

Overview of the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) Water Table Funding Subcommittee Meeting

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Transportation Improvement Program



What is the TIP?

- TIP = Transportation Improvement Program
- <u>Financially constrained</u> list of priority federal and state funded capital transportation projects in the DVRPC region
- Best estimate of project schedules and costs
- Federal Fiscal Year (FY): Oct 1 Sept 30
- Multi-year program updated every two years





United States Title 23 CFR § 450.326: TIP required to spend federal \$

- Developing and maintaining the TIP makes the region eligible to receive and spend federal transportation dollars
- Must be consistent with Long-Range Plan, Congestion Management Process, Air Quality regulations
- Must be consistent with federal transportation performance measures & targets
- Not a guarantee of funds or implementation



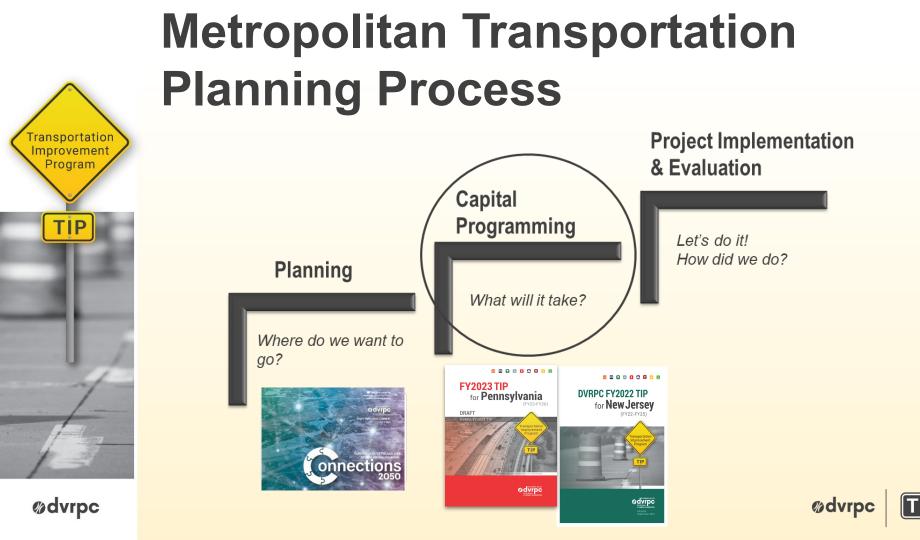


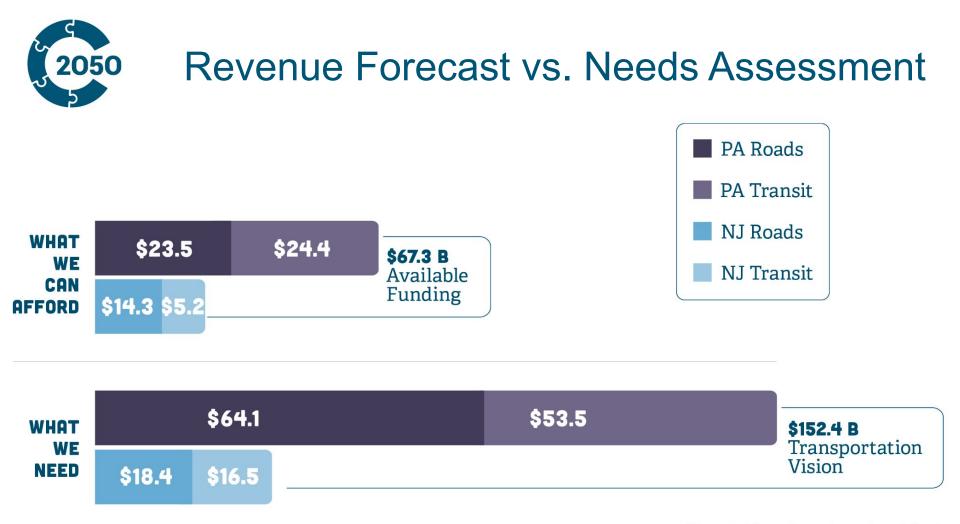
The TIP is multimodal

- Bicycle/Pedestrian Improvements
- Streetscape Improvements
- Bridge Repair/Replacement
- Roadway Rehabilitation
- Roadway New Capacity
- Intersection/Interchange Improvements
- Signal/ITS Improvements
- Transit Improvements
- Other

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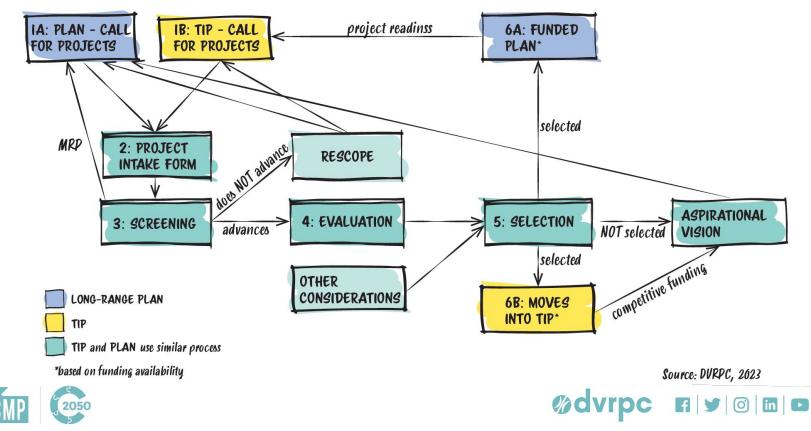


Regional Decision Making is Critical Region's Priority Transportation Scarce **Projects** Resources



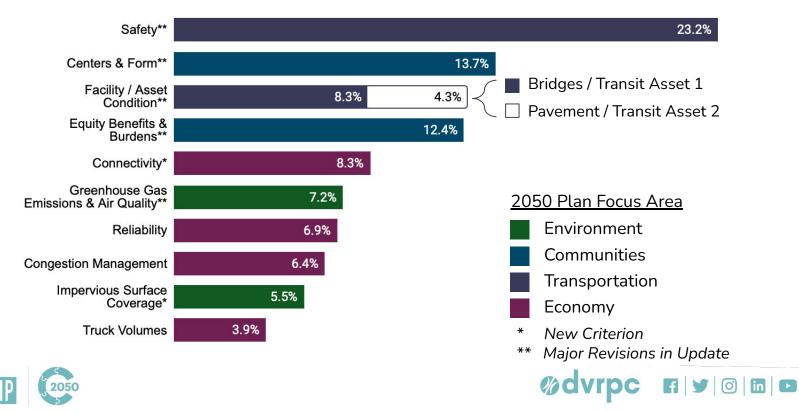


Project Identification, Evaluation, and Selection



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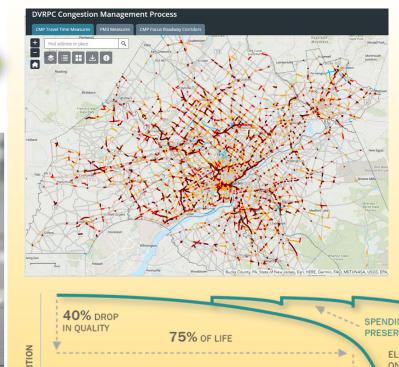
Plan-TIP Project Benefit Evaluation Criteria



Performance-Based Planning and Programming



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Federal Performance Measures

- Safety
- Bridge
- Pavement
- Congestion
- Greenhouse Gas (new)



TIME, WEATHER, AND TRAFFIC

Other Project Selection Considerations

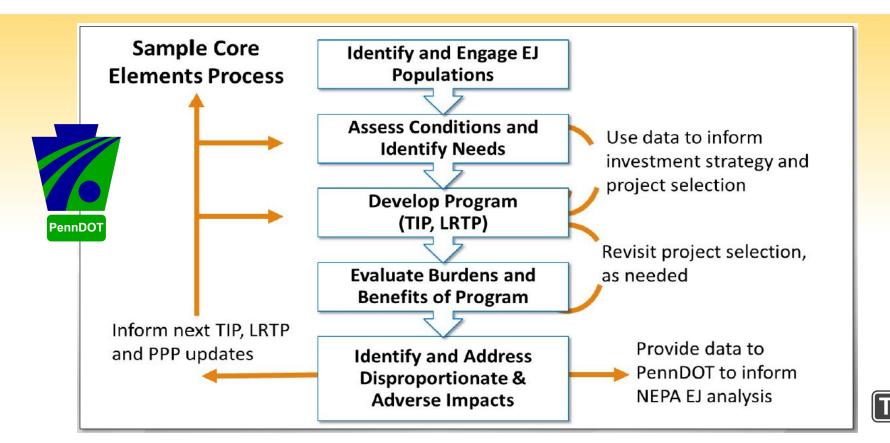
- System- and program-level EJ analyses
- Federal TPM targets
- Performance-based planning and asset management
- Geographic equity
- Regional and local priorities
- Political support
- Funding eligibility
- Project readiness
- Ability to leverage other investments

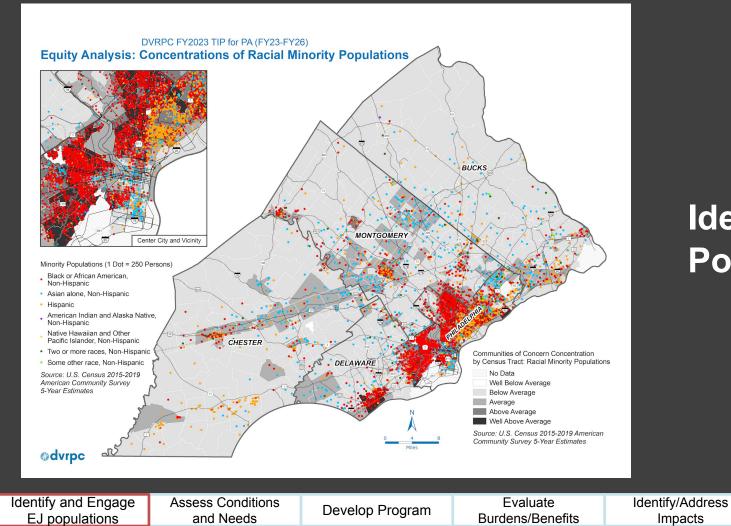






PennDOT Core Elements - TIP EJ/Equity Evaluation Process

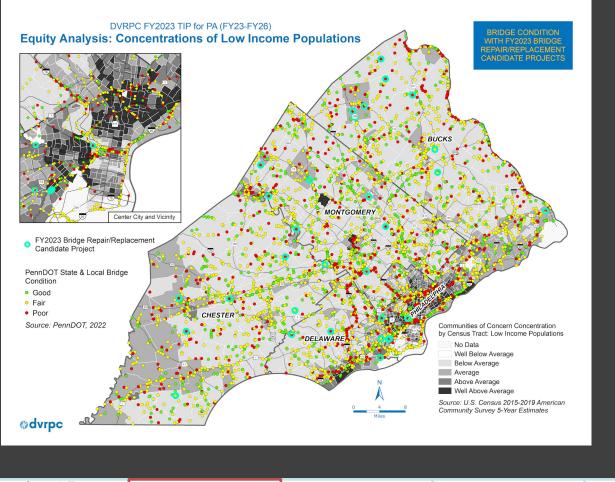




Identify Populations

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Assess Conditions & Needs: Bridges

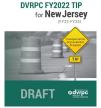
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Identify and Engage EJ populations Assess Conditions and Needs

Develop Program

Evaluate Burdens/Benefits Identify/Address Impacts



FY2022 TIP for New Jersey Development Timeline



Over 10 NJ TIP Subcommittee meetings from September 2020 - August 2021

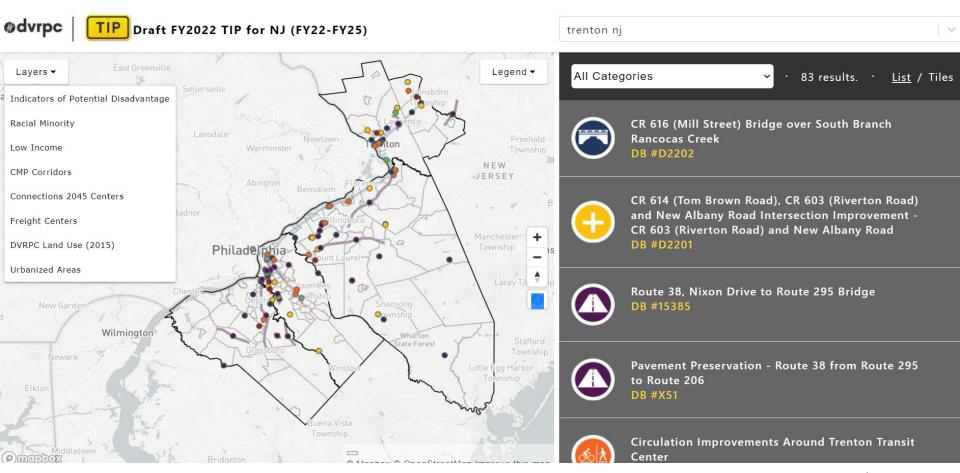




Public Comment Period

- 30+ day public comment period held for NJ and PA TIPs
- Virtual and In-Person Public Meeting(s) held
- Comments can be submitted: Electronically via Public Comment Web Application at www.dvrpc.org/tip/draft Or by Email at tip@dvrpc.org Or by US Mail to DVRPC Or by Fax to 215-592-9125 Or at a Public Meeting
- Documents available for viewing on website
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Relevance for Water Table Funding Subcommittee

- Framework for evaluating, prioritizing, and programming projects
- Funding and eligibility constraints/considerations
- Regional planning process
- Joint Municipal Authority
 - Title 53, Chapter 56 Municipal Authorities, June 19, 2001, P.L. 287, No. 22
 - Can assess fees, incur debt, finance projects







Questions?

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