

Memorandum

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Subject: **INFORMATION:** Transportation Pooled

Fund (TPF) Solicitation #1631 "Traffic Control

Device (TCD) Consortium (4)"

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This memorandum is in response to your February 17, 2025 memorandum, for the TPF Solicitation Number 1634, "*Traffic Control Device (TCD) Consortium (4)*." On behalf of State DOT partners, Laura Mero, who serves as the lead agency contact, requested a waiver of the non-Federal funding match for State Planning and Research, Subpart B (SPR-B) funds for TPF project solicitation.

The 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.

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