race, color, or national origin (including limited English proficiency), age, sex, disability, ancestry, ethnicity, gender, gender identity or expression, sexual orientation, religion, creed, veteran's status, or background. Any person who believes him/herself or any specific class of persons, to be subject to discrimination prohibited by Title VI may by him/herself or by representative file a written complaint with the Old Colony MPO. Complaints are to be filed no later than 180 days from the date of the alleged discrimination. Please contact Pat Ciaramella at 508-583-1833 Extension 202 for more information.
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OLD COLONY TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP) AMENDMENT 1

The Old Colony Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) is a program of capital improvements and operating assistance for the transportation system in the Old Colony Region. The Old Colony TIP lists projects (highway, bridge, and transit) and operational assistance that receive federal funds, and may list some projects that do not receive federal funds.

The FFY 2019-2023 Old Colony TIP Amendment 1 adds five (5) projects that were awarded as part of the 2019 Community Transit Grant Program.

1. **BROCKTON AREA TRANSIT (BAT)**
   - **AMENDMENT:** ADD PROJECT - OPERATING ASSISTANCE TO CONTINUE TO PROVIDE AVON-STOUGHTON SERVICE
   - **COST IS $52,000 ($26,000 FEDERAL; $26,000 LOCAL)**

2. **BROCKTON AREA TRANSIT (BAT)**
   - **AMENDMENT:** ADD PROJECT - OPERATING ASSISTANCE TO CONTINUE TO PROVIDE SERVICE TO THE TOWN OF ROCKLAND
   - **COST IS $100,000 ($50,000 FEDERAL; $50,000 LOCAL)**

3. **OLD COLONY PLANNING COUNCIL (OCPC)**
   - **AMENDMENT:** ADD PROJECT - OPERATING ASSISTANCE FOR VOLUNTEER TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM (VTP)
   - **COST IS $64,000 ($32,000 FEDERAL; $32,000 LOCAL)**

4. **SOUTH SHORE COMMUNITY ACTION COUNCIL (SSCAC)**
   - **AMENDMENT:** ADD PROJECT - OPERATING ASSISTANCE TO SUPPORT SSCAC TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM
   - **COST IS $90,000 ($45,000 FEDERAL; $45,000 LOCAL)**

5. **SOUTH SHORE COMMUNITY ACTION COUNCIL (SSCAC)**
   - **AMENDMENT:** ADD PROJECT - BUY REPLACEMENT VAN (7)
   - **COST IS $446,600 ($357,280 FEDERAL; $89,320 LOCAL)**
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**Other Federal**

**Other Non-Federal**

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AMENDMENT: ADD PROJECT