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**AMENDMENT**  
***FY08-11 Metropolitan Transportation Improvement Program (MTIP)***

**DATE OF REQUEST:** 8/21/2009      **BY AGENCY, PERSON:** LTD, Todd Lipkin

**ODOT KEY NUMBER:** TBD      **RTP NUMBER/POLICY:** 1115

**PROJECT NAME:** West Eugene EmX Extension Environmental Analysis

**PROJECT SUMMARY:** West Eugene EmX Extension environmental analysis; EA/EIS preparation

**ACTION REQUESTED:**

- delete existing MTIP project/phase
- add new MTIP project/phase
- change existing MTIP project/phase

**REASON FOR REQUEST:**

*Program 2009 FTA 5339 Alternatives Analysis earmark E2009-ALTA-025 into MTIP and STIP.*

**IS THIS REQUEST AN ADMINISTRATIVE AMENDMENT?**

(Any amendment that impacts fiscal constraint or air quality conformity must be approved by MPC)

- Yes *Add/Del project with no MPO fund decision*
- No (requires MPC adoption)

**FISCAL CONSTRAINT**

Is this project federally funded?  
 Changes in funding sources:

- Yes
- No
- Federal: *Other - describe below in "other comments"*
- State: *SPECIFY SOURCE:*
- Local: *LTD*

**AIR QUALITY – CONFORMITY:**

Is the project in the AQMA? (see map <http://www.lcog.org/aqc/default.htm>)       Yes       No

If YES,

Is the project EXEMPT from Air Quality Conformity ?       Yes       No

If YES, specify exempt category (see Appendix A; e.g. Table 2-Safety-adding medians):

*OAR-340-252-0270 – Table 2 – OTHER – Planning and technical studies; Engineering to assess social, economic and environmental effects of proposed action or alternatives.*

If NO,

Is this project regionally significant? (see Appendix A):       Yes       No

Does this amendment trigger a conformity determination?       Yes       No

Provide rationale for this declaration:

**OTHER COMMENTS:**

*Section 5339 Alternatives Analysis funding. This program supports technical work to improve and expand the information available to decision-makers considering potential Small Starts funding (major transit capital investments).*

**CHECKLIST OF ATTACHMENTS:**

- MTIP/STIP Amendment spreadsheet – for all deletion/addition/change actions
- MTIP Project Description Form (Form TIP-2) – for all new projects or significant changes

