

**WILMINGTON URBAN AREA METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION
BOARD**

**RESOLUTION APPROVING THE WILMINGTON URBAN AREA MPO'S LOCAL INPUT
METHODOLOGY FOR PRIORITIZATION 5.0**

WHEREAS, the Wilmington Urban Area Metropolitan Planning Organization provides transportation planning services for the City of Wilmington, Town of Carolina Beach, Town of Kure Beach, Town of Wrightsville Beach, Town of Belville, Town of Leland, Town of Navassa, New Hanover County, Brunswick County, Pender County, Cape Fear Public Transportation Authority and the North Carolina Board of Transportation; and

WHEREAS, the Strategic Transportation Investments is the formula to determine how the North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT), in partnership with local governments, will fund and prioritize transportation projects in the state of North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, under this formula, all modes compete for the same funding; and

WHEREAS, Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPOs), Rural Planning Organizations (RPOs) and Division Engineers have the ability to assign local input points to projects in the Regional and Division levels; and

WHEREAS, MPOs and RPOs are required to develop methodology for the assignment of local input points and NCDOT must approve this methodology; and

WHEREAS, Session Law 2012-84 (Senate Bill 890) requires that MPOs and RPOs have a process including both quantitative and qualitative elements for determining project prioritization; and

WHEREAS, the Wilmington Urban Area MPO has developed local input methodology to meet the requirements of Session Law 2012-84 (Senate Bill 890) for Prioritization 5.0.

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved that the Board of the Wilmington Urban Area Metropolitan Planning Organization hereby approves the Wilmington Urban Area MPO's Local Input Methodology for Prioritization 5.0.

ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the Wilmington Urban Area Metropolitan Planning Organization's Board on February 28, 2018.



David Piepmeyer, Chair



Mike Kozlosky, Secretary