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September 17, 2015

Refer to: HPP-TX

Joint Approval of August 2015 revisions to the FY 2015-2018 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP)

Lt.Gen J.F. Weber, USMC (Ret)
Executive Director
Texas Department of Transportation
125 E. 11th Street
Austin, Texas 78701

Attention: Marc Williams

Dear Lt.Gen Weber:

We have reviewed the August 2015 revisions to the FY 2015-2018 STIP transmitted with your September 9, 2015 letter. The FY 2015-2018 STIP August revisions were approved on September 17, 2015 by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) subject to the enclosed comments.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact either Ms. Genevieve Bales of the FHWA Texas Division at (512) 536-5941 or Ms. Lynn Hayes of the FTA Region VI office at (817) 978-0565 for additional information.

Sincerely yours,


for Donald R. Koski, Director
Planning and Program Development
Federal Transit Administration
Region VI


Michael T. Leary, Director
Planning and Program Development
Federal Highway Administration
Texas Division

Enclosure

cc: Lynn Hayes, FTA, Region VI
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**2015-2018 STIP
August 2015
Quarterly Revisions**

#	MPO /District	CSJ Number	STIP comment
1	NCTCOG/Dallas	0047-14-053	Not Approved. The CSJ that includes Phases R, and C are disapproved due to Phase C Plan and Program inconsistency.
2	CAMPO/Austin	1378-02-038	Approved. However, "Total Project Cost Information" summary should be revised to reflect amount of Local Contribution (\$1,470,000) as appropriate. Also, it is noted that the CAMPO FY 2015-2018 Transportation Improvement Program information provided with the August 2015 STIP revisions indicates the source of Federal funds as Category 2M. Please confirm the source of Federal funds (Category 7 versus 2M).
3	TAMPO/Tyler	3487-01-017	Not Approved. The project (3487-01-017) does not appear to be consistent with the 2040 MTP.



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September 9, 2015

Mr. Al Alonzi
Division Administrator
Federal Highway Administration
300 East Eighth Street, Suite 826
Austin, Texas 78701

Attention: Genevieve Bales

Dear Mr. Alonzi:

Federal transportation law requires the approval of the Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) by the Governor prior to federal action by the Federal Highway Administration and Federal Transit Administration. Enclosed is copy of the August Quarterly Revision to the Fiscal Year 2015-2018 STIP for your review and approval.

I approve these revisions for your review and approval. With his signature below, this revision has been approved by the Honorable Greg Abbott, Governor of Texas.

Sincerely,

LtGen J.F. Weber, USMC (Ret)
Executive Director

Approved on behalf of the State of Texas

By:  Date: 11/06/15
Greg Abbott
Governor, State of Texas

Enclosure

cc: Rich McMonagle, Chief of Staff
Russell L. Zapalac, P.E., Chief Planning and Project Officer

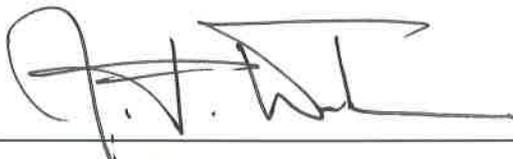
STATEWIDE TRANSPORTATION
IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

STIP

2015-2018

August 2015 Quarterly Revision

Approved: _____



LtGen J.F. Weber, USMC (Ret)
Executive Director

Dated: _____

8 / 21 / 2015

