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Attachment: TIP Amendment 1 packet

Three changes are proposed for Amendment Number 1 to the FY 2024-2027 Transportation Improvement Program and can be found in the attached packet.

1. ***New*** Weaver Road Improvements (BA2402-24A1)
The City of Battlefield will work with MoDOT to study the Weaver Corridor along with MoDOT's engineering of the Weaver and Route FF intersection. This project includes the City of Battlefield portion only for a total programmed amount of \$100,000.
2. ***Revised*** Grand Street Trail (SP2314-24A1)
The City of Springfield has requested to study all of the Grand corridor from Kansas Expressway to National Avenue before constructing the trail that was submitted and awarded through the expression of interest process. The scope was lengthened and the overall project cost reduced for a total programmed amount of \$300,000.
3. ***New*** Evergreen Road Improvements (ST2402-24A1)
MoDOT is requesting to add funding for scoping of the Evergreen Corridor east of Route 125 in Strafford for a total programmed amount of \$40,000.

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The public comment period will end on September 20, 2023 at 5 p.m. The OTO Board of Directors will review and consider approving the Amendment at their September 21, 2023 Board Meeting, held at 12:00 noon. After reviewing recommendations and entertaining public comment, the OTO Board of Directors will decide whether to formally adopt the Amendment.

For more information, contact: Natasha Longpine, Transportation Planning Manager, Ozarks Transportation Organization, 2208 W. Chesterfield Boulevard, Suite 101, Springfield, Missouri 65807, 417-865-3042.

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