

RESOLUTION #2018-07

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION STUDY
(NARTS) FFY 2019-2022 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM**

WHEREAS, the Northwest Arkansas Regional Planning Commission (NWARPC), as the designated Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO), is responsible for the coordination of transportation planning activities in Benton And Washington Counties in Arkansas and a portion of McDonald County in Missouri; and

WHEREAS, the NARTS FFY 2019-2022 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) has been developed as a part of the continuing, cooperative, and comprehensive (3C) planning program, as well as through a performance-driven, outcome-based approach, as established under planning regulations of the U. S. Department of Transportation; and

WHEREAS, the projects that are contained in the NARTS FFY 2019-2022 TIP have been selected by and coordinated with local units of government and transit agencies within the Metropolitan Planning Area (MPA) and with ARDOT and MoDOT and have been reviewed for consistency with the NWA 2040 Metropolitan Transportation Plan; and

WHEREAS, the FAST Act/MAP-21 requires target setting coordination between state DOTs, MPOs and transit agencies on national performance measures and included in the NARTS TIP are ARDOT and MoDOT Safety, Infrastructure Condition, and System Reliability and CMAQ Performance Measures and Targets; and

WHEREAS, the NARTS Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) has recommended approval of the NARTS FFY 2019-2022 TIP.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE NORTHWEST
ARKANSAS REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION:**

That the NARTS FFY 2019-2022 Transportation Improvement Program is hereby approved.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 25 DAY OF JULY, 2018.



Chairman

ATTEST:



Director