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February 27, 2014

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

RE: FY2014 - FY2017 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) Administrative Modification #14

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 February 26, 2014. We concur with this administrative modification and it will be reflected by reference in the 2014-2017 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: Reggie Arkell, FTA

STIP AMENDMENT and/or MODIFICATION REQUEST

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NIRPC Administrative Modification 06 February 26, 2014

Belinda Petroskey

Sponsor	DES	Work Type	Location	County	District	Federal Category	Federal	Match	2012	2013	2014	2015	Remarks
NIRPC	1382278	Transit Purchase Vehicles	Michigan City	Laporte	Laporte	CMAAQ	408,000	102,000			510,000		Replace 3 Vehicles for Michigan City Transit

Buckel, Larry

From: Belinda Petroskey [bpetroskey@nirpc.org]
Sent: Tuesday, February 25, 2014 4:47 PM
To: Buckel, Larry
Subject: Transit Administrative Amendment No. 06
Attachments: MC TIP Page.pdf; 06 NIRPC Transit Admin Mod.xls

Larry,

Attached is a request for an Administrative Amendment to add back 1382278. The project is a Michigan City CMAQ project that appears in the August version of the adopted TIP (attachment 1, line #352). It however did not make the Sept. 1 amended version, so it needs to be added back to FY 2014, the way I did the GPTC projects earlier. I also do not find it in the current STIP list.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks,
Belinda



Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for Lake, Porter, and LaPorte Counties, Indiana for 2014-2017

Full Project List (as adopted 08/29/2013)

Capacity increasing projects appear with a shaded background like this.

Line	DES	Sponsor Name	Project Title	Location and/or Additional Details	County	Length	Primary Year	Federal Fund Code	Phase Code	Total Cost by Phase	Federal Funds by Phase	Non-Federal by Phase	Exempt/Non-Exempt	Conformity Determination Reference	Regionally Significant?
348	1382220	LaPorte County	Johnson Rd Intersection Improvements at LaPorte County Road 250 North/500 West.		LaPorte		2015	FHWA STP Group II	RW	\$ 100,000	\$ 80,000	20,000	Exempt	Table 3, # 1	No
349	0901907	Michigan City	Purchase 2 light duty electric-powered vehicles	Sanitary District of Michigan City	LaPorte		2013	FHWA CMAQ (LaPorte)	PE	\$ 38,255	\$ 30,604	7,651	Exempt	Per prior ICG Consultation	No
350	1172400	Michigan City	Purchase 1, CNG-Fueled Vactor truck	Sanitary District of Michigan City	LaPorte		2013	FHWA CMAQ (LaPorte)	PE	\$ 375,000	\$ 300,000	75,000	Exempt	Per prior ICG Consultation	No
351	1297257	Michigan City	Michigan Blvd Reconstruction (Carroll Ave to US 20/SR 212)		LaPorte	2.26	2014	FHWA STP Group II	CN	\$ 3,692,000	\$ 2,953,687	738,313	Exempt	Table 2, #10, #18, #33, #39, #41	No
352	1382278	Michigan City	Replace Three (3) Transit Buses		LaPorte		2014	FHWA CMAQ (LaPorte)	FIA	\$ 510,000	\$ 408,000	102,000	Exempt	Table 2, #30	No
353	1382279	Michigan City	Replace Two (2) Paratransit Vehicles		LaPorte		2014	FHWA CMAQ (LaPorte)	FIA	\$ 170,000	\$ 136,000	34,000	Exempt	Table 2, #30	No
354	1173717	New Chicago	Michigan St Signal Upgrade at Huber Blvd		Lake		2014	FHWA CMAQ (Lake Porter)	PE	\$ 64,225	\$ 51,380	12,845	Exempt	Table 3, #2	No
355	1173717	New Chicago	Michigan St Signal Upgrade at Huber Blvd		Lake		2014	FHWA CMAQ (Lake Porter)	CN	\$ 246,704	\$ 197,363	49,341	Exempt	Table 3, #2	No
356	0600754	Portage	Central Ave Reconstruction: Hamstrom Rd to I-80/90 (Toll Road)		Porter	0.6	2015	FHWA STP Group I	CN	\$ 5,625,000	\$ 4,500,000	1,125,000	Exempt	Table 2, #10	No
357	0810298	Portage	Central Ave Intersection Improvement @ County Line Road	Local Safety Project (HSIP) DATE 11/7/13	Porter		2014	FHWA Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP)	CN	\$ 1,398,550	\$ 1,118,840	279,710	Exempt	Table 2, #2, 5; Table 3, #1, #2, #4	No
358	0900080	Portage	Willowcreek Rd Intersection Improvements of Central Ave.		Porter		2014	FHWA CMAQ (Lake Porter)	RW	\$ 15,000	\$ 12,000	3,000	Exempt	Table 2, #42	No