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In Reply Refer To:
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(727)
Arizona FY 2008-2011
Statewide Transportation Program (STIP)
Approval of Amendment No. 12

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

Dear Mr. Mendez:

We have reviewed your April 4, 2008 request to amend the FY 2008-2011 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to include the PAG TIP amendments approved by PAG Regional Council on March 26, 2008. The tables of projects are enclosed.

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 12 into the Arizona FY 2008-2011 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

Leslie T. Rogers
FTA Regional Administrator
Enclosures
cc: ABurnham (310B), LHarriger (320B)
NBanks, EStillings, JHannon, TDeitering
ESS:cdm

Robert E. Hollis
FHWA Division Administrator

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April 4, 2008

Mr. Robert Hollis
Division Administrator
Federal Highway Administration
One Arizona Center, Suite 410
400 East Van Buren Street
Phoenix, AZ 85004-2285

RE: FY 2008-2011 STIP, Amendment Number 12

Dear Mr. Hollis:

As the Governor's designee, I approve the action taken by the Pima Association of Governments (PAG) Regional Council on March 26, 2008 to amend the PAG FY 2008-2012 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). I cordially request Amendment Number 12 to the FY 2008-2011 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 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,

Victor M. Mendez

VMM/lh

cc: Hymie Luden
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Attachment



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April 4, 2008

Mr. Leslie Rodgers
Regional Administrator
Federal Transit Administration
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San Francisco, CA 94105-1839

RE: FY 2008-2011 STIP, Amendment Number 12

Dear Mr. Rodgers:

As the Governor's designee, I approve the action taken by the Pima Association of Governments (PAG) Regional Council on March 26, 2008 to amend the PAG FY 2008-2012 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). I cordially request Amendment Number 12 to the FY 2008-2011 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to include the attached list of projects.

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Your prompt approval of this request will be greatly appreciated.

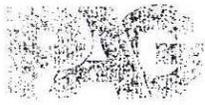
Sincerely,

Victor M. Mendez

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cc:	Ed Stillings	Greg Gentsch	Sara Richey
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Attachment



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March 27, 2008

Mr. Arnold Burnham
State and Regional Planning Manager
Transportation Planning Division
Arizona Department of Transportation
206 S. 17th Ave. - Mail Drop 310B
Phoenix AZ 85007-3213

Dear Arnold:

Enclosed is a copy of Amendments #7 and #8 to the FY2008-2012 TIP. These amendments were officially approved by the Pima Association of Governments' Regional Council on March 26, 2008. I have mailed copies to the ADOT Phoenix staff shown on the distribution list below. Please feel free to make additional copies for any other ADOT staff who may have a need to know.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Gary G. Hayes, AICP
Executive Director

Enclosure

cc: Greg Gentsch - ADOT
Danny Granillo - ADOT
Larry Maucher - ADOT
Natalie Clark - ADOT
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PAG 2008 - 2012 TIP PROJECTS

TIP Amendment #7 - Approved 3/26/2008

Amendment action	TIP ID	Sponsor ID State/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)					
						FISCAL YEAR					
						2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	Sponsor

Item A

Increase funding. Ref. JPA 07-046	9.00	10504 H643401C 1.90 6 8	I-10: 29th St. to Prince Prince to I-19 Lane addition AQ STATUS: ANALYZED	Active	227581	0 181042.6% 0 C	0 17702.6% 0 C	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	ADOT
			PROPOSED	Active		0 216042.6% 0 C	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	
Reschedule funding	753.00	29302 0.00 0 0	I-10: East Corridor Study I-19 East to Cochise County Line Corridor study AQ STATUS: EXEMPT	Active	2000	20002.6% 0 0 Study	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	ADOT
			PROPOSED	Active		0 0 0	0 0 0	20002.6% 0 0 Study	0 0 0	0 0 0	
Place project in reserve	47.05	0.50 4 6	Prince Rd. Grade Separation Prince @UPRR Construct grade separation AQ STATUS: ANALYZED	Active	10000	0 0 0 C	0 0 0	0 16672.6% 0 C	0 0 0	0 0 0	Tucson
			PROPOSED	Reserve		0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	

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Item A

Decrease funding	750.00		Scoping Contingency Pool		1000	1602.6%	2002.6%	2002.6%	2002.6%	2002.6%	ADOT
		0.00	Misc Locations			0	0	0	0	0	
		0	Preliminary Studies			0	0	0	0	0	
		0	AQ STATUS: EXEMPT	Active		Study	Study	Study	Study	Study	
						972.6%	382.6%	3992.6%	2002.6%	2002.6%	
						0	0	0	0	0	
						0	0	0	0	0	
			PROPOSED	Active		Study	Study	Study	Study	Study	

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Item B

New project	113.08	0.00 0 0	Arizona's First Transportation Corridor Various locations Yuma to Nogales Anza expedition exhibits AQ STATUS : EXEMPT	Active	143	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	ADOT
			PROPOSED	Active		97TEA 0 0 S=46 DC	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	

PAG 2008 - 2012 TIP PROJECTS

TIP Amendment #8 - Approved 3/26/08

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						FISCAL YEAR					
						2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	Sponsor

Item A

New Project	131.08	0.00 0 0	Job Access Reverse Commute (Urban) - Marana Commuter Express I-10 Marana Rd. to Ina Transit copmmuter service connecting Marana to AQ STATUS : EXEMPT	Reserve	211	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Marana
						2115316 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	
			PROPOSED	Active		C						
New project	134.08	0.00 0 0	New Freedom (Rural) - Fleet Maintenance Rural areas Safety and maintenance upgrades for rural transit AQSTATUS : EXEMPT	Reserve	19	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	ADOT
						195317 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	
			PROPOSED	Active		C						
New Project	133.08	0.00 0 0	New Freedom (Rural) - Mobile Market Accessibility Various locations Increased mobility to markets AQ STATUS : EXEMPT	Reserve	33	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	ADOT
						335317 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	
			PROPOSED	Active		C						

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Item A

New Project	132.08		New Freedom (Urban) - Transit Services Coordinator N/A Oro Valley Transit Services Coordinator AQ STATUS: EXEMPT	Reserve	279	0	0	C	0	0	Oro Valley
		0.00 0 0				0	0	C	0	0	
						279 5317	0	C	0	0	
						0	0	C	0	0	
						0	0	0	0	0	
			PROPOSED	Active		C					