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Attention: Abhijit Bagde

RE: MTC TIP Revision No. 2015-07 – Administrative Modification

Dear Mr. Aljabiry:

Please be advised that MTC recently made several changes to the 2015 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). TIP Revision No. 2015-07 revises 19 projects with a net increase in funding of approximately \$3 million. Among other changes, this revision:

- Updates the funding plans of three Surface Transportation Program/Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement Program (STP/CMAQ) funded projects, including changing the fund source of \$10,623,591 in local funds to CMAQ funds;
- Updates the funding plan of the San Francisco Ferry Terminal/Berthing Facilities project, including changing the fund source of \$27,367,854 in RTP-LRP funds and \$200,000 in Sales Tax funds to \$24,000,000 in Proposition 1B funds, \$2,660,200 in Regional Measure 2 funds, and \$907,654 in FHWA Ferry Boat Formula funds;
- Updates the funding plan of the I-80/San Pablo Dam Rd Interchange Reconstruction project to change the fund source of \$1,318,000 in Sales Tax funds to Alternative Transportation Program (ATP) funds;
- Updates the funding plan and back-up listing of the Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP) grouped listing to reflect the latest information from Caltrans, including the addition of \$1.7 million in HSIP funds and the splitting out of the scope and funding for one individually listed Contra Costa Boulevard Improvement (Beth to Harriet) project;
- Updates the funding plan and back-up listing of the Bridge Rehabilitation and Reconstruction State Highway Operations and Protection Program (SHOPP) funded grouped listing to reflect the latest information from Caltrans, including the addition of \$311,000 in SHOPP funds;
- Updates the funding plan and back-up listing of the Railroad/Highway Crossings grouped listing to reflect the latest information from Caltrans, including the addition of \$1,465,200 in State STP funds; and

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- Updates the funding plans of five Highway Bridge Program (HBP) funded projects with no net change in program amounts.

The administrative modification is financially constrained by year and MTC relies on the State's programming capacity in the amount of \$907,654 in FHWA Ferry Boat Formula funds, \$1,318,000 in ATP funds, \$1,673,377 in HSIP funds, \$311,000 in SHOPP funds, \$24 million in Proposition 1B funds, and \$1,465,200 in State STP funds.

The TIP revision entries have been emailed to your staff. MTC's 2015 TIP, as revised with Revision No. 2015-07, remains in conformity with the applicable State Implementation Plan (SIP) for air quality and the revision does not interfere with the timely implementation of the Transportation Control Measures contained in the SIP.

The projects that are included in this administrative modification are not included in any other amendment that is open for public review. MTC's 2015 TIP, including the proposed Revision No. 2015-07, is consistent with metropolitan transportation planning regulations per 23 Code of Federal Regulations Part 450 and conforms to MTC's Regional Transportation Plan (Plan Bay Area).

Under the delegated authority received from Caltrans, I approve this administrative modification to the Federal Statewide Transportation Program (FSTIP). This revision is consistent with the approved Administrative Modifications/Amendments Guidelines and Procedures.

If you have any questions regarding this revision, please contact Adam Crenshaw of my staff at (510) 817-5794 or Mallory Atkinson at (510) 817-5793.

Sincerely,



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Attachment:

1. Revision Packet for TIP Revision 15-07

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