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The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) is the lead agency for the Transportation Pooled Fund (TPF) Program study TPF-5(447) *Traffic Control Device (TCD) Consortium Pooled Fund Study*. FHWA's Office of Research, Development and Technology accepts the role of lead agency and agrees to receive, obligate, expend, and manage contributions from participating agencies.

Participating States and agencies utilizing Federal funds will be asked to submit their funding transfer requests by using Form FHWA-1575-C, FHWA Transfer Request, which is available on the TPF website (www.pooledfund.org), along with a copy of this memorandum, to their respective FHWA division office for concurrence. When completing form 1575-C, select Office of Research, Development and Technology from the drop-down menu on the top left side of the form. If your office is not listed on the drop-down menu, select "other." On the right side, fill out "Description of Entity to" with: "Office of Research, Development and Technology, HRT-1, BPAC-040".

Participating agencies that wish to contribute non-Federal funding can do so via <u>pay.gov</u>. Please see chapter 11 of the <u>TPF Procedures Manual</u> (updated April 2021), which is available on the <u>TPF website</u>, for further instructions.

The lead agency coordinator for this pooled fund study, Laura Mero, can be contacted at 202-493-3377 or laura.mero@dot.gov for any questions about this study.

Sincerely,

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