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Amendment #19-09

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SUBJECT: AMENDMENT #19-09 TO THE 2019 FEDERAL TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (FTIP)

Dear Mr. De Terra:

Under authority granted to me by the Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG) Regional Council, I hereby approve and transmit amendment #19-09 for projects in Imperial, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, and Ventura Counties. Included in this amendment package is a narrative describing the projects being amended, project listing reports, a financial plan, performance measures language, a conformity determination analysis, conformity project listing report, and one comment received.

## This amendment:

- Is consistent with the amended 2016 Regional Transportation Plan/Sustainable Communities Strategy (2016-2040 RTP/SCS);
- Does not affect the regional emissions analysis of the FTIP;
- Does not affect the timely implementation of the Transportation Control Measures; and
- Does not adversely impact financial constraint.

Furthermore, SCAG through its function as the designated Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) has found the attached projects to conform to the applicable State Implementation Plan.

In addition, SCAG has completed the interagency consultation and the public participation process for this amendment on August 8, 2019. No comments were received during the public review period.

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If you have any questions, please contact Pablo Gutierrez of my staff at (213) 236-1929 or via e-mail at <a href="mailto:gutierre@scag.ca.gov">gutierre@scag.ca.gov</a>

Sincerely,

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