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In Reply Refer To:
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(727)
Arizona FY 2010-2013
Statewide Transportation Program (STIP)
Approval of Amendment No. 50

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Phoenix, Arizona 85007

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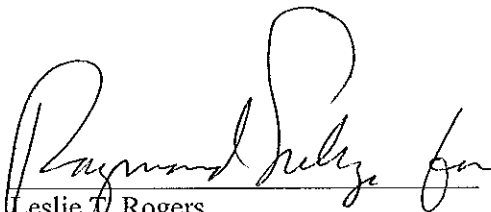
Dear Ms. Toth:


We have reviewed your July 6, 2010 request to amend the FY 2010-2013 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to include the enclosed table of projects approved by the Flagstaff Metropolitan Planning Organization Executive Board as a TIP Amendment on June 23, 2010.

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 considered exempt or are regarded as minor project revisions that do not require a conformity determination [40 CFR §93.126].

This letter constitutes approval and inclusion of Amendment 50 into the Arizona FY 2010-2013 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. Please note that this letter constitutes approval of the amendment with the understanding that FTA funding on individual projects is subject to the grantees meeting the administrative and statutory requirements.

Sincerely yours,


Leslie V. Rogers
FTA Regional Administrator


Robert E. Hollis
FHWA Division Administrator

Enclosure





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July 6, 2010

Mr. Leslie Rogers
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RE: FY 2010-2013 STIP, Amendment Number 50

Dear Mr. Rogers:

As the Governor's designee, I approve the action taken by the Flagstaff Metropolitan Planning Organization (FMPO) Executive Board on June 23, 2010, to amend the FMPO FY 2010-2014 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). I cordially request Amendment Number 50 of the FY 2010-2013 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to include revised Transit table #5.

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,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "J Toth", is written over a blue horizontal line.

Jennifer Toth

cc:	Ed Stillings	Jerome Wiggins	Jodi Rooney
	David Wessel	Seth Kaufman	Teri Kennedy
	Matt Ryan	John Dickson	Lisa Danka
	Justin Feek	Kerri Morey	

Attachment



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June 24, 2010

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RE: FMPO FY 2010-2014 Transportation Improvement Program
Transit TIP Amendment Request – ARRA Funds Close-out

Dear Jennifer,

Please consider the following request for an amendment to the FMPO FY 2010-2014 Transportation Improvement Program. This submittal is to spend down the balance of ARRA funds in the FMPO region in grant AZ 96 X003. The FMPO Executive Board took action on June 23, 2010. This action complies with direction received from the Federal Transit Administration that because we are flexing ARRA highway funds to ARRA Transit a separate grant, and thereby separate action, is necessary.

The revised transit table is attached. In summary, the amendment identifies the balance of ARRA highway funds remaining per Irene Higgs, \$26,364, and programs them for bus stop improvements. The Executive Board took action on the amount of \$30,700, an earlier estimate sent by ADOT, and I am effectively making a simultaneous administrative amendment to the correct amount.

Please don't hesitate to have your staff contact me to address questions and concerns.

Sincerely,

David Wessel, FMPO Manager

CC Matt Ryan, FMPO Chair
Jen Toth, ADOT Director, Multimodal Planning Division
Don Mauller, ADOT Ass't Director, Transportation Programming
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Enc. FMPO Amended TIP Table 5

Table 5. FY2011 - 2015: Transit Projects within the FMPO-area

Fiscal Years 2010-2014 as of 06/21/10 Flex fund Amendment change only

Agency	Fiscal Year	ALI Code	Location	Project Description	Fund Type	Local Cost *	Federal Cost	Total Cost	Notes
In Progress Projects									
NAIPTA	2010	30.09.00	Region	Operating Assistance	2010-5307	\$ 3,598,340	\$ 741,698	\$ 4,340,038	
NAIPTA	2010	30.09.00	Region	Planning Assistance	2006-5307 CYMPO	\$ 19,152	\$ 76,766	\$ 95,958	90-X082 \$76K
NAIPTA	2010	11.32.10	Flagstaff	Passenger Shelters, Signs and Poles	2010-STP State-Flex	\$ 15,327	\$ 61,306	\$ 76,633	
NAIPTA	2010	11.13.02	Flagstaff	1 Hybrid Electric Bus (expansion of fleet, increase frequency)	2009-5307 ARRA		\$ 540,000	\$ 540,000	
NAIPTA	2010	11.7A.00	Region	Vehicle Rehab and Maintenance	2009-5307 ARRA	\$ -	\$ 250,000	\$ 250,000	
NAIPTA	2010	11.33.02	Flagstaff	Passenger Shelter - Mall Transfer Center	2009-5307 ARRA	\$ -	\$ 200,000	\$ 200,000	
NAIPTA	2010	11.32.10	Flagstaff	Passenger Shelters, Signs and Poles	2009-5307 ARRA	\$ -	\$ 67,303	\$ 67,303	
NAIPTA	2010	11.71.01	Flagstaff	Design & Engineering Mountain Links - Bjs Rapid Transt (BRT)	2009-5307 ARRA	\$ -	\$ 170,000	\$ 170,000	
NAIPTA	2010	11.71.01	Flagstaff	Design & Engineering Mountain Links - BRT	STP Local-Flex	\$ 19,576	\$ 260,080	\$ 279,656	
TOTAL ALL CATEGORIES-2010						\$ 3,652,434	\$ 2,367,153	\$ 6,019,587	
Future Proects									
NAIPTA	2011	30.09.00	Region	Operating Assistance	2011-5307	\$ 3,446,416	\$ 743,949	\$ 4,190,365	
NAIPTA	2011	30.09.00	Region	Planning Assistance	2006-5307 CYMPO	\$ 25,000	\$ 100,000	\$ 125,000	90-X082 \$100K
NAIPTA	2011	11.32.10	Flagstaff	Passenger Shelters, Signs and Poles	2011-5307	\$ 5,000	\$ 20,000	\$ 25,000	
NAIPTA	2011	11.32.10	Flagstaff	Passenger Shelters, Signs and Poles	2011-STP State-Flex	\$ 15,327	\$ 61,306	\$ 76,633	
NAIPTA	2011	11.32.10	Flagstaff	Passenger Shelters, Signs and Poles ***	2010- State ARRA FLEX	\$ -	\$ 26,364	\$ 26,364	AZ 96-X002 new grant application
NAIPTA	2011	11.7A.00	Flagstaff	Vehicle Rehab and Maintenance	2010-5309	\$ 27,000	\$ 107,998	\$ 134,998	04-0012
NAIPTA	2011	11.32.10	Flagstaff	Passenger Shelters, Signs and Poles	2006-5309	\$ 20,000	\$ 80,000	\$ 100,000	03-0055
NAIPTA	2011	11.13.02	Flagstaff	2 Hybrid Electric Bus (replacement fleet)	2006-5309	\$ 114,891	\$ 740,355	\$ 855,246	03-0055
NAIPTA	2011	11.13.02	Flagstaff	Hybrid Electric Bus (replacement fleet) balance of funding	2007-5307 CYMPO	\$ 29,622	\$ 118,476	\$ 148,098	90-X094
NAIPTA	2011	11.13.02	Flagstaff	2 BioDiesel Bus (replacement fleet)	STP Local-Flex	\$ 48,380	\$ 872,258	\$ 920,638	
NAIPTA	2011	11.76.91	Flagstaff	Building Construction - Maintenance and Admin Bldg	2010-5309	\$ 97,147	\$ 388,586	\$ 485,733	04-0012
TOTAL ALL CATEGORIES-2011						\$ 3,828,783	\$ 3,259,292	\$ 7,088,075	
NAIPTA	2012	30.09.00	Region	Operating Assistance,	2012-5307	\$ 3,530,372	\$ 766,867	\$ 4,297,239	
NAIPTA	2012	30.09.00	Region	Planning Assistance	2006-5307 CYMPO	\$ 25,000	\$ 100,000	\$ 125,000	90-X082 \$100K
NAIPTA	2012	11.32.10	Flagstaff	Passenger Shelters, Signs and Poles	2012-5307	\$ 5,000	\$ 20,000	\$ 25,000	
NAIPTA	2012	11.32.10	Flagstaff	Passenger Shelters, Signs and Poles	2012-STP State-Flex	\$ 15,327	\$ 61,306	\$ 76,633	
TOTAL ALL CATEGORIES-2012						\$ 3,575,698	\$ 948,173	\$ 4,523,872	
NAIPTA	2013	30.09.00	Region	Operating Assistance, including Project Management	2013-5307	\$ 3,741,231	\$ 790,473	\$ 4,531,704	
NAIPTA	2013	11.32.10	Flagstaff	Passenger Shelters, Signs and Poles	2013-5307	\$ 5,000	\$ 20,000	\$ 25,000	
NAIPTA	2013	11.32.10	Flagstaff	Passenger Shelters, Signs and Poles	2013-STP State-Flex	\$ 15,327	\$ 61,306	\$ 76,633	
TOTAL ALL CATEGORIES-2013						\$ 3,761,557	\$ 871,779	\$ 4,633,337	
NAIPTA	2014	30.09.00	Region	Operating Assistance, including Project Management	2014-5307	\$ 3,829,035	\$ 814,787	\$ 4,643,822	
NAIPTA	2014	11.32.10	Flagstaff	Passenger Shelters, Signs and Poles	2014-5307	\$ 5,000	\$ 20,000	\$ 25,000	
NAIPTA	2014	11.32.10	Flagstaff	Passenger Shelters, Signs and Poles	2014-STP State-Flex	\$ 15,327	\$ 61,306	\$ 76,633	
TOTAL ALL CATEGORIES-2014						\$ 3,829,035	\$ 814,787	\$ 4,643,822	
NAIPTA	2015	30.09.00	Region	Operating Assistance, including Project Management	2015-5307	\$ 4,807,403	\$ 839,831	\$ 5,647,234	
NAIPTA	2015	11.32.10	Flagstaff	Passenger Shelters, Signs and Poles	2015-5307	\$ 5,000	\$ 20,000	\$ 25,000	
NAIPTA	2015	11.32.10	Flagstaff	Passenger Shelters, Signs and Poles	2015-STP State-Flex	\$ 15,327	\$ 61,306	\$ 76,633	
NAIPTA	2015	11.33.02	Flagstaff	Design and Construction of BRT Route/Corridor	2010-5309	\$ 943,000	\$ 3,688,000	\$ 4,631,000	pending 04-0010
NAIPTA	2015	11.13.02	Flagstaff	6 Hybrid Electric Bus (expansion of fleet, implementation of BRT)	2010-5309	\$ 648,000	\$ 2,592,000	\$ 3,240,000	pending 04-0010
NAIPTA	2015	11.32.10	Region	Passenger Shelters, Signs and Poles	5309	\$ 60,000	\$ 240,000	\$ 300,000	reauthorization request - future application
NAIPTA	2015	11.13.02	Flagstaff	6 Hybrid Buses - Replacement Fleet	5309	\$ 672,000	\$ 2,688,000	\$ 3,360,000	Bus/Bus Facilities or TIGGER applic for
NAIPTA	2015	11.12.15	Flagstaff	3 Hybrid Vans - Replacement Fleet	5309	\$ 104,000	\$ 416,000	\$ 520,000	Bus/Bus Facilities or TIGGER applic for
NAIPTA	2015	11.7A.00	Flagstaff	Vehicle Rehab and Maintenance	5309	\$ 194,000	\$ 776,000	\$ 970,000	Bus/Bus Facilities or TIGGER applic for
NAIPTA	2015		Flagstaff	Downtown Bus Facility/Parking Garage **	5309	\$ 3,125,000	\$ 12,500,000	\$ 15,625,000	5309 applied for reauthorization request - future application
NAIPTA	2015	11.76.91	Flagstaff	Building Construction - Phase 2 of Admin Facility	5309	\$ 1,200,000	\$ 4,800,000	\$ 6,000,000	
TOTAL ALL CATEGORIES-2015						\$ 11,773,733	\$ 28,621,137	\$ 40,394,870	

Fiscal Year is local fiscal year of July 1 thru June 30 to express year of project/expenditure.

*Local Match increases by an average of 2% annually through year 2014. 2015 Local match is combination of City taxes and University IGA funds.

**2015 Downtown Parking Garage matching funds includes land owned by City to be used as local match.

*** 2010 FMPO ARRA Flex Funds transferred to NAIPTA for passenger shelters use n Flagstaff Mountain Line System.