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In Reply Refer To:
(TRAP 37 - STIP)
Arizona FY 2016-2019
Statewide Transportation Program (STIP)
Approval of Amendment No. 6

Mr. Michael Kies, Division Director
Multimodal Planning Division
Arizona Department of Transportation, (300B)
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

Dear Mr. Kies:

We have reviewed your November 20, 2015 request to amend the FY 2016-2019 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to include the enclosed list of projects approved by the State Transportation Board on November 20, 2015.

We accept this Amendment in accordance with 23 CFR 450 and find that this STIP amendment was developed based on a continuing, cooperative and comprehensive transportation planning process in accordance with the 23 USC 134 and Section 5303 of the Federal Transit Act (49 USC 53). The changes made to the program by this amendment are either exempt or are regarded as minor project revisions that do not require conformity determination [40 CFR §93.126].

This letter constitutes approval and inclusion of Amendment 6 into the Arizona FY 2016-2019 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP). Our approval is based upon the Arizona Department of Transportation's assurance that the funding for the projects in this amendment will not adversely impact the STIP Financial Plan.

Sincerely,

FOR Karla S. Petty
Division Administrator

Enclosure

November 20, 2015

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Ms. Karla S. Petty
Division Administrator
Federal Highway Administration
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Phoenix, Arizona 85012-3500

RE: FY 2016-2020 STIP, Amendment Number 6

Dear Ms. Petty:

As the Governor's designee, I cordially request Amendment Number 6 of the FY 2016-2020 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP). The project modifications are detailed in the attached document and were approved by the State Transportation Board in a meeting on November 20, 2015.

This amendment is in accordance with 23 CFR 450 and was developed based on a continuing, cooperative, and comprehensive transportation planning process in accordance with 23 USC 134 and section 5303 of the Federal Transit Act (49 USC 53). The changes made to the program, by this amendment, are either exempt or are regarded as minor project revisions that do not require conformity determination [40 CFR §93.126]. The funding for the projects in this amendment will not adversely impact the STIP Financial Plan.

Your prompt approval of this request will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,



Michael Kies P.E.
Multimodal Planning Division

cc: Ed Stillings, FHWA
Patrick Stone, ADOT FMS

Mary Dettlaff, ADOT MPD

Attachments

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ItemNo	TRACS No. Project No.	Location Description	Type Of Work	Amount	Action
Board approved project changes to the Current State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP)					
53214	H873401C FA 040-D(232)T	I 40, TWIN ARROWS TI UNDERPASS, STR #1363	Construct Bridge Deck Rehabilitation	\$5,900,000	Increase the construction project by \$2,900,000 to \$5,900,000 in the Highway Construction Program. Change the Type of Work to "Partial TI Reconstruction." Funds are available from the FY 2016 Statewide Contingency Fund #72316. ADOT TIP 7580.
7588	H882601C HSIP 087-B(221)T	SR 87, PAYSON - MP 283	Tree Thinning	\$1,100,000	Establish the new construction project for \$1,100,000 in the Highway Construction Program. Funds are available from the FY 2016 Statewide Tree Thinning Funds #18116. See H820601C Program Item #18116 (this is the subprogram for Tree Thinning). ADOT TIP 7588.
7516	M691701D STATE 089-A	SR 89, YARNELL HILL MEMORIAL TRAIL	Construct Parking Lot	\$10,000	Establish the new survey project for \$10,000 in the Highway Construction Program. Funds are available from the FY 2016 Construction Preparation: Technical Engineering Group Fund #70016. See RecID 16788 for the Yarnell Hill Memorial Parking Lot. ADOT TIP 7516.
7576	M691801C STATE 089-A	SR 89, YARNELL HILL MEMORIAL PARKING LOT	Construct Parking Lot	\$1,500,000	Establish the new construction project for \$1,500,000 in the Highway Construction Program. Funds are available from the FY 2016 Transportation Alternatives Fund #71616. See 16788. ADOT TIP 7576. See RecID 16787.
23613	H832401D STP 191-B(203)T	US 191, RELATION ST TO JCT US 70	Design Signal, striping, & signing	\$809,000	Increase the design by \$257,000 to \$809,000 in the Highway Construction Program. Funds are available from the following sources: FY 2016 Right of Way Acquisition, Appraisals and Plans Fund #71016 (\$188K), and FY 2016 Construction Preparation: Technical Engineering Group Fund #70016 (\$69K). TERC approve Round 18, 2010. ADOT TIP 5546.
7526	F000801L BR 389	SR 389, SHORT CREEK BRIDGE	Scoping	\$68,000	Establish the new scoping for \$68,000 in the Highway Construction Program. Funds are available from the FY 2016 Bridge Replacement and Rehabilitation Fund #76216. ADOT TIP is 7526.
7491	SR21401X RHC SLP-0(201)T	SW, MORLEY / BANKS BRIDGE DOT 742-040W AND CALLE SONORA DOT 742-037N	Construct Railroad Signal and Preemption	\$969,000	Establish the new signal project for \$969,000 in the Program. Funds are available from the FY 2016 Railroad Highway Crossing Fund #72616. Morley / Banks Bridge - RR Amount \$544K in the SEAGO TIP as ADOT 16-03. Calle Sonora - RR Amount \$425K in the SEAGO TIP as ADOT 16-04. ADOT TIP 7491.
7495	SR21801X RHC NOG-0(200)T	SW, DOE / BANKARD AT UPRR DOT 742-038V	Construct Railroad Signal and Preemption	\$305,000	Establish the new construction project for \$305,000 in the Highway Construction Program. Funds are available from the FY 2016 Railway Highway Crossing Fund #72616. Identified in the SEAGO TIP as ADOT 16-01. ADOT TIP is 7495.

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7499	SR25601X RARF NOG-0(205)T	SW, COURT STREET AT UPRR DOT 742-041D	Construct Railroad Signal and Preemption	\$143,000	Establish the new construction project for \$143,000 in the Program. Funds are available from the FY 2016 Railway Highway Crossing Fund #72616. SEAGO TIP is ADOT 16-05. ADOT TIP is 7499.
7503	SR25701X RHC NOG-0(204)T	SW, BAFFERT DRIVE AT DOT 742-036G / JEO B-19	Construct Railroad Signal and Preemption	\$313,000	Establish the new construction project for \$313,000 in the Highway Construction Program. Funds are available from the FY 2016 Railway Highway Crossing Fund #72616. Identified in the SEAGO TIP as ADOT 16-02. ADOT TIP 7503.
37114	M513801X FA 999-M(120)	SW, DEVELOP SECTION 106 PROGRAMMATIC AGREEMENT	Environmental Streamlining and Stewardship	\$62,000	Increase the project by \$17,000 to \$62,000 in the Highway Construction Program. Funds are available from the FY 2016 Environmental Support Fund #77716. ADOT TIP 3487.

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Projects that require approval from the MAG Regional Council					
46714	H687001L RARF 303-	SR 303, SR 30 - I-10	Study	\$5,995,000	Increase study by \$387,000 to \$5,995,000 in the Highway Construction Program. Funds are available from the MAG Preliminary Engineering (Management Consultants, 30% Plans Design) Fund #42216. Funding source identified in the MAG TIP as DOT 16-419. ADOT TIP 7520.
7511	M691601X	SW, FIBER MANAGEMENT SOFTWARE	Software	\$33,000	Establish the new project for \$33,000 in the Highway Construction Program. Funds are available from the FY 2016 MAG Freeway Management System Preservation Fund #43116. Funding source is identified in the MAG TIP as DOT 16-404.