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In Reply Refer To:  
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(727)  
Arizona FY 2008-2011  
Statewide Transportation Program (STIP)  
Approval of Amendments No. 14

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

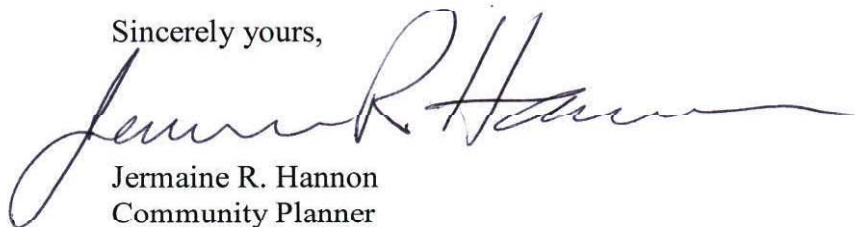
Dear Mr. Mendez:

We have reviewed your April 17, 2008 request to amend the FY 2008-2011 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to include the Transportation Enhancement (TE) Projects on the enclosed table

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 14 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,



Jermaine R. Hannon  
Community Planner

Enclosure

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RE: FY 2008-2011 STIP, Amendment Number 14

Dear Mr. Hollis:

As the Governor's designee, I approve the action taken by the South Eastern Arizona Governments Organization (SEAGO) Executive Board on March 8, 2008, to amend the SEAGO 2008-2012 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). I cordially request amendment number 14 to the FY 2008-2011 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to include Transportation Enhancement projects for Sierra Vista and Bisbee and a Forest Service Bicycle Stop project at Three-Way, near Duncan (see attached documents).

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, appearing to read 'Victor M. Mendez', is written over a printed name.

Victor M. Mendez

VMM/lh

cc: Mary Hewitt  
Debbie Mayfield  
Charlene Fitzgerald

Attachment





**SEAGO**

SouthEastern Arizona Governments Organization

April 8, 2008

Mr. Arnold Burnham  
ADOT Transportation Planning Division  
206 S. 17<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Room 320B  
Phoenix, AZ 85007

Re: SEAGO TIP Amendment for 2008

Dear Arnold:

Enclosed is a request for an amendment to the SouthEastern Arizona Governments Organizations Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) that was approved by the SEAGO Executive Board at their regularly scheduled meeting in Duncan on March 8, 2008.

This TIP amendment reflects the 2007 Transportation Enhancement awards for the City of Sierra Vista, and the City of Bisbee. It also includes the Forest Service Bicycle Stop project at Three-Way, near Duncan, which was inadvertently removed from our 2006 TIP, and was not included in the 2007 or 2008 TIP.

The meeting dates and times where the TIP was discussed are included below for your information. The SEAGO TIP is a standing agenda item for all SEAGO TAC, Administrative Council, and Executive Board meetings. I have listed only the meetings for the 2008 year. However, should you wish to review our minutes, they are located on our Web site at [www.seago.org/transportation/TAC](http://www.seago.org/transportation/TAC).

MEETING	DATE	LOCATION
SEAGO TAC	October 18, 2007	Benson – Regular Meeting
	January 17, 2008	Benson – Approved amended TIP
Administration Council	February 15, 2008	Benson – Approved amended TIP
Executive Board	March 8, 2008	Duncan – Approved amended TIP



Mr. Arnold Burnham  
ADOT Transportation Planning Division  
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SEAGO TIP Amendment for 2008

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 520-432-5301 or by email, at [smitchell@seago.org](mailto:smitchell@seago.org).

Sincerely,



Sharon Mitchell  
SEAGO Transportation Planner

Enclosure: Amended TIP

Copy via Email: Arnold Burnham, Lupe Harriger and Charlene Fitzgerald  
ADOT Planning Division



**2008-2012 AMENDED TIP**  
**Approved by Executive Board March 8, 2008**

TIP YEAR	PROJECT SPONSOR	PROJECT NAME	PROJECT LOCATION	LENGTH	TYPE OF IMP - WK - STRU
<b>2008</b>	<b>FISCAL YEAR 2008</b>				
	DOUGLAS	FOUNTAIN RESTORATION	Douglas		ENHNCMNT
	DOUGLAS	A AVENUE	Douglas		ENHNCMNT
	DOUGLAS	PASEO DE LA AMISTAD	Douglas		ENHNCMNT
	SAFFORD	DISCOVERY PARK	Safford		ENHNCMNT
	GRAHAM COUNTY	PETERSON WASH			HES
	COCHISE COUNTY	DAVIS ROAD			RECONSTR
	SANTA CRUZ COUNTY	PENDLETON MUP	RIO RICO		ENHNCMNT
	SIERRA VISTA	BUFFALO SOLDIER TRAIL	Cherokee to SR 92		ENHNCMNT
*	USFS (R-10)	BICYCLISTS STOP	THREE-WAY - CLIFTON		ENHNCMNT
	BISBEE	MAIN ST. PED IMP	OLD BISBEE		ENHNCMNT
	SIERRA VISTA	CHARLESTON ROAD		1.6	RECONSTR
	NCGALES	TERRACE AVE			ENHNCMNT
	LTAP				
<b>2009</b>	<b>FISCAL YEAR 2009</b>				
	WILLCOX	FT. GRANT RD			ENHNCMNT
	SIERRA VISTA	SNYDER BLVD MUP	AVENIDA DEL SOL TO SR 92		ENHNCMNT
	SAFFORD	20TH AVE MUP & ST. LT			ENHNCMNT
	LTAP				
<b>2010</b>	<b>FISCAL YEAR 2010</b>				
	SIERRA VISTA	CORONADO MUP	CARMELITA TO TOCOMA		
	LTAP				
<b>2011</b>	<b>FISCAL YEAR 2011</b>				
	BISBEE	ARIZONA STREET		0.65	RECONSTR
*	SIERRA VISTA (R-15)	AVENIDA DEL SOL MUP	SR 90 & ADS		ENHNCMNT
*	BISBEE (R-15)	SIDEWALKS	ARIZONA STREET		ENHNCMNT
	LTAP				
<b>2012</b>	<b>FISCAL YEAR 2012</b>				
	BENSON	OCOTILLO AVE.		0.68	RECONSTR
	SANTA CRUZ COUNTY	RIO RICO W FRONTAGE RD		3.1	RECONSTR
	LTAP				
<b>2008</b>	<b>BRIDGE PROJECTS</b>				
	GRAHAM COUNTY	SAFFORD BRIDGE			CONSTRUCTION
	GRAHAM COUNTY	SAFFORD BRIDGE			BRIDGE DESIGN
*	<b>AMENDED ITEMS</b>				



**2008-2012 AMENDED TIP**  
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TIP YEAR	PROJECT SPONSOR	Functional Classifications	LANES BEFORE	LANES AFTER	FED AID TYPE	FEDERAL FUNDS	LOCAL MATCH	TOTAL COST
<b>2008</b>	<b>FISCAL YEAR 2008</b>							
	DOUGLAS				ENHNCMNT	\$47,432	\$2,704	\$50,136
	DOUGLAS				ENHNCMNT	\$195,000	\$11,115	\$206,115
	DOUGLAS				ENHNCMNT	\$442,000	\$25,194	\$467,194
	SAFFORD				ENHNCMNT	\$152,295	\$135,206	\$287,501
	GRAHAM COUNTY				HES	\$500,000	\$28,500	\$528,500
	COCHISE COUNTY				SEC 115	\$3,000,000	\$0	\$3,000,000
	SANTA CRUZ COUNTY				ENHNCMNT	\$437,472	\$35,777	\$473,249
	SIERRA VISTA				ENHNCMNT	\$500,000	\$71,236	\$571,236
*	USFS (R-10)				ENHNCMNT	\$197,980	\$11,285	\$209,265
	BISBEE				ENHNCMNT	\$188,600	\$10,750	\$199,350
	SIERRA VISTA		2	5	STP	\$2,999,476	\$161,672	\$3,161,148
	NOGALES				ENHNCMNT	\$500,000	\$30,223	\$530,223
	LTAP				STP	\$10,000		\$10,000
<b>2009</b>	<b>FISCAL YEAR 2009</b>							
	WILCOX				ENHNCMNT	\$393,943	\$20,879	\$414,822
	SIERRA VISTA				ENHNCMNT	\$499,225	\$26,460	\$525,685
	SAFFORD					\$486,712	\$27,743	\$514,455
	LTAP				STP	\$10,000		\$10,000
<b>2010</b>	<b>FISCAL YEAR 2010</b>							
	SIERRA VISTA					\$375,991	\$21,431	\$397,422
	LTAP				STP	\$10,000		\$10,000
<b>2011</b>	<b>FISCAL YEAR 2011</b>							
	BISBEE		2	2	STP	\$2,200,000	\$125,400	\$2,325,400
*	SIERRA VISTA (R-15)				STP	\$375,991	\$21,431	\$397,422
*	BISBEE (R-15)				ENHNCMNT	\$500,000	\$28,500	\$528,500
	LTAP				STP	\$10,000		\$10,000
<b>2012</b>	<b>FISCAL YEAR 2012</b>							
	BENSON		2	3	N/A	\$ -	\$ -	UNKNOWN
	SANTA CRUZ COUNTY		2	2	N/A	\$ -	\$ -	UNKNOWN
	LTAP				STP	\$10,000		\$10,000
<b>2008</b>	<b>BRIDGE PROJECTS</b>							
	GRAHAM COUNTY				HPP/BR	\$12,036,699	\$1,911,093	\$13,947,792
	GRAHAM COUNTY				BR/SEC 115	\$1,000,000	\$0	\$1,000,000
*	<b>AMENDED ITEMS</b>							