**Quarterly Progress Report**

**For the period October 1, 2011 to December 31 2011**

**ISU/FHWA Contract No. DTFH61-06-D-00023**

**Project Dates TO 5:** June 8**,** 2011 – June 30, 2012

**Project Title:** CP Road Map Administrative Support Contract

(Task Order No. 5 – Continue Activities to Initiate CP Road Map)

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Project is on schedule TO 5: Yes

Project is within budget: Yes

Problems (current or anticipated TO5: No

**Products and tangible results this quarter** (reports/articles written, oral reports/interviews given):

* Prepared the Introducing the “CP Road Map 2nd Edition” MAP Brief for October, 2011
* Prepared the Precast Concrete Pavements MAP Brief for November-December 2011
* Worked on Volume I & II changes that were made to the CP Road Map and prepared comments on changes for FHWA
* Work began on the “Accelerated Implementation and Technology Deployment” section for the CP Road Map
* The *Sustainable Concrete Pavements - A Manual of Practice* was finalized and a copy was sent to the committee and FHWA

**Interaction with Technical Monitor and/or Project Advisory Committee**:

* Conference calls with project team continue to be held weekly to discuss upcoming tasks and project progress.
* Conference calls are held with FHWA technical monitor on a by-weekly basis to discuss project items.
* Communication continued with FHWA technical monitor on the revisions to Volume I & II of the CP Road Map. It was decided to develop an “Accelerated Implementation and Technology Deployment” section for the Road Map, which was drafted by Dale Harrington.
* Setup January 10, 2012 conference call with CP Road Map Executive Committee.

**Brief summary of this quarter’s research and activities pertaining to the project**:

* The September-October 2011 E-News was prepared and the state of Kansas was highlighted in this edition.
* The November-December 2011 E-News was prepared and the state of Illinois was highlighted in this edition.
* Work began on contacting states to setup the technical training available to them through the CP Road Map. Training topics, dates and speakers were discussed. The following states have committed to training under the CP Road Map pooled fund:
	+ Virginia – February 8, 2012
	+ Michigan – February 14-15, 2012
	+ New York – March 13, 2012
	+ Mississippi – March 22, 2012
	+ Pennsylvania – April 12, 2012
	+ Iowa – Will work with Districts for specific dates

**Main emphasis for next quarter:**

* Continue to work to set up discussions for industry and DOT interaction
* Develop e-news and MAP Briefs for continued distribution
* Continue to work with state DOTs and ACPA to coordinate and hold training sessions for each of the participating TPF states on the 10 subjects.

