

Memorandum

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Fund (TPF) Solicitation #1613 Midwest

Roadside Safety Pooled Fund Program (FY25-

FY29)"

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This memorandum is in response to the May 8, 2024 email from Justin Luther 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 1613, "Midwest Roadside Safety Pooled Fund Program (FY25-FY29)." We understand that the Nebraska Department of Transportation will be the lead agency for this project and Mark Fischer will be the lead agency contact.

The proposed study meets the criteria for the use of SPR-B funds 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.

Dick Albin, Senior Safety Engineer, will be the Federal Highway Administration's technical liaison for this study. Mr. Albin can be reached via telephone at 303-550-8804 or via email at dick.albin@dot.gov.

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