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In Reply Refer To:
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Arizona FY 2015-2018
Statewide Transportation Program (STIP)
Approval of Amendment No. 20

Mr. Dallas Hammit, Deputy Director State Engineer
Multimodal Planning Division
Arizona Department of Transportation, (300B)
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

Dear Mr. Hammit:

We have reviewed your March 24, 2015 request to amend the FY 2015-2018 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to include the enclosed list of projects approved by the State Transportation Board on March 20, 2015.

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 20 into the Arizona FY 2015-2018 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP). Our approval is based upon the Arizona Department of Transportation's assurance that the funding for the projects in this amendment will not adversely impact the STIP Financial Plan.

Sincerely,

For Karla S. Petty
Division Administrator

Enclosure



Multimodal Planning

Douglas A. Ducey, Governor
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Dallas Hammit PE, Interim Division Director

March 24, 2015

Ms. Karla S. Petty
Division Administrator
Federal Highway Administration
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RE: FY 2015-2019 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP), Amendment Number 20

Dear Ms. Petty:

As the Governor's designee, I cordially request Amendment Number 20 of the FY 2015-2019 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP). The project modifications are detailed in the attached document and were approved by the State Transportation Board in a meeting on March 20, 2015.

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,

Dallas Hammit PE
Deputy Director State Engineer

cc: Ed Stillings, FHWA
Mary Dettlaff, ADOT MPD

Patrick Stone, ADOT FMS

Attachments

FY 2015-2019 STIP, Amendment # 20
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ItemNo	TRACS No. Project No.	Location Description	Type Of Work	Amount	Action
Board approved project changes to the Current State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP)					
12115	H821101C NH 010-F(208)A	I 10, TEXAS CANYON REST AREA	Rest Area Preservation	\$3,800,000	STB Agenda Item 9n Establish the construction project for \$3,800,000 in the Highway Construction Program. Funds are available from the FY 2015 Statewide Contingency Fund #72315
25315	H879301D FA 017-A(241)T	I 17, NEW RIVER ROAD - COLDWATER ROAD	Design Pavement Preservation	\$441,000	STB Agenda #9c approved. Increase Design by \$121,000 New Program amount \$441,000
16116	H863501C BR 040-D(229)T	I 40, TANNER WASH BRIDGE EB, STR #902	Bridge Replacement	\$3,100,000	STB Agenda Item #9k Increase the bridge project by \$600,000 to \$3,100,000 in the Highway Construction Program Funds are available from the FY 2015 Statewide Contingency fund #72315
16515	H855801C STP 060-D(215)T	US 60, EAST OF QUEEN CREEK TUNNEL	Rockfall Mitigation	\$1,300,000	STB Agenda Item 9r, approved. Establish construction project for \$1,300,000 in the Highway Construction Program. Funds are available from the FY 2015 Statewide Contingency Fund #72315.
5862	H879801D STP 075-A(203)T	SR 75, RAILROAD CROSSING 741-866G, SR 75 IN DUNCAN	Design Crossing Surface and Signal	\$31,000	STB Agenda Item #9p Establish a new design project for \$31,000 in the Highway Construction Program. Funds are available from the FY 2015 Railway Highway Crossing Fund #72615
22015	H790401C HSIP 079-A(204)A	SR 79, SR 79 AT SR 79B	Construct Roundabout	\$2,100,000	STB Item 9b Defer the construction project from FY 2015 to FY 2016 in the Highway Construction Program. Transfer funds to they FY 2015 Highway Safety Improvement Program #72815. Project will be Programed in FY 2016
15714	H800402C HSIP 080-A(208)A	SR 80, FREMONT STREET, 3rd STREET - 6th STREET (H800402C)	Lighting & Sidewalks	\$0	STB Agenda item 9f Cancel the construction project for \$936,000 from the Higway Construciton Program Transfer the funds to the FY 2015 Highway Safety Improvement Program #72815
21114	H747501C HSIP 080-A(200)A	SR 80, FREMONT STREET, 3rd STREET - 6th STREET (H747501C)	Sidewalk, Boardwalk, Porch Roofs, and Streetscape	\$1,593,000	STB Agenda 9g Increase the construciton project by \$936,000 to \$1,593,000 in the Highway Construciton Program. Funds are avaiable from the FY 2015 HSIP #72815.
5866	H850001C STP 093-A(204)T	US 93, KINGMAN WASH TI CATTLEGUARD	Enhance Wildlife Exclusion	\$280,000	STB Agenda Item #9q Establish a new construction project fro \$280,000 in the Highway Construction Program Funds are available from FY 2015 Item #79815 for \$250,000 FY 2015 Item #79715 for \$30,000 Total Project Amount is \$280,000

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5858	H879701D STP 999-A(467)T	SR 177, RAILROAD CROSSING DOT 874-879B ON SR 77, MP 152, NEAR KELVIN	Design Rail Safety, Crossing Surface and Signal	\$31,000	STB Agenda Item #90 Establish a new design project for \$31,000 in the Highway Construciton Program. Funds are available from the FY 2015 Railway Highway Crossing Fund #72615.
24015	H870801C FA 180-C(205)T	US 180, RODEO GROUNDS - CARILLO	Pavement Preservation (Chip Seal)	\$685,000	STB Agenda Item #9I Increase the pavement preservation project by \$210,000 to \$685,000 in the Highway Construciton Program. Funds are available from the FY 2015 Minor Pavement Preservation fund #74815
20316	H872401C FA 189-A(205)T	SR 189, MARIPOSA LPOE PEDESTRIAN UNDERCROSSING	Construct Pedestrian Crossing	\$2,900,000	STB Agenda Item 9h Increase construction by \$400,000 to \$2,900,000 Funds are available from the FY 2015 Statewide Contingency Fund #72515
22710	H804501L STP 189-A(201)A	SR 189, NOGALES - I-19	Design Concept Report / Environmental Document	\$2,740,000	STB Agenda Item #9i Increase the design by \$740,000 to \$2,740,000 in the Highway Construciton Program. Funds are available from the FY 2015 Construction Preparation Fund #70015
3176	H837801C TA 260-C(206)T	SR 260, BLUE RIDGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL SIDEWALK, SRTS	Sidewalk Improvements	\$340,000	STB Agenda Item #9m Establish the new construction project for \$340,000 in the Highway Construciton Program. Funds are available from the FY 2015 Transportation Alternatives Fund #71515. Approved by the Safe Routes to School during Cycle 4 in 2009.
13516	H824601D FA 264-A(211)T	SR 264, BURNSIDE - FISH WASH	Design Fencing, Cattle Guards, Shoulder Widening,Bridge and Pavement Preservation	\$2,101,000	STB Agenda Item # 9j Increase the design by \$1,000,000 to \$2,101,000 In the Highway Construction Program Funds are available from the FY 2015 Construction Preparation Fund Item #70015

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Projects that require approval from the MAG Regional Council					
40208	H687601L RARF 888-0()	SR 30, SR 303L TO SR 202L	Study / R/W Protection	\$15,429,000	STB Item 9d Increase the Study by \$329,000 to \$15,429,000 in the Highway Construction Program. Funds are available from the FY 2015 MAG Fund Item #42215.
4598	H808001C MAG/STP 051-A(203)S	SR 51, BLACK MOUNTAIN BLVD RAMPS - SR 51	Construction CMAR GMP 2	\$21,534,000	Item 9a
4176	H880901D MAG/STP 888-A(225)T	SW, VARIOUS LOCATIONS IN MAG REGIONWIDE	MAG Region Passive Acoustic Detectors (PAD) Replacement	\$395,000	STB Agneda Item 9s. Approved, Establish a new design project for \$395,000 in the Highway Construction Program. Funds are available from the FY 2015 FMS Rehabilitation Funds #41315 identified in the MAG TIP as DOT 15-193
48914	HS02301L FA 888-A(221)T	SW, PUMP STATION EVALUATION PLAN	Study Pump Stations	\$403,000	STB Agenda 9-e Increase the study by \$300,000 to \$403,000 in the Highway Construction program. Funds are available from the FY 2015 Fund Item #70015.