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Attention: Ms. Sue Kiser

Attention: Mr. Ray Sukys

Dear Ms. Kiser and Mr. Sukys:

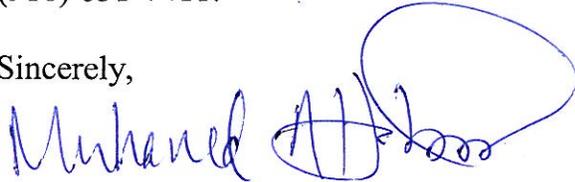
The California Department of Transportation has completed the review of Tulare County Association of Governments' (TCAG) administrative modification number 7 to their 2008/09 – 2011/12 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (FTIP). TCAG submitted this change consistent with the Federal Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (FSTIP) administrative modification procedures. This change does not require Federal Highway Administration or Federal Transit Administration (FTA) approval. Therefore, it has been incorporated into California's 2009 FSTIP.

Administrative modification number 7 replaces local city and Measure R funds with funds from the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Recovery Act) – Surface Transportation Program (STP) for two projects, the Ben Maddox Way Bridge and the Widening of Road 108. This administrative modification is programming an additional \$100,000 of Recovery Act - STP and \$900,000 of Local - City funds for the Ben Maddox Way Bridge project and replacing \$5,164,000 of Measure R funds with Recovery Act – Regional Surface Transportation Program funding for the Widening Road 108 project.

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Please address any questions on this FSTIP approval request to Joanne McDermott at  
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Sincerely,



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