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**Federal Highway
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Memorandum

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Subject: **INFORMATION:** Transportation Pooled
Fund (TPF) Solicitation #1637 “Transportation
Learning Network (2025-2029)”

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This memorandum is in response to the 7/7/2025 email from Kristen Sperry of your staff, requesting the waiver of the non-Federal funding match for State Planning and Research funds for TPF project solicitation number 1637, “Transportation Learning Network (2025-2029).” We understand that the North Dakota Department of Transportation will be the lead agency for this project and Mr. TJ Murphy will be the lead agency contact.

The proposed study meets the criteria for use of SPR 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.

Ms. Maria Rosa, Program Manager, will be the Federal Highway Administration’s technical liaison for this study. Ms. Rosa can be reached via telephone at (202) 579-4828 or via email at maria.rosa@dot.gov.

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