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Mitchell E. Daniels, Jr., Governor Michael B. Cline, Commissioner

November 18, 2011

Ms. Marisol R. Simon Regional Administrator Federal Transit Administration (FTA) 200 West Adams Street, Suite 320 Chicago, IL 60606

RE: FY2012 - FY2015 Indiana State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) administrative modification #6

Dear Ms. Simon;

Please find attached a Metropolitan Planning Organization TIP administrative modification from the Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission. The Administrative Modification was requested on November 15, 2011. We concur with this administrative modification and it will be reflected by reference in the 2012-2015 STIP.

We have determined that the administrative **modification** is: 1) consistent with the transportation plan; 2) the TIP remains fiscally constrained in that federal funding resources are sufficient to support the new or modified projects and 3) conform to state and national air quality standards as required by the Federal Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990.

Please contact me at (317) 232-5292 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Larry Buckel Manager

Office of Transit

CC: Belinda Petroskey, NIRPC

Larry Bukel

Gary Evers, NIRPC Tim Brown, RBA Reggie Arkell, FTA

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Buckel, Larry

From:

Halperin, Jerry

Sent:

Tuesday, November 15, 2011 12:05 PM

To:

Buckel, Larry

Subject:

FW: Transit TIP Administrative Modification

Attachments:

RBA ARRA TIP Admin Modification Request Nov 2011.xls

Larry, attached is a modification request from NIRPC

Jerry Halperin

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From: Belinda Petroskey [mailto:bpetroskey@nirpc.org]

Sent: Monday, November 14, 2011 3:42 PM

To: Halperin, Jerry

Cc: Gary Evers; Tim Brown; Angie Hayes; Kelly Wenger **Subject:** Transit TIP Administrative Modification

Hi Jerry,

Attached is NIRPC Administrative Modification No 5 to the transit component of the FFY 2012-2015 TIP/STIP. The two actions reprogram ARRA funds to capital cost of contracting and complementary paratransit for the RBA. The ARRA funds were previously programmed for other RBA projects that have been withdrawn.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks, Belinda