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

No.	Description
1	**State, Local and Transit Elements** • This amendment adds or modifies thirteen individual and grouped projects. The amendment includes projects with funding from State Highway Operations and Protection Program, Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Program, Highway Bridge Program, State Bond funds, the Federal Transit Administration Sections 5308, 5311, 5316 and local funds. See enclosure.

The COFCG 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 COFCG's Amendment Number 1. I also recommend that the Federal Highway Administration and the Federal Transit Administration 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.

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

Sincerely,

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Chief
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Enclosures

c: Lisa Hanf, EPA Office of Air Planning (w/enclosure)
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