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Attention: Mr. Jermaine Hannon

Attention: Mr. Ray Sukys

Dear Mr. Hannon and Mr. Sukys:

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has completed the review of the following amendment to the Fresno Council of Governments' (FCOG) 2010/11 - 2013/14 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (FTIP):

<u>No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
11	<b>State and Local Elements</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This amendment adds, modifies or deletes individual and grouped projects in Fresno County. The amendment includes projects with funding from the State Highway Operations and Protection Program, the State Transportation Improvement Program, the Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement Program, Proposition 1B, the Highway Bridge Program, the Surface Transportation Program, and local funds.</li> </ul>

See enclosure.

The FCOG board resolution adopting this FTIP amendment certifies that projects included meet all applicable transportation planning requirements per Title 23 Code of Federal Regulation (CFR) Part 450 and satisfy the applicable air quality conformity requirements.

Pursuant to the authority delegated to me by the Director of Caltrans, I approve FCOG's Amendment Number 11. I also recommend that the Federal Highway Administration and FTA approve this FTIP amendment for inclusion into California's 2011 Federal Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (FSTIP). Projects included in this FTIP amendment, in fiscal years not within the four-year cycle of the current FSTIP, are not approved as part of this FTIP amendment and are shown for information only. Approval of this amendment does not constitute an eligibility determination of project for federal funding.

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Please address any questions on this FSTIP approval request to Dennis Jacobs of my staff, at (916) 654-4447.

Sincerely,



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Enclosures

- c: Lisa Hanf, EPA Office of Air Planning (w/enclosure)
- Karina O'Connor, EPA Office of Air Planning (w/enclosure)
- Tony Boren, Executive Director, FCOG