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Arizona FY 2006-2008
Statewide Transportation Program (STIP)
Approval of Amendment No. 6

Mr. Victor M. Mendez, Director
Arizona Department of Transportation, (100A)
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

Dear Mr. Mendez:

We have reviewed your April 11, 2006 request to amend the FY 2006-2008 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to include the projects in Pima Association of Governments (PAG) TIP Amendment Number 7 as approved by the PAG Regional Council on March 23, 2006. Federally funded projects in this amendment include: to increase the funding on the Campbell Avenue Revitalization project, revise the funding on the Linda Vista/Twin Peaks TI project to reflect Federal NH funds, increase funding on the ITS-Emergency Preemption System Expansion project (STP funds), and add new project ITS-Transportation Communication Network Expansion (Demo funds).

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 determinations [40 CFR §93.126].

This letter constitutes approval, and inclusion of Amendment 6 into the Arizona FY 2006-2008 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP). Our approval is based upon the Arizona Department of Transportation's assurance that the funding for the project in this amendment will not adversely impact the STIP Financial Plan.

Sincerely,

Edward S. Stillings
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RE: FY 2006-2008 STIP Amendment Number 6

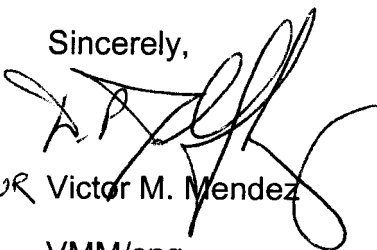
Dear Mr. Hollis:

As the Governor's designee, I approve the action taken by the Pima Association of Governments' (PAG) Regional Council on **March 23, 2006, (7)** to amend the PAG FY 2006-2010 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). I cordially request Amendment Number 6 of the FY 2006-2008 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to include the projects listed on the attached sheets.

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 exempt from the requirements that a conformity determination be performed. The funding for these projects is already within the approved STIP Financial Plan and therefore does not adversely impact the STIP Financial Plan.

Your prompt approval of this request will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,


FOR Victor M. Mendez

VMM/sng

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Attachments



Amendment action	TIP ID	State ID Fed ID	STREET/PROJECT NAME TERMINI	PROJECT DESCRIPTION AIR QUALITY STATUS	TIP STATUS	TOTAL PROJECT COST (000's)	PROPOSED FUNDING (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)				Sponsor
							2006	2007	2008	2009	

Item A

Increase funding	32.06	1.00 0 0	Campbell Ave Revitalization Grant to Ft. Lowell New sidewalks, streetscape and bus bays AQ STATUS : EXEMPT	Active	878	418 TEA 0 0 L=130 DC	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Tucson
			PROPOSED	Active		418 TEA 330 DEMO 0 L=130 DC	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	

PAG 2006 - 2010 TIP PROJECTS

TIP Amendment #7 - Approved 3/23/06

Amendment action	TIP ID	State ID Fed ID LENGTH (Mi.) Existing Lanes After Lanes	STREET/PROJECT NAME TERMINI PROJECT DESCRIPTION AIR QUALITY STATUS	TIP STATUS	TOTAL PROJECT COST (000's)	PROPOSED FUNDING (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)					Sponsor	
						FISCAL YEAR						
						2006	2007	2008	2009	2010		
Item B												
Revise funding schedule	758.00	H5838 01C 0.00 0 0	Linda Vista/Twin Peaks TI @I-10 Details pending DCR completion AQ STATUS : ANALYZED	Active	31150	70122.6% 7000DIFO 0 RC	70002.6% 7000DIFO 0 C	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Marana
			PROPOSED	Active		122.6% 0 0 D	1315DM 14000DIFO 11805NH S=880 RC	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0		

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					2006	2007	2008	2009	
			PROJECT DESCRIPTION AIR QUALITY STATUS		2006	2007	2008	2009	2010

Item C

Item ID	State ID Fed ID	STREET/PROJECT NAME TERMINI	TOTAL PROJECT COST (000's)	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	Sponsor
31.01	0.00 0 0	ITS - Emergency Preemption System Expansion Regionwide Expand city system to coordinate with county AQ STATUS : EXEMPT Active	345	240STP 0 0 L=14 C	0 0 0	0 85STP 0 L=6 C	0 0 0	0 0 0	Tucson
		PROPOSED		315STP 0 0 L=19 C	0 0 0	0 85STP 0 L=6 C	0 0 0	0 0 0	
45.05	0.00 0 0	ITS - RTOC - FY04 RTOC to Pima County Maintenance Facility on Mission Install fiber optic connection AQ STATUS : EXEMPT Active	175	75STP 0 0 L=100 DC	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Tucson
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						FISCAL YEAR					
						2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	
Item D Add project	11.05	0.00 0 0	ITS -Transportation Communication Network Expansion Regionwide Expand traffic Signal, transit, and ER link AQ STATUS : EXEMPT	Reserve	3010	0	0	0	0	0	Tucson
						0	0	0	0	0	
						0	0	0	0	0	
						3010 DEMO	0	0	0	0	
						0	0	0	0	0	
						0	0	0	0	0	
			PROPOSED	Active		DC					

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						FISCAL YEAR						
						2006	2007	2008	2009	2010		
Decrease funding	184.00	1.50 3 3	10th Ave 44th St. to 22nd St. Reconstruct pavement, add walk, curbs, lighting, & AQ STATUS : EXEMPT	Active	7273	18812.6%	0	0	0	0	0	South Tucson
			PROPOSED	Active		-8612.6%	0	0	0	0	0	
Reduce funding	185.00	0.80 0 0	29th St. 6th Ave to Freeway & Railroad to 4th Roadway Enhancement AQ STATUS : EXEMPT	Active	2974	42412.6%	0	0	0	0	0	South Tucson
			PROPOSED	Active		25612.6%	0	0	0	0	0	
Increase funding	423.00	1.00 5 5	South 6th Avenue Roadway Improvement N City Limits to 40th St. Resurfacing AQ STATUS : EXEMPT	Active	763	43812.6%	0	0	0	0	0	South Tucson
			PROPOSED	Active		88012.6%	0	0	0	0	0	

Item E