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October 28, 2015

Ms. Roberta Broeker, Interim Director
Missouri Department of Transportation
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Re: FHWA Approval of Highway Project Only Amendment to
Missouri FY 2016-2020 State Transportation
Improvement Program (STIP) for the St. Louis
Metropolitan Area Amendment #1 of the FY 2016-
2019 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)

Dear Ms. Broeker:

The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) has reviewed Missouri Department of Transportation's (MoDOT) request to incorporate the East West Gateway Council of Government's (EWGCOG) modification of their Fiscal Year (FY) 2016-2019 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP), as further described in your letter of October 26, 2015, as an amendment to the FY 2016-2020 Missouri Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP). The TIP modification to be amended into the STIP includes the addition of one new MoDOT sponsored highway project and the modification of one currently programmed MoDOT sponsored highway project. The added project is exempt with regard to air quality.

The EWGCOG's Board of Directors approved this TIP amendment on September 30, 2015. The Missouri Governor approved the subject TIP amendment on October 26, 2015.

In accordance with 23 CFR 450.218(b), we have determined that this STIP amendment is based on a transportation planning process that substantially meets the requirements of 23 U.S.C 134 and 135, 49 U.S.C. 5303 and 5304 and 23 CFR 450 Subparts A, B, and C. Based on our review, this STIP amendment request is approved.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Brad McMahon, FHWA, at (573) 638-2609.

Sincerely yours,

For: Kevin W. Ward, P.E.
Missouri Division Administrator
Federal Highway Administration

cc: Machelles Watkins, MoDOT
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October 26, 2015

Mr. Kevin Ward
Regional Administrator
Federal Highway Administration
3220 West Edgewood, Suite H
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Dear Mr. Ward:

SUBJECT: St. Louis Metropolitan Area
FY 2016-2019 Transportation Improvement Program
East-West Gateway Council of Governments (EWG)
Approval to Incorporate TIP Amendment #1 into FY 2016-2020 STIP

As required by the 2012 Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21st Century (MAP-21), MoDOT received approval from Governor Nixon for a TIP amendment for the St. Louis metropolitan area which includes the addition of one MoDOT project and the modification of one MoDOT project.

Enclosed is a copy of the Governor's approval letter and supporting documentation. The EWG Board of Directors approved the TIP amendment on September 30, 2015. All public involvement considerations have been met and fiscal constraint has been ensured.

We request approval of incorporating this TIP amendment into the FY 2016-2020 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,



Michael E. Henderson, AICP
Transportation Planning Specialist

Enclosure

Copies: Mr. Wesley Stephen-STL Mr. Brad McMahon-FHWA Mr. Jeremiah Shuler-FTA
 Mr. Jason Lange-EWG Mr. Larry Grither-EWG



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October 5, 2015

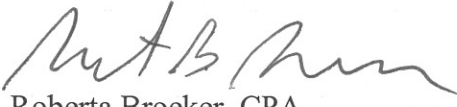
The Honorable Jeremiah W. (Jay) Nixon
Governor of Missouri
State Capitol
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Dear Governor Nixon:

At its September 30, 2015 meeting, the East-West Gateway Council of Governments' Board of Directors approved an amendment to the FY 2016-2019 Transportation Improvement Plan (TIP) for the St. Louis, Missouri, metropolitan area. The TIP amendment covers the addition of one new MoDOT project and the modification of one MoDOT project. MoDOT is satisfied the federal requirements have been met in the development of this TIP amendment, including the opportunity for the public to comment on projects. No comments were received.

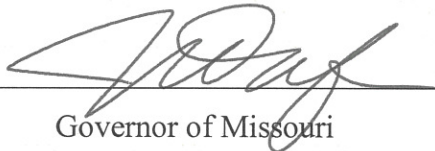
Enclosed is a copy of the TIP amendment for your review. We request approval of this action at your earliest convenience, so project authorization can proceed in the St. Louis metropolitan area.

Sincerely,

for 
Roberta Broeker, CPA
Interim Director

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Approved: _____


Governor of Missouri

Date: _____

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EAST-WEST GATEWAY Council of Governments

Creating Solutions Across Jurisdictional Boundaries

October 5, 2015

Ms. Roberta Broeker, CPA
Interim Director
Attn: Mike Henderson
Missouri Department of Transportation
P.O. Box 270
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RE: FY 2016-2019 Transportation Improvement Program Modifications

Dear Ms. Broeker:

At its September 30, 2015 meeting, the East-West Gateway Council of Governments' Board of Directors modified the Council's FY 2016-2019 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). The Board approved the addition of one new project and the modification of one project.

The enclosed memo and project summary details the approved modifications. With this Board action, fiscal constraint is maintained. No public comments were received. These projects are exempt with regard to air quality (40 CFR 93.126). At your request, minutes confirming the action will be forwarded to your offices.

We request that the State Transportation Improvement Program be adjusted to reflect this change so that this project can move toward implementation. If you have any questions concerning the modification, please contact us.

Sincerely,

Larry Grither
Division Manager

Enclosures

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James M. Wild

To: Board of Directors

From: Staff

Subject: Modification of the FY 2016-2019 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) – Requested by the Missouri Department of Transportation

Date: September 15, 2015

The Missouri Department of Transportation (MoDOT) is requesting to revise the FY 2016-2019 TIP, *Connected 2045*, and related Air Quality Conformity Determination to add one new project and modify one project.

New Project

The new project involves drainage improvements along MO 21 between Old 21 and Klable Rd at a total cost of \$1,561,000. This project will be funded using anticipated cost savings from a project programmed in FY 2016 (see TIP# 5975A on the next page for more information). The new project is summarized below:

New Project					
TIP#/ Sponsor/ Sponsor #	Title-Limits	Description of Work	County	Federal Cost	Total Cost
6427-14/ MoDOT/ 6P0876R	MO 21 – Old 21 to Klable Rd	Drainage improvements	Jefferson	\$1,248,800	\$1,561,000
TOTAL				\$1,248,800	\$1,561,000

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Modified Projects

MoDOT is requesting to modify one project currently programmed in the TIP. This project is summarized below.

Modified Project				
TIP#/ Sponsor/ Sponsor # County	Route - Limits	Description	Current Cost/ Revised Cost	Reason for Change
5975A-15/ MoDOT/ 6S3123 Jefferson	US 61 – MO M to south of Church Rd	Pavement improvements	\$6,057,000/ \$3,683,000	Cost estimate for work has been revised.

Staff Recommendation: Staff recommends that the FY 2016-2019 TIP, *Connected 2045*, and related Air Quality Conformity Determination be revised to add one new project and modify one project, as summarized above and detailed in the attachment. These projects are exempt with respect to air quality in accordance with federal regulations (40 CFR 93.126).

September 15, 2015

Amendment # 0915-001
TIP # 6427-14
Sponsor # 6P0876R

**PROJECT
SPONSOR:** MoDOT

**ACTION
REQUESTED:** Revise FY 2017 of the FY 2016-2019 TIP to add a project

TITLE: MO 21

LIMITS: Old 21 to Klable Rd

DESCRIPTION: Drainage improvements

COUNTY: Jefferson

**FUNDING
SOURCE:** National Highway Performance Program (NHPP)

	Federal	Match	Total
PE	\$65,600	\$16,400	\$82,000
ROW	\$492,000	\$123,000	\$615,000
Implementation	\$691,200	\$172,800	\$864,000
Total	\$1,248,800	\$312,200	\$1,561,000

**AIR QUALITY
CONFORMITY:** Exempt – Plantings, landscaping, etc. (§ 93.126)

**STAFF
RECOMMENDATION:** Approval

FISCAL YEARS 2016-2019 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

COUNTY: JEFFERSON

ID	ORGANIZATION NAME/PROJECT TITLE/DESC	FUNDING CAT	IMPROVEMENTS		2016-2019 TOTAL	2016	2017	2018	2019
6427-14	MODOT - 6P0876R MO 21 OLD 21 TO KLABLE RD DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS LENGTH (mi): 1.7 AIR QUALITY STAT: Exempt - 93.126 PROJ PURPOSE: Preservation	NHPP	Drainage Correction	PE ROW IMPL Federal: \$1,248,800 State: \$312,200 Local: \$0	\$82,000 \$615,000 \$864,000 TOTAL \$1,561,000	\$23,000 \$0 \$0 \$23,000	\$59,000 \$615,000 \$864,000 \$1,538,000	\$0 \$0 \$0 \$0	\$0 \$0 \$0 \$0
					ESTIMATED TOTAL PROJECT COST: \$1,684,000				
5975A-16	MODOT - 6S3123 US 61 MO M TO SOUTH OF CHURCH ROAD PAVEMENT IMPROVEMENTS LENGTH (mi): 6.65 AIR QUALITY STAT: Exempt - 93.126 PROJ PURPOSE: Preservation	STAC*	Resurfacing	PE ROW IMPL Federal: \$0 State: \$3,683,000 Local: \$0	\$315,000 \$100,000 \$3,268,000 TOTAL \$3,683,000	\$78,000 \$100,000 \$0 \$178,000	\$237,000 \$0 \$3,268,000 \$3,505,000	\$0 \$0 \$0 \$0	\$0 \$0 \$0 \$0
					ESTIMATED TOTAL PROJECT COST: \$3,683,000				

*TIP# 6427-14: Ant. Funding Cat. STP; Ant. Conversion \$2,946,000