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July 22, 2026

Mr. David Snyder
Ohio Division Administrator
Federal Highway Administration
200 North High Street, Room 328
Columbus, OH 43215

RE: Automated Vehicle (AV) Pooled Fund Study (PFS) Phase 2

Dear Mr. Snyder:

The Ohio Department of Transportation is the lead state for pooled fund study TPF-5(579) "Automated Vehicle (AV) Pooled Fund Study (PFS) Phase 2".

The Ohio Department of Transportation accepts the role of lead agency and agrees to receive, obligate, expend and manage contributions from participating agencies.

The participating agencies are requested to submit a copy of this letter with their funding transfer request for this project to their respective FHWA Division Office.

Respectfully,

Vicky Fout
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cc: Sam Wallace, FHWA - OH
Tricia Sergeson, FHWA - TPF PM
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