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Attention: Ms. Sue Kiser

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Attention: Mr. Ray Sukys

Dear Ms. Kiser and Mr. Sukys:

The California Department of Transportation has completed the review of the following amendment to the Tulare County Association of Government's (TCAG) 2006/07-2009/10 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (FTIP):

No.	Description
14	**State, Local and Transit Elements** • Adds or modifies various projects in Tulare County. Projects include funding from the Safe Routes to School Program, Transportation Enhancement, Highway Bridge Program, Federal Transit Administration 5307 (FTA 5307), FTA 5316 Job Access and Reverse Commute, FTA 5317-New Freedom Program, Federal Lands Program, and Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality program.

See Enclosure.

The TCAG Board Resolution adopting this FTIP amendment certifies that projects included meets all applicable transportation planning requirements Per Title 23 Code of Federal Regulation Part 450, and satisfy the applicable air quality conformity requirements.

Pursuant to the authority delegated to me, I approve TCAG's Amendment No. 14. I also recommend that the Federal Highway Administration and FTA approve this FTIP amendment for inclusion into California's 2007 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 projects for federal funding.

Please address any questions on this FSTIP approval request to Joanne McDermott, of my staff, at (916) 651-7411.

Sincerely,

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Chief
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Enclosures

c: Karina O'Connor – EPA Office of Air Planning (w/enclosure)
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