



STATE OF CONNECTICUT
Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations

December 20, 2023

The Honorable Governor Ned Lamont
The Honorable Christine Cohen, Chair, Transportation Committee
The Honorable Roland Lemar, Co-Chair, Transportation Committee

RE: Special Act 23-13 - An Act Studying the Consolidation of Metropolitan Planning Organizations

Dear Governor and Transportation Committee Chairs:

Pursuant to [Special Act No. 23-13 An Act Studying the Consolidation of Metropolitan Planning Organizations](#) (MPO) on behalf of the Connecticut Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations (ACIR), we are writing to provide you an update on the Commission's progress.

ACIR in consultation with the Department of Transportation was tasked to study and make recommendations regarding the consolidation of metropolitan planning organizations to achieve a greater level of consistency and efficiency in transportation planning. An MPO Study Informational Meeting was held on November 14, 2023 and included presentations from various stakeholders. ACIR will be finalizing its report at its January 5, 2024 monthly meeting and transmit to you shortly thereafter.

Thank you for your consideration of this report and we look forward to working with you on future projects. Please feel free to contact us at ACIR@ct.gov.

Sincerely:

Handwritten signature of Brendan Sharkey in black ink.

Brendan Sharkey, Chair

Handwritten signature of John Filchak in black ink.

John Filchak, Vice Chair