**TRANSPORTATION POOLED FUND PROGRAM**

**QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT**

Date: May 6, 2014

Lead Agency (FHWA or State DOT): \_\_\_Washington Department of Transportation\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**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.*

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| **Transportation Pooled Fund Program Project #**  *(i.e, SPR-2(XXX), SPR-3(XXX) or TPF-5(XXX)*  TPF-5(114) Roadside Safety Research Program | | **Transportation Pooled Fund Program - Report Period:**  XXX□Quarter 1 (January 1 – March 31)  □Quarter 2 (April 1 – June 30)  □Quarter 3 (July 1 – September 30)  □Quarter 4 (October 1 – December 31) | |
| **Project Title:**  Roadside Safety Research Program | | | |
| **Name of Project Manager(s):**  **Rhonda Brooks** | **Phone Number:**  **360-705-7945** | | **E-Mail**  brookrh@wsdot.wa.gov |
| **Lead Agency Project ID:**  **N/A** | **Other Project ID (i.e., contract #):** | | **Project Start Date:**  2005 |
| **Original Project End Date:** | **Current Project End Date: 2015** | | **Number of Extensions:** |

Project schedule status:

xx□ On schedule □ On revised schedule □ Ahead of schedule □ Behind schedule

Overall Project Statistics:

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| **Total Project Budget** | **Total Cost to Date for Project** | **Percentage of Work**  **Completed to Date** |
| $2.3 million | $2.0 million | 85% |

***Quarterly*** Project Statistics:

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| **Total Project Expenses**  **and Percentage This Quarter** | **Total Amount of Funds**  **Expended This Quarter** | **Total Percentage of**  **Time Used to Date** |
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| **Project Description**:  The Roadside Safety Research program is designed to conduct research on roadside safety research. The priorities for research projects are defined by member states who serve on the Roadside Safety Committee. Texas Transportation  Institute is the research agency and has performed over 42 research inquires on various roadside safety features. These studies, membership, and other study information are available by contacting www. RoadsidePooledFund.org  The Roadside Safety Committee invites other state DOT’s to join this collaborative research effort by making modest contributions to the pooled fund and participating in the development of the research inquiries. Currently, TTI has research underway on the research projects that were prioritized at their meeting in College Station in November 2013. The group will meet again in Shepardstown, West Virgina on September 16-17, 2014 to review research results and to develop project inquiries for the FFY2015 period. States that are interested in joining this collaborative research effort should contact contact Rhonda Brooks at (360) 705-7945. |

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| **Progress this Quarter (includes meetings, work plan status, contract status, significant progress, etc.):**  Project progress can be viewed at <http://www.RoadsidePooledFund.org> |
| **Anticipated work next quarter**:  See Web Site <http://www.RoadsidePooledFund.org> |

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

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| **Potential Implementation:**  Many research project inquires have resulted in modified design which have been accepted by FHWA. See the Roadside  Safety website for a complete listing of implementation activities. |