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Attention: Ms. Sue Kiser

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 Merced County Association of Governments' (MCAG) 2008/09 – 2011/12 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (FTIP):

<u>No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
28	State Element
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This amendment revises the funding split for the Maintenance Asphalt Concrete Overlay project of the Grouped Project for Highway Maintenance Program in Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2010/11 and corrects various programming errors to the Grouped Project for State Highway Operation and Protection Program - Collision Reduction in FFYs 2008/09, 2009/10, and 2011/12.

See enclosure.

The MCAG Board Resolution adopting this FTIP amendment certifies that the amendment is financially constrained, does not change air quality conformity, and meets the requirements of public involvement procedures adopted by MCAG.

Pursuant to the authority delegated to me by the Director of Caltrans, I approve MCAG's Amendment Number 28. I also recommend that the FHWA and the FTA approve this FTIP amendment for inclusion into California's 2009 Federal Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (FSTIP). Approval of this amendment does not constitute an eligibility determination of projects for federal funding.

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

Sincerely,



RACHEL FALSETTI
Chief
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Enclosures

- c: Lisa Hanf – Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Air Planning (w/enclosure)
- Eric Eidlin – FTA (w/enclosure)
- Scott Carson – FHWA (w/enclosure)
- Jesse Brown – MCAG
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