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To Whom It May Concern:

As part of the North Carolina Strategic Transportation Investments (STI) process, Rural Planning Organizations (RPOs) are afforded the opportunity to assign Local Input Points to eligible transportation projects during the quantitative evaluation phase. In accordance with the adopted Local Input Point Methodology of the Mid-Carolina Rural Planning Organization (MCRPO), representatives from each county service on the Technical Coordinating Committee (TCC) are responsible for prioritizing projects within their respective jurisdictions.

As the designated representatives for *Harnett County*, we have reviewed the eligible projects located within the county and established the following priority ranking for consideration. Projects are listed in order of importance, with Priority #1 representing the highest-ranked project.

Harnett County Projects		
Rank	Project Identifier	Description
1.	B172273	Construct 10 ft multi use path along US 421 in Dunn
2.	B172278	Construct sidewalk on East side of US 421 near I-95 Interchange in Dunn
3.	B231672	Construct wide paved shoulders along the length of NC Bicycle Route 5 / Cape Fear Run, examine areas appropriate for additional signage and or markings
4.	B172284	Construct wide paved shoulders on North side of US 421 from Watauga Ave to Red Hill Church Rd and the Dunn - Erwin Rail Trail access
5.	H090839	3 lane from Old Post Rd. to Tilghman Dr. Existing Cross section varies. Merge into existing 4 lane cross section from Tilghman to US 421, and from Old Post to 13th Street, including a possible Road Diet, as requested in the 2023 Land Use Plan from Erwin.

6.	H191896	Construct multi-lane road on new location from US 301 (MLK Jr. Memorial Highway) to SR 1703 (Red Hill Church Road).
7.	T230974	Purchase bus for new route to connect with FAST service. Connects Lillington, Spring Lake, and Fayetteville.
8.	T250537	Purchase bus for planned deviated fixed route transit service in Harnett County to connect Lillington, Spring Lake, Angier, Dunn, Erwin, and Coats.
9.	T250440	Install bus shelters for planned deviated fixed route within Harnett County
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This ranking reflects the consensus of the Harnett County representatives on the MCRPO Technical Coordinating Committee and is submitted for consideration in the allocation of Regional Impact Local Input Points for the current STI funding cycle.

Sincerely,

Harnett County Representatives, MCRPO TCC