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Dear: Partner Commitment Contacts:

Subject: State Lead Entity Acceptance for TPF-5(188) Evaluation of Fiber Reinforced Composite Dowel Bars and Stainless Steel Dowel Bars

The Ohio Department of Transportation is the lead state for the pooled fund study TPF-5(188) Evaluation of Fiber Reinforced Composite Dowel Bars and Stainless Steel Dowel Bars. The Ohio Department of Transportation accepts the role of lead agency and agrees to receive, obligate, expend and manage contributions from participating agencies.

Please send a copy of this memo with the funding transfer request form for this project to your state FHWA Division Office for concurrence. To ensure ODOT has accurate financial records, please copy Jill Martindale when you send these documents to your FHWA Division Office.

Please contact Jill Martindale at 614-644-8173 or jill.martindale@dot.state.oh.us

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Monique R. Evans".

Monique Evans, P.E. CPM
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