

## TRANSPORTATION POOLED FUND PROGRAM QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT

Lead Agency (FHWA or State DOT): \_\_\_\_\_Kansas DOT\_\_\_\_\_

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

*Project Managers and/or research project investigators should complete a quarterly progress report for each calendar quarter during which the projects are active. Please provide a project schedule status of the research activities tied to each task that is defined in the proposal; a percentage completion of each task; a concise discussion (2 or 3 sentences) of the current status, including accomplishments and problems encountered, if any. List all tasks, even if no work was done during this period.*

<b>Transportation Pooled Fund Program Project #</b> TPF-5(271)	<b>Transportation Pooled Fund Program - Report Period:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Quarter 1 (January 1 – March 31) <input type="checkbox"/> Quarter 2 (April 1 – June 30) <input type="checkbox"/> Quarter 3 (July 1 – September 30) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Quarter 4 (October 4 – December 31)	
<b>Project Title:</b> Reorganization of Section 5, Concrete Structures, of the AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications		
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<b>Lead Agency Project ID:</b> RE-0611-01 TPF5(271)	<b>Other Project ID (i.e., contract #):</b>	<b>Project Start Date:</b> January 1, 2013
<b>Original Project End Date:</b> December 31, 2015	<b>Current Project End Date:</b> 12-31-2015	<b>Number of Extensions:</b>

Project schedule status:

On schedule     
  On revised schedule     
  Ahead of schedule     
  Behind schedule

Overall Project Statistics:

Total Project Budget	Total Cost to Date for Project	Total Percentage of Work Completed
\$385,000	\$0.00	0%

Quarterly Project Statistics:

Total Project Expenses This Quarter	Total Amount of Funds Expended This Quarter	Percentage of Work Completed This Quarter
\$0.00	\$0.00	0%

**Project Description:**

The purpose of this project is to reorganize Section 5, Concrete Structures, of the AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specification so that Section 5 is logically organized, and philosophically and technically consistent. The entire LRFD Bridge Design Specification and AASHTO Bridge Construction Specification must be reviewed and updated as necessary to maintain consistency.

**Progress this Quarter (includes meetings, work plan status, contract status, significant progress, etc.):**

Contract was signed with AASHTO

**Anticipated work next quarter:**

Survey stakeholders - Stakeholders will be identified and surveyed via conference calls and in-person meetings (for example, during the various T-10 meetings through the year) to identify the needs for returning Section 5 to its original consistency of organization, philosophy and technique. Stakeholders will include AASHTO technical committee T-10, practicing bridge-design engineers, and bridge-design researchers, among others.

**Significant Results:**

**Circumstance affecting project or budget. (Please describe any challenges encountered or anticipated that might the completion of the project within the time, scope and fiscal constraints set forth in the agreement, along with recommended solutions to those problems).**