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(727)
Arizona FY 2011-2014
Statewide Transportation Program (STIP)
Approval of Amendment No. 3

Ms. Jennifer Toth, Assistant Director
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Arizona Department of Transportation, (300B)
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

Dear Ms. Toth:

We have reviewed your April 19, 2011 request to amend the FY 2011-2014 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to include the enclosed list of projects approved by the Central Arizona Association of Governments Regional Council on March 23, 2011.

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 determination [40 CFR §93.126].

This letter constitutes approval and inclusion of Amendment 3 into the Arizona FY 2011-2014 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,

for

Karla S. Petty
Division Administrator

Enclosure





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April 19, 2011

Ms. Karla S. Petty
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RE: FY 2011-2014 STIP, Amendment Number 3

Dear Ms. Petty:

As the Governor's designee, I approve the amendment requested by the Central Arizona Association of Governments (CAAG) on April 19, 2011 to amend the CAAG FY 2011-2016 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). I cordially request Amendment Number 3 to the FY 2011-2014 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to reflect changes as noted in the letter from Mr. Bill Leister dated April 19, 2011.

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,

Jennifer Toth
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April 19, 2011

Ms Charla Glendening
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Re: Approved CAAG TIP

Dear Charla,

Attached is a copy of the CAAG TIP for 2011-2016. CAAG requests this amended TIP be reviewed and processed by ADOT and forwarded to FHWA for their approval.

Many changes have been made over the last 2 years in an attempt to make the TIP a true 5 year fiscally constrained program.

CAAG's TTAC, Management Committee, and Regional Council approved the TIP on the following dates and locations:

CAAG TTAC	March 3, 2011	Miami
CAAG Management Committee	March 10, 2011	Apache Junction
CAAG Regional Council	March 23, 2011	Miami

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 520-827-1021 or by e-mail, at bleister@caagcentral.org.

Sincerely,

Bill Leister
CAAG Transportation Planning Manager

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PINAL COUNTY: APACHE JUNCTION, CASA GRANDE, COOLIDGE, ELOY, FLORENCE, KEARNY, MAMMOTH, MARANA, MARICOPA, QUEEN CREEK, SUPERIOR
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CAAG FIVE-YEAR TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

Fiscal Year 2011-2016

APPROVED BY CAAG REGIONAL COUNCIL MARCH 23, 2011

Year/Rnd	Sponsor	Project Name and Location	Length	Project Type	Functional Classification	Lanes Before	Lanes After	Fed Aid Type	Federal Funds	Local Match	TOTAL
2011	Coolidge	Coolidge Ave - Arizona Blvd to 1st Street	0.5 Mi	Design	Urban Minor Arterial	2	4	STP	\$400,000.00	\$22,800.00	\$422,800.00
2011	Pinal County	Hunt Hwy Phase I	1.75 Mi	Construction	Rural Minor Arterial	2	4	STP	\$4,378,625.00	\$249,581.00	\$4,628,206.00
2011	AJ	Ironwood Drive - Broadway Ave to Apache Trail		Design				STP	\$130,000.00	\$7,410.00	\$137,410.00
2011	Gila County	Upgrade to Thermoplastic Striping		Construction	Various	N/A	N/A	STP	\$200,000.00	\$11,400.00	\$211,400.00
2011	CAAG	Regional Traffic Counting	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	STP	\$50,000.00		\$52,850.00
2011	CAAG	Technology Transfer	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	STP	\$10,000.00	\$570.00	\$10,570.00
Sub Total									\$5,168,625.00	\$294,611.00	\$5,463,236.00
2012	Coolidge	Coolidge Ave - Arizona Blvd to 1st Street	0.5 Mi	Construction	Urban Minor Arterial	2	4	STP	\$700,000.00	\$39,900.00	\$739,900.00
2012	Maricopa	Maricopa/Casa Grande Hwy		Construction	Urban Minor Arterial	2	4	STP	\$540,000.00	\$30,780.00	\$570,780.00
2012	CAAG	Regional Traffic Counting	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	STP	\$50,000.00	\$2,850.00	\$52,850.00
2012	CAAG	Technology Transfer	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	STP	\$10,000.00	\$570.00	\$10,570.00
Sub Total									\$1,300,000.00	\$74,100.00	\$1,374,100.00
2013	Florence	Roundabout - SR-287 to SR-79B	N/A	Reconstruction	Urban Arterial	1	2	STP	\$603,343.00	\$125,000.00	\$728,343.00
2013	Payson	E. Bonita St - Phase II - Hwy 87 to Saint Phillips St		Design					\$350,000.00	\$20,000.00	\$370,000.00
2013	Coolidge	Central Ave - Arizona Blvd to Main Street		Design and Constr					\$625,000.00	\$50,000.00	\$675,000.00
2013	CAAG	Regional Traffic Counting	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	STP	\$50,000.00	\$2,850.00	\$52,850.00
2013	CAAG	Technology Transfer	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	STP	\$10,000.00	\$570.00	\$10,570.00
Sub Total									\$1,638,343.00	\$198,420.00	\$1,836,763.00
2014	Pinal County	Germann Rd		Construction	Principle Arterial	None	2	STP	\$1,000,000.00	\$57,000.00	\$1,057,000.00
2014	Pinal County	Maricopa-Casa Grande Hwy - Russell Rd to Santa Rosa Br	7.9 Mi	Reconstruction	Urban Collector	2	2	STP	\$668,079.00	\$34,397.00	\$702,476.00
2014	CAAG	Regional Traffic Counting	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	STP	\$50,000.00	\$2,850.00	\$52,850.00
2014	CAAG	Technology Transfer	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	STP	\$10,000.00	\$570.00	\$10,570.00
Sub Total									\$1,728,079.00	\$366,657.00	\$2,094,736.00
2015	Payson	E. Bonita St - Phase III - Hwy 87 to Saint Phillips	1 Mi	Reconstruction	Urban Collector	2	2	STP	\$700,000.00	\$40,000.00	\$740,000.00
2015	AJ	Ironwood Drive - Broadway Ave to Apache Trail		Construction					\$1,070,000.00	\$64,470.00	\$1,134,470.00
2015	CAAG	Regional Traffic Counting	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	STP	\$50,000.00	\$2,850.00	\$52,850.00
2015	CAAG	Technology Transfer	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	STP	\$10,000.00	\$570.00	\$10,570.00
Sub Total									\$1,830,000.00	\$107,890.00	\$1,937,890.00
2016	Payson	E. Bonita St - Phase IV - Hwy 87 to Saint Phillips St	0.4 Mi	Reconstruction	Urban Minor Arterial	2	2	STP	\$375,000.00	\$21,500.00	\$396,500.00
2016	Coolidge	Main Street		Design	Urban Collector	4	4	STP	\$150,000.00	\$8,550.00	\$158,550.00
2016	Coolidge	Main Street		Reconstruction	Urban Collector	4	4	STP	\$850,000.00	\$48,450.00	\$898,450.00
2016	CAAG	Regional Traffic Counting	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	STP	\$50,000.00	\$2,850.00	\$52,850.00
2016	CAAG	Technology Transfer	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	STP	\$10,000.00	\$570.00	\$10,570.00
Sub Total									\$1,435,000.00	\$81,920.00	\$1,516,920.00
HURF EXCHANGE PROGRAM											
2011	Miami	Adonis Ave - Adonis to Main St	0.25 Mi	Design	Urban Collector	N/A	N/A	STP-HURF Exchange	\$54,925.00	\$2,700.00	\$57,625.00
2011	Miami	Adonis Ave - Adonis to Main St	0.25 Mi	Reconstruction	Urban Collector	2	2	STP-HURF Exchange	\$255,000.00	\$15,300.00	\$270,300.00
2011	Globe	Broad Street - Phase II - Walliman Rd to Beer Tree Crossing	0.25 Mi	Design	Urban Collector	N/A	N/A	STP-HURF Exchange	\$73,233.00	\$45,000.00	\$118,233.00
2011	Globe	Broad Street - Phase II - Walliman Rd to Beer Tree Crossing	0.25 Mi	Construction	Urban Collector	N/A	2	STP-HURF Exchange	\$340,000.00	\$255,000.00	\$595,000.00
Sub Total									\$723,158.00	\$318,000.00	\$1,041,158.00
BRIDGE REPLACEMENT PROGRAM											
	Pinal County	Kelvin Bridge - 1 Mi S. of SR77		Replacement					\$1,310,000.00	\$327,000.00	\$1,637,000.00
	Gila County	Ice House Canyon Bridge - Sixshooler Canyon/Jess Hayes		Replacement					\$1,000,000.00	\$250,000.00	\$1,250,000.00
Sub Total									\$2,310,000.00	\$577,000.00	\$2,887,000.00
HAZARD ELIMINATION / SAFETY PROGRAM											
	Gila County	Jess Hayes Rd		Alignment/widening					\$500,000.00	\$125,000.00	\$625,000.00
	San Carlos Apache Tribe	Indian Rt 6		Alignment/signage					\$500,000.00	\$125,000.00	\$625,000.00
Sub Total									\$1,000,000.00	\$250,000.00	\$1,250,000.00
TRANSPORTATION ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM											
10	Florence	Main Street Revitalization - Ruggles St to Butte Ave		Landscaping/Ped Fac					\$500,000.00	\$28,500.00	\$528,500.00
10	Globe	Railroad Depot - Phase I & II - Globe Historic District		Rehabilitation Hist Bldg					\$309,827.00	\$18,180.00	\$328,007.00
8	Globe	Gateway Enhancement - Phase II - US 60/70 and Oak/Hill St		Landscaping/Ped Fac					\$245,000.00	\$15,000.00	\$260,000.00

Year/ Rnd	Sponsor	Project Name and Location	Length	Project Type	Functional Classification	Lanes Before	Lanes After	Fed Aid Type	Federal Funds	Local Match	TOTAL	
17	Pinal County	Shared Use Pathway - Kings Ranch Rd - Phase II		Pedestrian Facilities								
15	Gila County	Pedestrian Sidewalks - Six Shooter Canyon		Pedestrian Facilities					\$457,068.00	\$29,576.00	\$486,644.00	
17	Gila County/Globe	Pedestrian Sidewalks - Main street		Pedestrian Facilities					\$499,484.00	\$28,471.00	\$527,955.00	
18	Coolidge	Central Ave. - Arizona Blvd to Main St.		Landscaping/Ped Fac					\$491,460.00	\$30,192.00	\$521,652.00	
18	Gila County	Pine-Strawberry Pedestrian Shelters		Pedestrian Facilities					\$750,000.00	\$48,081.00	\$798,081.00	
									\$478,010.00	\$28,893.00	\$506,903.00	
									Sub Total	\$3,730,849.00	\$224,893.00	\$3,955,742.00
HIGH PRIORITY PROJECTS PROGRAM												
	Casa Grande	Pinal Ave/Main St Commercial Bypass		Construction					\$800,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$1,000,000.00	
	Gila County	Tonto Creek Bridge		Design					\$2,960,000.00	\$178,918.00	\$3,138,918.00	
	Copper Corridor Coalition	Ore Cart Trail - SR 77 various locations		Construction					\$400,000.00	\$100,000.00	\$500,000.00	
	Marcopa	Grade Separated Interchange at SR 347 and UP RR		Construction					\$500,000.00		\$500,000.00	
	Pinal County	Hunt Hwy		Construction	Major Collector	2	4					
									Sub Total	\$4,660,000.00	\$478,918.00	\$5,138,918.00
PRIVATE AND LOCAL PROJECTS												
2011	Private Developer	TI - I-10 at Val Vista	N/A	Construction	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
2011	Eloy	Sunshine Blvd		Reconstruction	Principle Arterial	4	4	N/A	N/A	\$3,000,000.00	\$3,000,000.00	
2011	Queen Creek	Gateway Transit Facility		Construction	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	\$5,200,000.00	\$5,200,000.00	
									Sub Total	\$8,200,000.00	\$8,200,000.00	
AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT PROGRAM												
	Apache Jctn	Ironwood Drive-16th Ave to Broadway Ave. resurfacing &		Construction					\$665,934.00	\$820,856.00	\$1,486,790.00	
	Gila County	Ice House Bridge and Approaches		Construction					\$1,696,986.00		\$1,696,986.00	
									Sub Total	\$2,362,920.00	\$820,856.00	\$3,183,776.00
HIGHWAY SAFETY IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS												
2010	Apache Junction	City wide signage		Construction					\$44,850.00	\$2,556.00	\$47,406.00	
2010	Payson	roundabout on SR-87 at Airport Road		Construction					\$285,150.00	\$16,253.00	\$301,403.00	
									Sub Total	\$330,000.00	\$18,809.00	\$348,809.00
2011	Payson	City wide signage		Construction					\$70,725.00		\$70,725.00	
2011	Coolidge	Citywide Striping and Signing		Construction					\$270,000.00		\$270,000.00	
2011	Queen Creek	Pavement Markings Hunt Hwy/Empire Blvd		Construction					\$61,628.00		\$61,628.00	
2011	Superior	City wide signage		Construction					\$50,000.00		\$50,000.00	
2011	Globe	RR Corridor Curb and Gutter		Design					\$59,000.00		\$59,000.00	
2011	Globe	RR Corridor Striping		Construction					\$35,200.00		\$35,200.00	
2011	Globe	Citywide Sign/Stripe Replacement		Construction					\$38,672.00		\$38,672.00	
2011	Apache Junction	Median and Intersection Improvements SR88 & OWH		Design					\$38,916.00		\$38,916.00	
									Sub Total	\$622,141.00	\$622,141.00	
2012	Globe	RR Corridor Sidewalk, Curb, and Gutter		Construction					\$158,058.00		\$158,058.00	
2012	Apache Junction	Median and Intersection Improvements SR88 & OWH		Construction					\$175,638.00		\$175,638.00	
2012	CAAG Region	Sign Inventory		Planning					\$270,000.00		\$270,000.00	
									Sub Total	\$603,696.00	\$603,696.00	
SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL												
8	Casa Grande	Casa Grande Walk-n & Roll-n Program							\$382,776.00		\$382,776.00	
									Sub Total	\$382,776.00	\$382,776.00	
HIGH RISK RURAL ROADS PROGRAM												
	Gila County	Thermoplastic Striping 4 roads in Gila County		Construction					\$234,000.00		\$234,000.00	
									Sub Total	\$234,000.00	\$234,000.00	
									Summary Total	\$30,059,587.00	\$12,012,074.00	\$42,071,661.00