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Mr. Robert F. Tally
Division Administrator
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Indiana Division
575 N. Pennsylvania St., Room 254
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

Attention: Mr. Mark Newland

Subject: Pooled Fund Project TPF-5(021) *Base Funding for the North Central Superpave Center*

Dear Mr. Tally:

The Indiana Department of Transportation accepts the responsibility to lead the pooled fund project TPF-5(021) *Base Funding for the North Central Superpave Center*.

INDOT Office of Research and Development will administer pooled fund contributions, both Federal and non-Federal, transferred through FMIS interstate transfers or through the lockbox procedure, and will review and pay expenses related to this project. All monetary transactions will be documented according to INDOT procedures and Federal laws.

Other states participating in this pooled fund project are: Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, and Wisconsin.

Please contact me at 765-463-1521 ext. 248 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Tommy Nantung".

Tommy E. Nantung
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