TRANSIT SYSTEM

VEHICLES

TRANSIT VEHICLE EXPANSION [Project No. 25-503-02]

PROJECT SCOPE/DESCRIPTION: This project contains the following:

Paratransit Buses [Project No.'s 22-504-02, 24-503-05 and 25-503-02] – Purchase eight buses in FY 2004, seven in FY 2005, eight in FY 2006, seven in FY 2007, seven in FY 2008 and twenty-one in FY 2009-2011. Requirements are based upon current rate of demand growth anticipated by the Delaware Transit Corporation (DTC) service plan.

Paratransit Buses





Trolley Buses [Project No. 23-504-01] – The Wilmington Trolley replaces regular buses with a 31-1/2 foot long vehicle finished in shades of blue and gold and accented with wood grain paneling, seating up to 28 passengers with additional room for 21 standing riders and two ADA wheelchair accessible seats. A cooperative arrangement between DART First State and more than 40 downtown business partners to promote the Route 32 Trolley, provides a multi-fold Z-Pocket Map featuring a downtown Wilmington map and city guide, with trips costing only 25 cents per trip and carrying passengers to eating, shopping, and work destinations along all the stops between Rodney Square and the Riverfront.

US301 Major Investment Study– Purchase the necessary combination of 30' and 35' buses to meet the increasing transit demand in New Castle County in an efficient manner.

30' Low Floor Buses - Purchase 13 low floor buses in FY 2006.

35' Commuter Configured Buses – Purchase ten commuter configured buses in FY 2005.

SR141 Crosstown: Purchase two in FY 2005

40' Low Floor Buses – Purchase two low floor buses in FY 2005.

Support Vehicles [Project No. 24-504-03] – Purchase maintenance related vehicles to be used in accordance with the DelDOT/DTC approved vehicle replacement schedules totaling one in FY 2005 and nine in FY 2006.

PROJECT JUSTIFICATION: The investment in transit vehicle expansion is necessary to meet projected transit service demand based on census information.

30' Low Floor Bus

County: New Castle

Municipality:

Funding Program: Transit System – Vehicles

Functional Category: Expansion

Representative District: Senatorial District:



Project	Funding Type	Original Estimate	Current Estimate	Authorization	Committed as of 12/31/04	Expended as of 12/31/04	Committed Unexpended as of 12/31/04	Authorization Available
Transit Vehicle Expansion		\$ 40,081.3						
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Prior Years	State			\$ 19,184.7	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 19,184.7
	Federal			\$ 4,571.2	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 4,571.2
	Other			\$ 458.2	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 458.2
FY 2005	State		\$ 40,081.3	\$ 1,212.6	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 20,397.3
	Federal			\$ 4,750.1	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 9,321.3
	Other			\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 458.2
FY 2006 Request	State			\$ 5,408.0				\$ 25,805.3
•	Federal			\$ 634.8				\$ 9,956.1
	Other			\$ 0.0				\$ 458.2
FY 2007 Projected	State			\$ 143.0				\$ 25,948.3
•	Federal			\$ 572.1				\$ 10,528.2
	Other			\$ 0.0				\$ 458.2
FY 2008 Projected	State			\$ 151.5				\$ 26,099.8
	Federal			\$ 606.1				\$ 11,134.3
	Other			\$ 0.0				\$ 458.2
FY 2009-2011 Projected	State			\$ 477.8				\$ 26,577.6
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	Federal			\$ 1,911.2				\$ 13,045.5
	Other			\$ 0.0				\$ 458.2
Total Projected	State			\$ 26,577.6	\$ 0.0			\$ 26,577.6
g ····	Federal			\$ 13,045.5	\$ 0.0			\$ 13,045.5
	Other			\$ 458.2	\$ 0.0			\$ 458.2
Total All Funds		\$ 40,081.3	\$ 40,081.3	\$ 40,081.3	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 40,081.3

Project #	Description	Phase	Funding Schedule	Current Estimate	Prior Years	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009 -2011
	Transit Vehicle Expansion									
	Program	PRO	100% ST	\$ 16,659.1	\$ 16,659.1	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0
		PRO	80% FTA	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Paratransit									
22-504-02	Paratransit (10)	PRO	80% FTA	1,021.0	1,021.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Paratransit (6)	PRO	80% FTA	682.0	682.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
24-503-05	Paratransit (8)	PRO	80% FTA	769.3	769.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
25-503-02	Paratransit (7)	PRO	80% FTA	693.3	0.0	693.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Paratransit (8)	PRO	80% FTA	793.5	0.0	0.0	793.5	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Paratransit (3)	PRO	80% FTA	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Paratransit (4) Small Cutaways	PRO	80% FTA	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Paratransit (7)	PRO	80% FTA	715.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	715.1	0.0	0.0
	Paratransit (7)	PRO	80% FTA	757.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	757.6	0.0
	Paratransit (21)	PRO	80% FTA	2,389.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2,389.0
	US301 MIS									
	30' Low Floor (13)	PRO	100% ST	5,014.2	0.0	0.0	5,014.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
	35' Commuter Configured (10)	PRO	80% FTA	4,370.3	0.0	4,370.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Blue Ball Properties - SR141/US202 Area Transit Improvements									
	Route 28 Expansion, 30' Medium Duty Low Floor (2)	PRO	80% FTA	644.0	644.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Neighborhood Circulator Expansion, 30' Medium Duty Low Floor, (1)	PRO	80% FTA	322.0	322.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Rail Shuttle, 30' Medium Duty Low Floor (1)	PRO	80% FTA	354.2	354.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Traffic Mitigation (2) PA/AZ Shuttle 35' Over the Road (2)	PRO	80% FTA	1,009.2	1,009.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
22-504-03	Fixed Route 25' Cutaways (8)	PRO	100% ST	234.0	234.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Newark Loop / Unicity	PRO	100% CITY	96.6	96.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
		PRO	100% PRIVATE	96.6	96.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
		PRO	100% ST	772.8	772.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Project #	Description	Phase	Funding Schedule	Current Estimate	Prior Years	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009 -2011
	Transit Vehicle Expansion (Continued)									
	SR141 Crosstown									
	40' Low Floor (2)	PRO	80% FTA	874.1	0.0	874.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
24-504-03	Support Vehicles	PRO	100% ST	686.1	426.0	25.0	235.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
23-504-01	Trolley Buses	PRO	100% CITY	132.5	132.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
		PRO	100% COUNTY	132.5	132.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
		PRO	100% ST	132.5	132.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
		PRO	100% DISC FTA	729.8	729.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Total All Funds			\$ 40,081.3	\$ 24,214.1	\$ 5,962.7	\$ 6,042.8	\$ 715.1	\$ 757.6	\$ 2,389.0

TRANSIT VEHICLE REPLACEMENT AND REFURBISHMENT

PROJECT SCOPE/DESCRIPTION: This project contains the following:

- A. **30' Low Floor Buses** Purchase three low floor buses in FY 2005, and two low floor buses to replace medium duty buses in FY 2007 and three low floor buses to replace medium duty buses in FY 2008.
- B. **40' Heavy Duty Transit Buses** Begin purchase of 68 buses in FY 2006 and FY 2007, as a combination of low floor and standard floor buses to be used in accordance with the DelDOT/DTC approved service plan and supporting vehicle replacement schedule.
- C. **Hybrid bus propulsion system refurbishment** program will begin in FY 2009-2011.
- D. **40' Low Floor** Purchase seven low floor buses in FY 2009-2011.
- E. **5310 Program Vans for Elderly and Handicapped [Project No.'s 23-504-02 and 24-504-02] –** Program provides funds for organizations to provide transportation for the elderly and disabled in New Castle County.

Hybrid Bus



40' Transit Bus



- F. Paratransit Buses [Project No.'s 23-503-02, 24-503-04 and 25-503-01] Purchase 15 buses in FY 2003, 15 in FY 2004, 10 buses in FY 2005, 27 buses in FY 2006, 24 buses in FY 2007 and 18 buses in FY 2008 and 88 buses in FY 2009-2011 to be used in accordance with the DelDOT/DTC approved service plan and supporting vehicle replacement schedule. Purchase six small cutaways in FY 2007.
- G. **Support Vehicles [Project No. 24-503-03]** Purchase maintenance related vehicles to be used in accordance with the DelDOT/DTC approved vehicle replacement schedule totaling one vehicle in FY 2004, three vehicles in FY 2005, four vehicles in FY 2006, three vehicles in FY 2007, one vehicle in FY 2008 and eight vehicles in FY 2009-2011.
- H. Unicity Buses [Project No. 25-504-01] Purchase one replacement bus biannually (City of Newark).



Paratransit Bus

PROJECT JUSTIFICATION: The investment in transit vehicle replacement and refurbishment is necessary to meet the projected vehicle replacement schedule.

County: New Castle

Municipality:

New Funding Program: Transit System – Vehicles

Functional Category: Preservation

Representative District: Senatorial District:

Project	Funding Type	Original Estimate	Current Estimate	Authorization	Committed as of 12/31/04	Expended as of 12/31/04	Committed Unexpended as of 12/31/04	Authorization Available
Transit Vehicle								
Replacement and Refurbishment		\$ 48,068.5						
Prior Years	State			\$ 3,681.8	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 3,681.8
	Federal			\$ 2,769.7	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	
	Other			\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	
FY 2005	State		\$ 48,068.5	\$ 1,517.5	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 5,199.3
	Federal			\$ 961.6	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	
	Other			\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0
FY 2006 Request	State			\$ 1,691.5				\$ 6,890.8
•	Federal			\$ 4,141.2				\$ 7,872.5
	Other			\$ 0.0				\$ 0.0
FY 2007 Projected	State			\$ 3,632.3				\$ 10,523.1
•	Federal			\$ 12,915.5				\$ 20,788.0
	Other			\$ 0.0				\$ 0.0
FY 2008 Projected	State			\$ 1,012.8				\$ 11,535.9
	Federal			\$ 2,275.2				\$ 23,063.2
	Other			\$ 0.0				\$ 0.0
FY 2009-2011 Projected	State			\$ 3,886.6				\$ 15,422.5
	Federal			\$ 9,582.8				\$ 32,646.0
	Other			\$ 0.0				\$ 0.0
Total Projected	State			\$ 15,422.5	\$ 0.0			\$ 15,422.5
g	Federal			\$ 32,646.0	\$ 0.0			\$ 32,646.0
	Other			\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0			\$ 0.0
Total All Funds		\$ 48,068.5	\$ 48,068.5	\$ 48,068.5	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 48,068.5

Project #	Description	Phase	Funding Schedule	Current Estimate	Prior Years	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009 -2011
	Transit Vehicle Replacement and Refurbishment									
	30' Low Floor (3) Replace Cutaways	PRO	80% FTA	\$ 1,090.7	\$ 0.0	\$ 1,090.7	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0
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	30' Low Floor (8)	PRO	80% FTA	0.0	0.0				0.0	0.0
	30' Low Floor (2) Replace Medium Duty	PRO	80% FTA	794.6	0.0			794.6	0.0	0.0
	30' Low Floor (3) Replace Medium Duty	PRO	80% FTA	1,227.6	0.0			0.0	1,227.6	0.0
24-504-01	30' Medium Duty Fixed Route (3+2)	PRO	100% ST	1,869.4	1,869.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
		PRO	80% FTA	924.0	924.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	40' Heavy Duty (68)	PRO	80% FTA	3,664.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	3,664.7	0.0	0.0
		PRO	80% FTA	14,301.5	0.0	0.0	5,065.4	9,236.1	0.0	0.0
		PRO	80% DISC FTA	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Hybrid Bus Propulsion System Refurbishment	PRO	80% FTA	370.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	370.0
	40' Low Floor (7)	PRO	80% FTA	3,546.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3,546.4
23-504-02	5310 Vans for Elderly and Handicapped	PRO	80% FTA	1,110.3	333.0	111.3	111.0	111.0	111.0	333.0
24-504-02		PRO	100% FTA	0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
		PRO	100% ST	2,910.0	733.0	311.0	311.0	311.0	311.0	933.0
23-503-02	Paratransit (15)	PRO	80% FTA	1,090.5	1,090.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
24-503-04	Paratransit (15)	PRO	80% FTA	1,114.6	1,114.6				0.0	0.0
25-503-01	Paratransit (10)	PRO	100% ST	765.3	0.0		0.0		0.0	0.0
	Paratransit (27)	PRO	100% ST	54.5	0.0		54.5	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Paratransit (6) Small Cutaways	PRO	80% FTA	459.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	459.2	0.0	0.0
	Paratransit (24)	PRO	80% FTA	1,878.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	1,878.7	0.0	0.0
	Paratransit (18)	PRO	80% FTA	1,505.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1,505.4	0.0
	Paratransit (82)	PRO	80% FTA	7,212.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7,212.4
	Paratransit (6) Small Cutaways	PRO	80% FTA	516.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	516.8
24-503-03	Support Vehicles (10)	PRO	100% ST	259.9	149.1	110.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
24-303-03	Support Venicles (10) Support Vehicles (FY 2003 Only)	PRO	100% ST 100% ST	107.5	149.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Support venicies (F 1 2003 Only)	PRO	100% ST 100% ST	40.4	40.4				0.0	0.0

Project #	Description	Phase	Funding Schedule	Current Estimate	Prior Years	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009 -2011
	Transit Vehicle Replacement and Refurbishment (continued)									
24-503-03	Support Vehicles (4)	PRO	100% ST	200.7	0.0	0.0	200.7	0.0	0.0	0.0
24-503-03	Support Vehicles (3)	PRO	100% ST	92.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	92.6	0.0	0.0
24-503-03	Support Vehicles (1)	PRO	100% ST	43.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	43.0	0.0
24-503-03	Support Vehicles (8)	PRO	100% ST	467.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	467.8
25-504-01	Unicity Buses	PRO	100% ST	450.0	90.0	90.0	90.0	0.0	90.0	90.0
	Total All Funds			\$ 48,068.4	\$ 6,451.5	\$ 2,479.1	\$ 5,832.6	\$ 16,547.8	\$ 3,288.0	\$ 13,469.4

TRANSIT SYSTEM

RAIL

CHRISTINA RIVER, SHELLPOT RAIL BRIDGE IMPROVEMENTS [Project No. 23-512-02]

PROJECT SCOPE/DESCRIPTION: This project will involve the replacement or rehabilitation of the Shellpot Creek Rail Crossing.

PROJECT JUSTIFICATION: The department has been authorized to enter into agreements with the appropriate railroads to rehabilitate or replace this crossing to facilitate the use of this rail line to address the demand of freight carriers in this area.

County: New Castle

Municipality: Wilmington

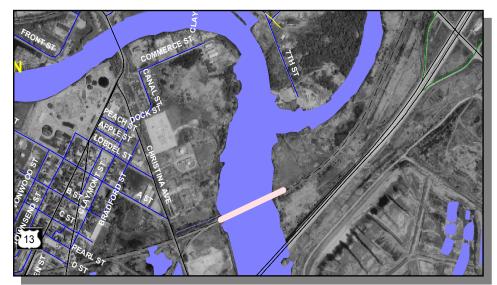
Funding Program: Transit System

Funding Program: Transit System – Rail Functional Category: Preservation

Functional Category: Preservat Representative District: 2, 16

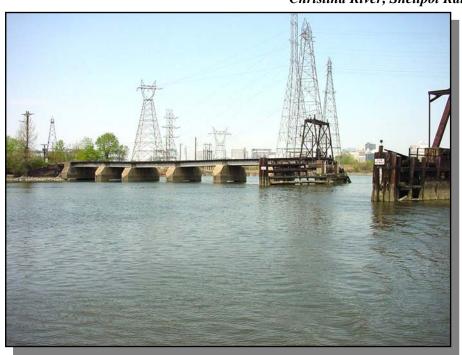
Representative District: 2, Senatorial District: 2





CHRISTINA RIVER, SHELLPOT RAIL BRIDGE IMPROVEMENTS (CONTINUED)







CHRISTINA RIVER, SHELLPOT RAIL BRIDGE IMPROVEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Project	Funding Type	Original Estimate	Current Estimate	Authorization	Committed as of 12/31/04	Expended as of 12/31/04	Committed Unexpended as of 12/31/04	Authorization Available
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Christina River, Shellpot Rail Bridge Improvements		\$ 13,500.0						
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Prior Years	State			\$ 14,000.0	\$ 14,000.0	\$ 13,986.2	\$ 13.8	\$ 0.0
	Federal			\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0
	Other			\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0
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FY 2005	State Federal		\$ 15,000.0	\$ 1,000.0 \$ 0.0	\$ 1,000.0 \$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 1,000.0	
	Other			\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	
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FY 2006 Request	State							
	Federal							
	Other							
FY 2007 Projected	State							
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	Other							
FY 2008 Projected	State							
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FY 2009-2011 Projected	State							
	Federal							
	Other							
Total Projected	State			\$ 15,000.0	\$ 15,000.0			\$ 0.0
	Federal			\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0			\$ 0.0
	Other			\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0			\$ 0.0
Total All Funds	_	\$ 13,500.0	\$ 15,000.0	\$ 15,000.0	\$ 15,000.0	\$ 13,986.2	\$ 1,013.8	\$ 0.0

CHRISTINA RIVER, SHELLPOT RAIL BRIDGE IMPROVEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Project #	Description	Phase	Funding Schedule	Current Estimate	Prior Years	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009 -2011
	Christina River, Shellpot Rail Bridge Improvements	С	100% ST	\$ 15,000.0	\$ 14,000.0	\$ 1,000.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0
	Total All Funds			\$ 15,000.0	\$ 14,000.0	\$ 1,000.0	\$ 0.0	200	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0

PASSENGER RAIL, MIDDLETOWN TO NEWARK [Project No. 22-690-04]

PROJECT SCOPE/DESCRIPTION: House Joint Resolution Number 34 of the 141st General Assembly established the Wilmington-Dover Rail Service Task Force. A subsequent report examined the engineering feasibility of passenger railroad service between Wilmington and Dover by developing capital, operating, and maintenance costs for alternative alignments.

The study also examined the possibility of constructing an initial segment between Wilmington and Middletown. These alternatives would still provide service to and from Wilmington to the rapidly expanding Middletown area while not incurring the entire cost of passenger rail service between Wilmington and Dover.

Additional funding was provided in FY 2003 to determine the best route and whether or not a commuter passenger rail operation is the best transportation alternative. Studies will be conducted in this phase of the program that will include ridership projections; operations planning; financing and funding sources; and determining markets. Benefits of a passenger rail system to the overall Delaware long-range transportation and environmental goals will also be further evaluated.

The next step will be to request that this project be funded with Federal Transit Administration New Start Program discretionary dollars. This program chooses the "best candidates" to move forward in the Project Development phase and funds with a 50% commitment from the State. The project timeline below assumes that FTA will approve the funding request and move forward into the design phase.

PROJECT JUSTIFICATION: To investigate additional transportation modes and address air quality issues.

PASSENGER RAIL, MIDDLETOWN TO NEWARK (CONTINUED)

Project	Funding Type	Original Estimate	Current Estimate	Authorization	Committed as of 12/31/04	Expended as of 12/31/04	Committed Unexpended as of 12/31/04	Authorization Available
Passenger Rail, Middletown to Newark		\$ 131,012.8						
Prior Years	State			\$ 1,812.8	\$ 1,812.8	\$ 1,297.2	\$ 515.6	\$ 0.0
	Federal			\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0
	Other			\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0
FY 2005	State		\$ 131,012.8	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0
	Federal			\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0
	Other			\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0
FY 2006 Request	State			\$ 2,000.0				\$ 2,000.0
•	Federal			\$ 0.0				\$ 0.0
	Other			\$ 0.0				\$ 0.0
FY 2007 Projected	State			\$ 3,000.0				\$ 5,000.0
-	Federal			\$ 0.0				\$ 0.0
	Other			\$ 0.0				\$ 0.0
FY 2008 Projected	State			\$ 2,000.0				\$ 7,000.0
-	Federal			\$ 2,000.0				\$ 2,000.0
	Other			\$ 0.0				\$ 0.0
FY 2009-2011 Projected	State			\$ 90,150.0				\$ 97,150.0
	Federal			\$ 30,050.0				\$ 32,050.0
	Other			\$ 0.0				\$ 0.0
Total Projected	State			\$ 98,962.8	\$ 1,812.8			\$ 97,150.0
	Federal			\$ 32,050.0	\$ 0.0			\$ 32,050.0
	Other			\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0			\$ 0.0
Total All Funds		\$ 131,012.8	\$ 131,012.8	\$ 131,012.8	\$ 1,812.8	\$ 1,297.2	\$ 515.6	\$ 129,200.0

PASSENGER RAIL, MIDDLETOWN TO NEWARK (CONTINUED

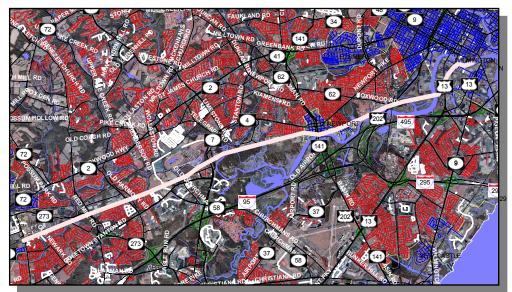
Project #	Description	Phase	Funding Schedule	Current Estimate	Prior Years	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009 -2011
22-690-04	Passenger Rail, Middletown to Newark	PD PD	100% ST 50% DISC FTA	\$ 66,912.8 64,100.0	\$ 1,812.8 0.0	\$ 0.0 0.0	\$ 2,000.0 0.0	. ,	\$ 0.0 4,000.0	\$ 60,100.0 60,100.0
	Total All Funds			\$ 131,012.8	\$ 1,812.8	\$ 0.0	\$ 2,000.0	\$ 3,000.0	\$ 4,000.0	\$ 120,200.0

RAIL IMPROVEMENTS, NEWARK TO WILMINGTON [Project No. 24-514-01]

PROJECT SCOPE/DESCRIPTION: Currently, Southeast Pennsylvania Transit Authority (SEPTA) provides weekday trains between Marcus Hook and Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. DelDOT/DTC contracts with SEPTA to extend 37 of these trains to Wilmington. Eighteen trains serve Churchman's Crossing and Newark, Delaware. In order to serve more riders, particularly between Newark and Wilmington, more frequencies need to be added. AMTRAK, owner of the Northeast Corridor, restricts DelDOT/DTC to the operation of 18 weekday trains (or nine round-trips). Most of Delaware's segment of the Northeast Rail Corridor has three or four track capacities, but there are only two tracks between the Ragan (Newport) and Yard (near 9th Street in Wilmington) Interlockings. The two-track constraint causes commuter trains to wait until inter-city trains pass through the area. In order to increase commuter rail capacity between Newark and Wilmington, a range of improvements will be necessary. These improvements include but are not limited to the following options:

- Churchman's Crossing (Fairplay) Station Parking [Project No. 99-512-01] expansion will include a parking garage that is envisioned as a shared facility with the private development (office complex) adjacent to Delaware Park. This type of improvement will minimize land impacts and maximize open space.
- Churchman's Crossing Station Public Announcement System [Project No. 21-512-01] has been completed which provides travelers schedules of incoming and outgoing trains.
- Churchman's Crossing Station Slope Treatment stabilized the ground from the parking area to the train platform.
- Commuter Rail Cars (4) for R2 Service Funding for this purchase will include four new commuter R2 cars to be run by Septa from Newark to Philadelphia. However, these cars will be dedicated to the State of Delaware.





• Concrete Tie Improvements on Track 1, between Ragan and Davis Interlockings [Project No. 23-512-03] - will replace the current ties from Newark to Wilmington.

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- Northeast Corridor Improvements Annual on-going program for major corridor maintenance of right-of-way projects. Projects are jointly funded by the state and Amtrak, and are designed to provide improvements for commuter rail services in Delaware.
- Third Rail Track Expansion, Newark to Wilmington [Project No. 24-514-01] will be constructed to provide additional capacity for local commuter services in Amtrak's Northeast Corridor. This will include the following set of improvements:
 - ❖ Installation of a crossover from Track 3 to Track 2 immediately south of Wilmington Station at the Brandy Interlocking, allowing commuter trains to sit in "a pocket" on Track 2 while intercity trains clear on adjacent Tracks; and/or
 - * Extension of Track 1 between Ragan and Yard, providing and alternative route into and out of Wilmington Station other than Ragan Interlocking; and/or
 - Addition of a crossover from Track 1 to Track 2 north of Churchman's, allowing northbound trains from Newark to crossover onto Track 2, thus freeing a significant portion of Track 1 for the primary use of southbound trains; and/or
 - Addition of a southbound platform on Track 3 and a pedestrian bridge at Churchman's, along with a pair of crossovers from Tracks 1 to 2 and Tracks 2 to 3 at Ruthby (SR273, east of Newark). This will allow southbound trains to use Track 3 through Churchman's freeing up Track 1 from Ruthby to Davis (Newark) for the primary use of northbound commuters.
 - Modification of the Davis Interlocking at Newark to permit a new Track to be installed between the Delmarva Secondary and the Northeast Corridor that would serve a relocated Newark Rail Station.

PROJECT JUSTIFICATION: These improvements will provide a viable alternative for riders who would otherwise travel to this area by car on I-95, helping mitigate congestion along the I-95 corridor. With the scheduled construction of I-95 from the Christiana Mall to SR141 including a new Churchman's Bridge; I-95 5th Lane, from Churchman's to SR141; and a new interchange at SR 1 and I-95, these improvements will be relied upon to further mitigate traffic off of the I-95 corridor. The original FTA discretionary funding that was "earmarked" to be used on the Steel Wheel Trolley in Wilmington has been used to fund the needs study and concept plan for this project.

County: New Castle

Municipality: Wilmington, Newport, Newark

New Funding Program: Transit System – Rail

Functional Category: Expansion

Representative District: 13, 16, 17, 18, 24, 25

Senatorial District: 2, 6, 9, 13



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Project	Funding Type	Original Estimate	Current Estimate	Authorization	Committed as of 12/31/04	Expended as of 12/31/04	Committed Unexpended as of 12/31/04	Authorization Available
Rail Improvements, Newark to Wilmington		\$ 51,650.9						
Prior Years	State			\$ 25,922.6	\$ 25,476.6	\$ 16,065.2	\$ 9,411.4	\$ 446.0
	Federal			\$ 6,154.3	\$ 1,173.2	\$ 10.2	\$ 1,163.0	\$ 4,981.1
	Other			\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0
FY 2005	State		\$ 51,650.9	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 446.0
	Federal			\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 4,981.1
	Other			\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0
FY 2006 Request	State			\$ 1,000.0				\$ 1,446.0
112000 Request	Federal			\$ 1,000.0				\$ 5,981.1
	Other			\$ 0.0				\$ 0.0
FY 2007 Projected	State			\$ 4,304.8				\$ 5,750.8
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	Other			\$ 0.0				\$ 0.0
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FY 2008 Projected	State			\$ 1,010.0				\$ 6,760.8
	Federal Other			\$ 4,040.0 \$ 0.0				\$ 18,240.3 \$ 0.0
FY 2009-2011 Projected	State							
	Federal							
	Other							
Total Projected	State			\$ 32,237.4	\$ 25,476.6			\$ 6,760.8
	Federal			\$ 19,413.5	\$ 1,173.2			\$ 18,240.3
	Other			\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0			\$ 0.0
Total All Funds		\$ 51,650.9	\$ 51,650.9	\$ 51,650.9	\$ 26,649.8	\$ 16,075.5	\$ 10,574.3	\$ 25,001.1

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Project #	Description	Phase	Funding Schedule	Current Estimate	Prior Years	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009 -2011
	Rail Improvements, Newark to Wilmington									
99-512-01	Churchman's Crossing, Fairplay Station Parking	RW	100% ST	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0
		С	100% ST	17,510.9	17,510.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
21-512-01	Churchman's Crossing Station Public Announcement System	С	100% ST	30.0	30.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Churchman's Crossing Station Slope Treatment	С	100% ST	80.0	80.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Commuter Rail Cars (4) R2 Service	PLAN	50% DISC FTA	8,000.0	0.0	0.0	2,000.0	6,000.0	0.0	0.0
23-512-03	Concrete Tie Improvement on Track 1, between Ragan and Davis Interlockings	С	100% ST	4,600.0	4,600.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Northeast Corridor Improvements	RW, C	83% DISC FTA	1,625.0	1,625.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
24-514-01	Third Rail Track Expansion, Newark to Wilmington	PLAN PLAN	100% ST 80% DISC FTA	2,231.0 6,000.0	2,231.0 6,000.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
		PLAN	80% DISC FTA	11,574.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6,524.0	5,050.0	0.0
	Total All Funds			\$ 51,650.9	\$ 32,076.9	\$ 0.0	\$ 2,000.0	\$ 12,524.0	\$ 5,050.0	\$ 0.0