

Baltimore Region FY 2017-2020 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)

AMENDMENT

BRTB SET TO VOTE SEPT 26

INTERSTATE 695 AT CROMWELL BRIDGE ROAD

Drainage Improvement Project

open for comment through Sept. 25, 2017

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Baltimore Regional Transportation Board

September 26, 2017



Baltimore Metropolitan Council



Who We Are

- BMC - Organization of Region's Elected Executives.
- BRTB - Baltimore Regional Transportation Board – Metropolitan Planning Organization



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- MD Department of the Environment – Ben Grumbles, Secretary
- Maryland Department of Planning – Wendi Peters, Secretary
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What We Do - BRTB

- Air Quality
- Bicycle and Pedestrian
- Emergency Preparedness
- Freight
- Safety
- Transit



What We Do - BRTB

- Two-year work program (UPWP)
- Short-term transportation program (TIP)
- Long-range transportation plan (*Maximize 2040*)
- Air quality assessments of all transportation projects



What is the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)

- Short-range (four-year) program of transportation improvements & priority projects
- Financially constrained
- Authorizes project sponsor to seek or use federal funds
- Generally updated annually
 - Current TIP is FY 2017-2020
- Amendments require 30-day public review
 - New projects, new funding, etc.



Air Quality Assessment

- The TIP goes through a process that compares estimated pollutants (emissions) from transportation projects to limits (budgets) set by the state.



This report, called a “conformity determination”, addresses the 8-hour ozone standard.



:: Drainage Improvement Project



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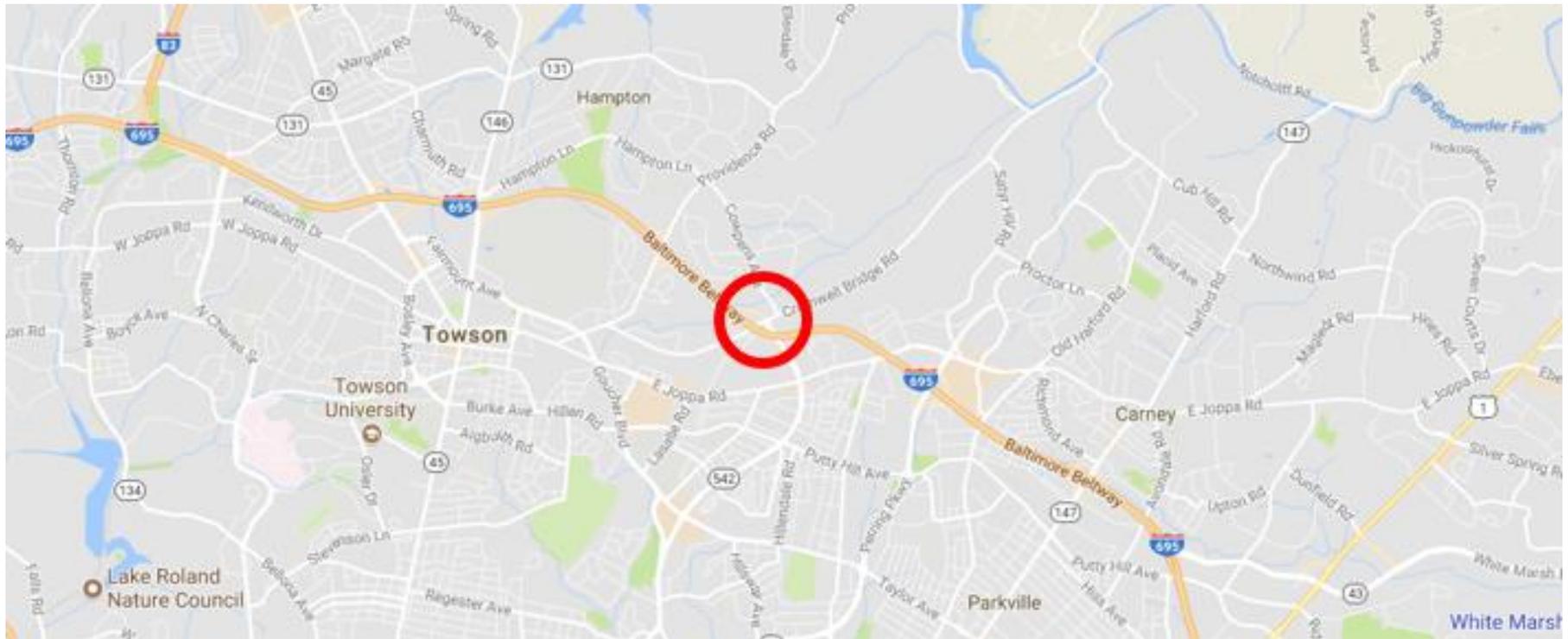


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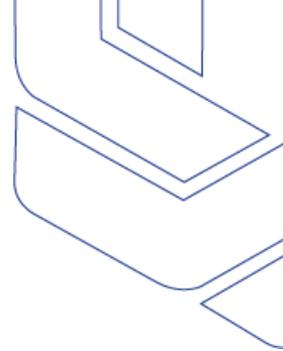
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I-695 at Cromwell Bridge Rd Drainage Improvement

LOCATION



I-695 at Cromwell Bridge Rd Drainage Improvement



AMENDMENT PURPOSE

- Cost increased to over \$10 million, making it a major project, needing TIP listing and line item in MDOT CTP
- Core item cost increase and added scope



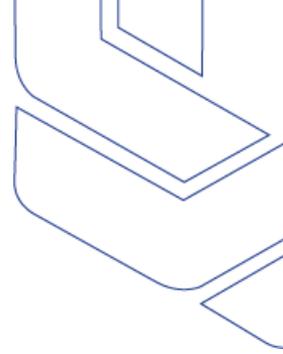
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PROJECT PURPOSE

- Prevent further erosion to I-695 embankment
- Mitigate for current and future MDOT SHA construction projects
- Upgrade County sewer line



I-695 at Cromwell Bridge Rd Drainage Improvement



PROJECT ELEMENTS

- Restoration of Minebank Run
- Stabilize and restore embankment on I-695
- Construction of submerged gravel wetland
- Relocate County sewer line



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TOTAL COSTS (in millions)

Design \$ 1.6

Right-of-way \$ 1.6

Construction \$ 10.3

Total \$ 13.5

Federal Aid (if used) \$ 10.8



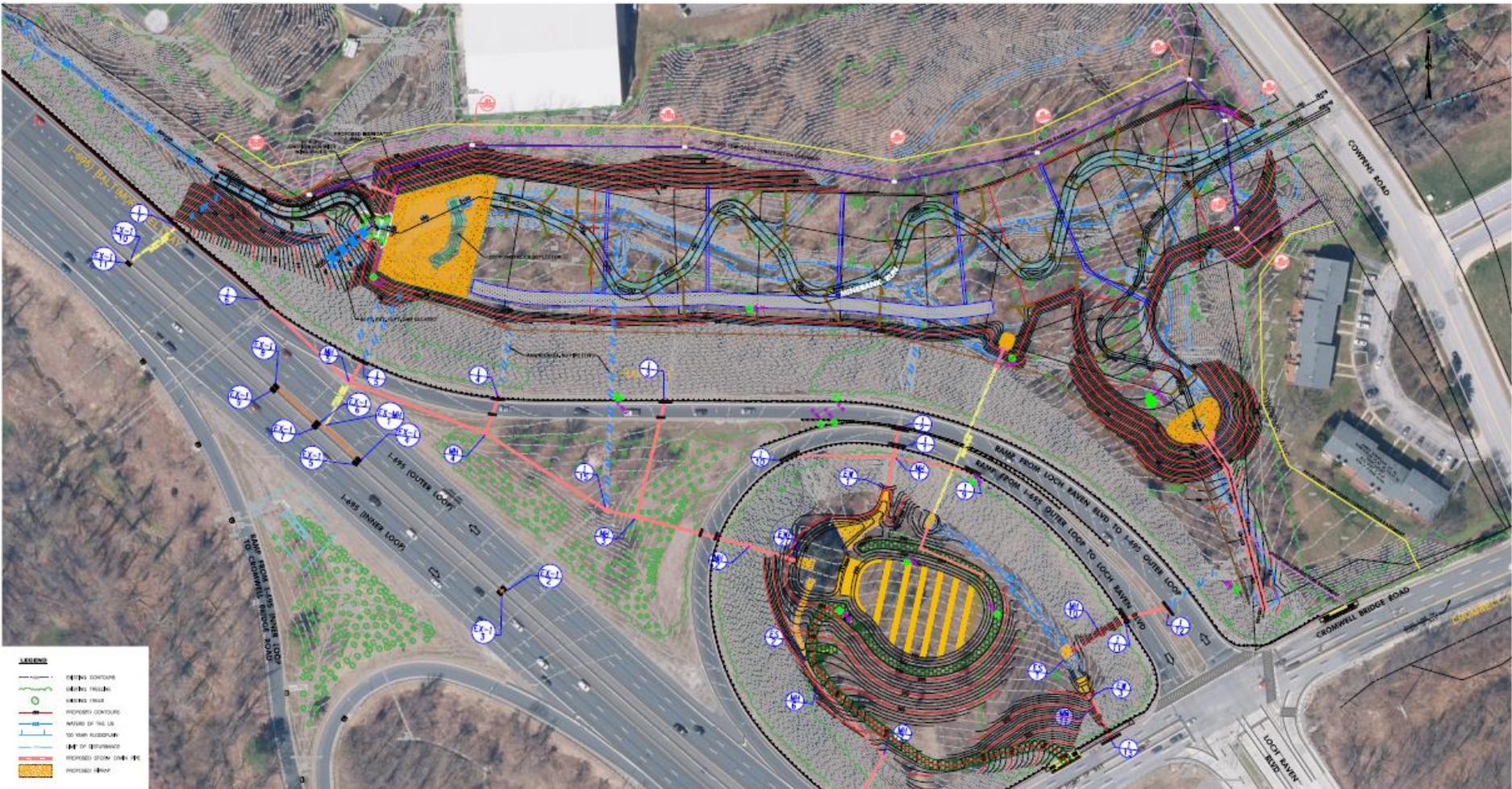
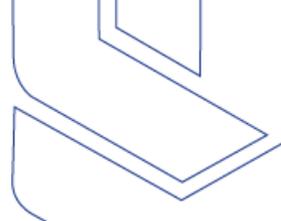
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SCHEDULE

Advertisement:	November 2017
Notice to Proceed:	Early 2018
Completion:	Spring 2020



PLAN SHEET



**I-695 MINEBANK RUN RESTORATION
DRAINAGE & WATER QUALITY IMPROVEMENTS**



Share your thoughts

Comments welcome through **September 25, 2017** to:

The Baltimore Regional Transportation Board

Attn: Public Involvement Coordinator

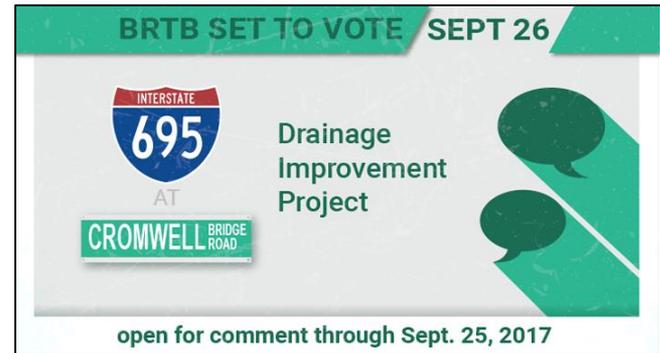
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Comments are also welcome during the Public Comment Opportunity of the BRTB meeting at 9:00 am on Tuesday, September 26 (scheduled vote).