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November 26, 2013

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Attention: Mr. Jermaine Hannon

Attention: Mr. Ray Sukys

Dear Mr. Hannon and Mr. Sukys:

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has completed the review of the following amendment to the Metropolitan Transportation Commission's (MTC) 2013/14 – 2017/18 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (FTIP):

<u>No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
8	<b>State, Local and Transit Elements</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The amendment adds and modifies projects from various counties in MTC region. It includes projects with funding from the Surface Transportation Program, Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement Program, Transportation, Community, and System Preservation Program, and the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) 5316 and 5317 programs.</li> </ul>

See enclosure.

MTC has certified that the amendment is financially constrained, does not change air quality conformity, and meets the requirements of public involvement procedures adopted by MTC.

Pursuant to the authority delegated to me by the Director of Caltrans, I approve MTC's Amendment Number 8. I also recommend that the Federal Highway Administration and FTA approve this FTIP amendment for inclusion into California's 2013 Federal Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (FSTIP). Projects included in this FTIP amendment, in fiscal years not within the four-year cycle of the current FSTIP, are not approved as part of this FTIP amendment and are shown for information only. Approval of this amendment does not constitute an eligibility determination of projects for federal funding.

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Please address any questions on this FSTIP approval request to Abhijit Bagde of my staff, at (916) 654-3638.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Rachel Falsetti', with a stylized flourish at the end.

RACHEL FALSETTI  
Chief  
Division of Transportation Programming

Enclosures

- c: Lisa Hanf - EPA Office of Air Planning (w/enclosure)
- Ann Flemr - Metropolitan Transportation Commission
- Adam Crenshaw - Metropolitan Transportation Commission
- Abhijit Bagde - Caltrans