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Arizona FY 2006-2008
Statewide Transportation Program (STIP)
Approval of Amendment No. 9

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

Dear Mr. Mendez:

We have reviewed your April 26, 2006 request to amend the FY 2006-2008 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to include the Beaver Dam Bridge project in Mohave County approved by the Western Arizona Council of Governments (WACOG) Executive Board on April 13, 2006.

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 9 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
Engineering Development Coordinator





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April 26, 2006

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Mr. Robert Hollis
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RE: FY 2006-2008 STIP, Amendment Number 9

Dear Mr. Hollis:

As the Governor's designee, I approve the action taken by the Western Arizona Council of Governments (WACOG) Executive Board on April 13, 2006. This is to amend the WACOG FY 2006-2010 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). I cordially request Amendment Number 9 of the FY 2006-2008 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to include the project, "Beaver Dam Bridge" listed on the attached sheet, under "WACOG Bridge Replacement Program."

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,

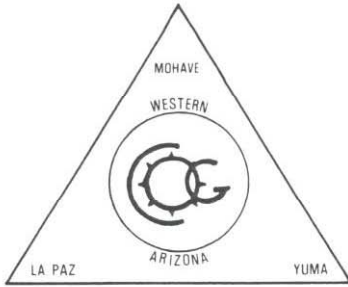
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April 20, 2006


Mr. Ysidro Solima, Transportation Planner
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Transportation Planning Division
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Dear Ysidro;

Attached you will find a request from the Western Arizona Council of Governments (WACOG) for a TIP amendment to include the Beaver Dam Bridge in the WACOG 5 yr Construction program. This needs to be included as Mohave County is negotiating with FEMA and ADOT (HELP Loan) for funds to replace the bridge destroyed by flooding in 2004. The WACOG Transportation Advisory Committee unanimously approved adding the Beaver Dam Bridge to the construction program. Please forward this request on through the Transportation Board and FHWA as needed to have this project included. The WACOG Transportation Advisory Committee approved the TIP amendment at it meeting held in Lake Havasu City March 31, 2006. The WACOG Executive Board met on April 13th 2006, in Parker, at which time the WACOG Executive Board approved forwarding the TIP amendment which adds the Beaver Dam Bridge to the WACOG Bridge Improvement List.

Should you have any questions feel free to contact me at 928-753-6247?

Sincerely,


David D. Barber
Deputy Director

Enc:

WACOG 5-YR LOCAL CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM FY 2006-2010

WACOG 5-YR LOCAL CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM

SPONSOR	Project Location	Type Work	Lanes Before	Lanes After	Project Length	Federal Functional Classification	Appn Amount	OA Amount	Hurf Exchange	Match	Total Cost
FY 2005-2006											
La Paz County	Salome Rd	Reconstruction	2	2		maj coll	388,888	350,000	315,000	135,000	450,000
Lake Havasu City	Mesquite Ave Smoke-LHC A	Reconstruct/Signal	3	4	0.8	maj coll	617,777	556,000	500,400	99,600	600,000
Quartzsite	Plymouth Rd Box Culvert	construct/chipseal	2	2	0.1	maj coll	323,013	290,000	261,000	35,000	296,000
Bullhead City	2nd Bridge Crossing	Study and Design	0	5	0.1	maj coll	10,320	10,000		50,000	60,000
WACOG	AZ Tech Transfer						5,000	5,000			5,000
Sub Total							1,344,998	1,211,000	1,076,400	319,600	1,411,000
FY 2006-2007											
Kingman	N Banks St-3	Reconstruction	2	5	1	maj coll	555,555	500,000	450,000	397,000	847,000
La Paz Co	Salome Rd	Reconstruction	2	2	3	maj coll	500,000	450,000	405,000	125,000	530,000
WACOG	AZ Tech Transfer						5,000	5,000			5,000
Sub Total							1,060,555	955,000	855,000	522,000	1,382,000
FY 2007-2008											
Kingman	N Bank - 4	Reconstruction	2	5	0.25	maj coll	555,555	500,000	450,000	360,000	810,000
Col City	Central St S Mohave ave	Reconstruction	2	3	0.86	maj coll	475,616	428,054	385,249	38,561	423,810
Mohave Co	Jagerson S hill-Bond St	Reconstruction	2	5	0.92	Urb major coll	555,555	500,000	450,000	204,805	654,805
Bullhead City	Adobe Rd	Build new Const	0	5	0.75	maj coll	555,555	500,000	450,000	255,000	705,000
Sub Total							2,142,281	1,928,054	1,735,249	858,366	2,593,615
FY 2008-09											
Kingman	Gordan/Banks Signalization	signalization	2	5	0.1	maj coll	177,777	160,000	144,000	16,000	160,000
Lake Havasu C	Swanson Ave	reconstruction	3	4	0.8	maj coll	555,555	500,000	450,000	375,000	825,000
Bullhead City	Adobe Rd	New Construction	0	5	1	maj coll	555,555	500,000	450,000	470,000	920,000
Sub Total							1,288,887	1,160,000	1,044,000	861,000	1,905,000
FY 2009-10											
Bullhead City	Acacia Way, Mohave-Havas	New Construction	0	2	0.5	maj coll	516,016	500,000	450,000	680,000	1,130,000
Lake Havasu C	Lake Havasu Avenue	Reconstruction	3	5	0.5	maj coll	516,016	500,000	450,000	890,000	1,340,000
Kingman	Gordon Drive	Reconstruction	2	3	0.25	maj coll	516,016	500,000	450,000	310,000	760,000
Sub Total							1,548,000	1,500,000	1,350,000	1,880,000	3,230,000
Total							7,384,721	6,154,054	6,060,649	4,440,966	10,501,615
WACOG Bridge Replacement Program											
La Paz County	Cibola Bridge B# 10221	Reconstruction	2	2	0.1			1,000,000		600,000	1,600,000
Mohave Co	Beaver Dam Bridge	Reconstruction	2	2	0.1			1,000,000		9,500,000	10,500,000