



U.S. Department
of Transportation

Federal Highway
Administration

Memorandum

6300 Georgetown Pike
McLean, VA 22101

Subject: **INFORMATION:** Transportation Pooled
Fund (TPF) Solicitation #1604 “WI/IL Peer
Exchange 2024”

Date: February 23, 2024

From: Kelly Regal, Ph.D. 
Associate Administrator for Research,
Development, and Technology
McLean, VA 22101

In Reply Refer To:
HRTM-10

Prepared By: Tricia Sergeson, PMP
TPF Program Manager, Office of Corporate
Research, Technology, and Innovation
Management
McLean, VA 22101

To: Christopher Hall
Acting Division Administrator
Springfield, IL 62703

This memorandum is in response to the January 19, 2024, email from Dennis Bachman of your staff, requesting the waiver of the non-Federal funding match for State Planning and Research, Subpart B (SPR-B) funds for TPF project solicitation number 1604, “WI/IL Peer Exchange 2024”. We understand that the Illinois Department of Transportation will be the lead agency for this project and John Senger will be the lead agency contact.

The proposed study meets the criteria for use of SPR-B funds used for research and development studies without non-Federal matching funds. The approval status will be reflected on the TPF website: www.pooledfund.org, which serves as the primary mechanism for communication regarding pooled fund studies.

Dennis Bachman, Asset Management/Pavement & Materials Engineer, will be the Federal Highway Administration’s technical liaison for this study. Dennis Bachman can be reached via telephone at (217) 492-4283 or via email at dennis.bachman@dot.gov.

You may contact Tricia Sergeson at (202) 493-3166 or patricia.sergeson@dot.gov if you have questions or need further assistance.