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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 Stanislaus Council of Governments (StanCOG) 2010/11-2013/14 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (FTIP):

No.	Description
18	**Local and Transit Elements**

The amendment adds or modifies projects in StanCOG region. The amendment includes projects funded from the Safe Routes to School Program (SRTS), and the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) 5307 and 5310 programs.

See enclosure.

The StanCOG Board Resolution adopting this FTIP amendment certifies that projects included satisfy the transportation conformity provisions, and meet the requirements of public involvement.

Pursuant to the authority delegated to me by the Director of Caltrans, I approve StanCOG's Amendment No. 18. 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). 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 Abhijit Bagde, of my staff, at (916) 654-3638.

Sincerely,

RACHEL FALSETTI
Chief
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Enclosures

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