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(727)
Arizona FY 2007-2011
Statewide Transportation Program (STIP)
Approval of Amendment No. 8

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



Dear Mr. Mendez:

We have reviewed your May 8, 2007 request to amend the FY 2007-2011 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to include the enclosed table which consists of new projects and increases to existing projects.

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 8 into the Arizona FY 2007-2011 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 yours,

Edward S. Stillings
Engineering Development Coordinator

Enclosure

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May 8, 2007

Mr. Robert Hollis
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RE: FY 2007-2011 STIP, Amendment Number 8

Dear Mr. Hollis:

As the Governor's designee, I cordially request Amendment Number 8 of the FY 2007-2011 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to include the attached list of projects.

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,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Victor M. Mendez". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Victor M. Mendez

VMM/Ih

cc: Janet Gafford
Debbie Mayfield

Attachment

FY 2007-2011 STIP, Amendment No. 8

TRACS No. Project No.	Location Description	Type of Work	Amount	Note
H633201C 077-B(001)A	SR 77, Main Street, Taylor	Construct sidewalks	\$1,140,000	TEA + \$125K from Town of Taylor
H674201C 387-A(004)A	SR 387, Val Vista to Gila River Indian Community	Landscape medians	\$ 400,000	TEA
H661601C 093-A(002)A	US 93, North Gateway	Landscaping	\$ 192,000	TEA
H609201C 060-D(012)A	US 60, Russell Rd to Ragus Rd	New sidewalk	\$1,200,000	TEA (Budget Increase / \$400K)
H719801C NFA	US 70 @ MP 280.5, Salt Creek	Emergency repairs on failing pipe culverts & embankment	\$4,000,000	STATE
H693801C 015-A(200)A	I-15, Virgin River Bridges, #2 thru 7	Bridge Rehabilitation	\$6,050,000	BR (budget increase / \$1,550K)
H676001C NFA	I-40, Willow Creek Bridges #1592, 1593, 1594, 1595 & 1768	Deck rehabilitation	\$5,100,000	STATE (budget increase / \$700K)
H672201C 086-A(010)A	SR 86 @Camino Verde	Intersection Improvements	\$1,500,000	HES
H555501C 010-E(010)	I-10, Craycroft Road to Willcox	Sign rehab	\$2,900,000	IM
H480301C 019-A(131)	I-19, JCT 19B to Palo Parado	Pavement preservation	\$14,998,000	IM
H524001C 008-A(201)	I-8, Adonde Road to Mohawk Canal	Pavement preservation	\$13,540,000	IM
H595801C 060-B(004)A	US 60, MP 111.13 to MP 112.77	Construct continuous two way left turn lane	\$7,075,000	STP, HES & State
H635101C 169-A(200)	SR 169, Agua Fria Bridge, #1371	Bridge replacement	\$5,232,000	BR, State & Town of Prescott Valley