

7. Project Selection Process Update

BACKGROUND

At the March 2020 Transportation Policy Council (TPC) meeting, the Council approved goals, priorities, and policies for selection and prioritization of projects to be programmed in Transportation Improvement Program (TIP), 10-Year Plan, and the Regional Transportation Plan (RTP). These goals, priorities and policies guide the H-GAC staff, Transportation Advisory Committee (TAC), and the TIP Subcommittee in development of project selection criteria and evaluation methodologies for project planning and programming. At the January 2023 meeting, TPC authorized the MPO staff to initiate the Project Selection Process.

CURRENT SITUATION

On November 30, 2023, evaluation criteria and online questionnaire for the projects submitted under 5 investment categories (Major Projects, High Growth Area Needs, Operational Improvements and Congestion Management, Resiliency and State of Good Repair, Transit) were published on the website [here](#).

Potential sponsors can request an online account to access the evaluation criteria questionnaires by sending an email to Vishu.Lingala@h-gac.com. These questionnaires are due by 5:00 PM on February 5, 2024.

ACTION REQUESTED

For discussion, no action requested.