

TO: CATSO Coordinating Committee

FROM: CATSO Staff

SUBJECT: CATSO Unfunded Needs List Review and Approval

DATE: February 18, 2025

Attached is a draft revision of the Unfunded Needs List for the Columbia metropolitan planning area. The MoDOT Central District office has requested that CATSO submit a revised list for 2025 by March 3.

The majority of the projects from the 2024 Unfunded Needs list remain as they have not been funded or scheduled for implementation at this time.

One change is to Project # 12 in the Additional category of the list. That is the sidewalk construction project on the south side of Broadway from West Boulevard to Stadium Boulevard (Route 740). Transportation Alternative Program (TAP) funding has been received for the West Boulevard to Maplewood portion, but the section from Manor Drive to Stadium Boulevard remains unfunded and as is still included as an Additional need.

COLT RR staff has suggested the following revision to the list:

1. **Deletion of the COLT RR Aurora Dairy rail siding project, this is not going to be implemented so is no longer an unfunded need..**

COLT RR staff also has suggested that two additional projects be included in the list as follows:

1. **COLT RR Crossing at Route B north of Waco Road**
2. **COLT RR Crossing at Peabody Road**

Please note that Project #8 in the Top Ten Multi-Modal list, COLT RR track improvements, has received an EDA grant so has tentative funding. COLT RR staff has requested that it remain on the list for now given the uncertainty from current federal funding freezes, and CATSO staff has concurred.

Previous Technical Committee Action

At their February 11, 2025 meeting, the Technical Committee reviewed the potential revisions to the Unfunded Needs List. A committee member from the MoDOT Central District office noted that the University of Missouri has hired a consultant to study the Stadium Boulevard corridor section which provides access to the campus. It was suggested that another project be added to the Additional Road & Bridge category, described as follows:

ADDITION: Stadium Boulevard (Route 740): Safety and Capacity Improvements from US 63 to Providence Road

The Committee was in agreement with the suggested revisions, and passed a motion to forward the revised list to the Coordinating Committee with a recommendation of approval.

Suggested Coordinating Committee Action

Please review the list for suggested updates or edits.

After discussion and any suggested revisions from the Committee, pass a motion giving approval to the revised list.

This will allow CATSO staff to forward the 2025 list to the MoDOT Central District Office by Monday, March 3.