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Attention: Ms. Tashia Clemons

Attention: Mr. Ted Matley

Dear Ms. Clemons and Mr. Matley:

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has completed the review of the following amendment to the Southern California Association of Governments' (SCAG) 2018/19 – 2023/24 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (FTIP):

<u>No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
27	<b>Local, State and Transit Transportation Systems</b>

- This amendment adds, modifies or deletes projects that include funding from the Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement Program, Highway Bridge Program, Surface Transportation Block Grant Program, State Highway Operation and Protection Program, Federal Earmarks, Coordinated Border Infrastructure Program, Road Repair and Accountability Act of 2017, and various Federal Transit Administration (FTA) programs.

See enclosure.

SCAG has certified that the amendment is consistent with the Regional Transportation Plan, is financially constrained, is consistent with the regional emission analysis, does not affect timely implementation of the transportation control measures, and meets the requirements of public involvement procedures adopted by SCAG.

Pursuant to the authority delegated to me by the Director of Caltrans, I approve SCAG's Amendment Number 27. I also recommend that the Federal Highway Administration and FTA approve this FTIP amendment for inclusion into California's 2019 Federal Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (FSTIP). Projects included in this FTIP, in fiscal years beyond the four-year cycle of the current FSTIP, are not approved as

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part of this FTIP amendment and are for information only. Approval of this amendment does not constitute an eligibility determination of projects for federal funding.

Please address any questions on this FSTIP approval request to Abhijit Bagde of my staff, at (916) 654-3638.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Bruce De Terra". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

BRUCE DE TERRA  
Chief  
Division of Financial Programming

Enclosures

c: Karina OConnor - EPA Office of Air Planning (w/enclosure)  
Sarah Jepsen - Southern California Association of Governments  
Pablo Gutierrez - Southern California Association of Governments