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Subject: Pooled Fund Acceptance Memo TPF-5(260)

The Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT) is the lead state for the pooled fund study TPF-5(260) Next-Generation Transportation Construction Management. CDOT accepts the role as lead agency and agrees to receive, obligate, and manage contributions from participating agencies.

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

If you have any questions, please contact David Reeves, Research Manager, at 303.757.9518 or David Reeves@dot.state.co.us.

Sincerely,

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