

2026 - 2030

Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and 2026 Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) - Development Schedule

- **January 8**– Send Letter to Chief Elected Officials and PVPC Commissioners informing them of the start of TIP development for FFY2026 – 2030. Letter requesting an update to JTC membership by **January 24, 2025**.
- **January 8** – Discuss TIP/UPWP development schedule with JTC.
- **January 8** – Initiated Transportation Evaluation Criteria (TEC) Review by Project Proponents
- **January 28** – Project Universe introduced to MPO.
- **January 23** – MassDOT distributes 2026-2030 financial information (Target funds)
- **February 3/4/5** - MassDOT “TIP Days”, PVPC will meet with all MassDOT sections to review projects that may be funded in the next TIP cycle
- **February 7** – Updated TEC forms due to PVPC by end of business
- **February 12 (2nd Wednesday)** – TIP sub-committee meeting scheduled to review updated TEC Forms. PVPC reviews TEC forms and identifies projects that could require CMAQ consultation.
- **February 25** – MPO reviews project list and provides feedback. Solicitation of potential FFY 2026 UPWP projects.
- **March 12** – JTC Reviews MPO comments and identifies a preferred list of projects. Solicitation of potential FFY 2026 UPWP projects.
- **March 25**– MPO Reviews JTC recommendation of preferred list of projects and provides feedback.
- **April 9** – JTC performs final review of TIP based on MassDOT project updated and MPO comments. JTC makes recommendations to MPO for their review and release of the Draft 2026-2030 TIP and Draft 2026 UPWP for the required 21-day public review period.
- **April 22** – MPO reviews JTC recommended draft 2026-2030 TIP and Draft 2026 UPWP, make final project determination, releases TIP and UPWP for 21-day public review period.
- **April 25 through May 15** – FFY 2026-2030 TIP and FFY 2026 UPWP are out for public review and comment
- **May 14** – JTC reviews and comments on draft TIP and draft UPWP currently out for public review – Formal Public Hearing
- **May 27** – MPO meets and reviews TIP and UPWP comments before making final endorsement of the 2026-2030 TIP and 2026 UPWP