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Memorandum

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Subject: INFORMATION: Transportation Pooled Fund
(TPF) Solicitation #1647 “National Access
Evaluation Pooled Fund - Phase III”

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This memorandum is in response to the email from Joe Campbell of your staff, requesting the waiver of the non-Federal funding match for State Planning and Research funds for TPF project solicitation number 1647, “National Access Evaluation Pooled Fund - Phase III.” We understand that the Minnesota Department of Transportation will be the lead agency for this project and Mr. Leif Halverson 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. Tricia Sergeson, Program Manager will be the Federal Highway Administration’s technical liaison for this study. Ms. Sergeson can be reached at (202)493-3166 or patricia.sergeson@dot.gov if you have questions or need further assistance.