Texas Transportation Pooled Fund Project - Progress Report

Project Title: Electronic Appraisal Development Study – Phase 1	
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Term of Contract: 9/1/04 – 8/31/06	
Reporting Period: 9/1/05 – 12/31/05	

Work Performed and Progress:

Task 1 Conduct Research Project with Good Practices of Project Management

Project plan has been developed and submitted to project panel, along with a list of technical memoranda to be developed.

<u>Task 2 Review State of the Art Technologies Potentially Useful for the Development of the Electronic Appraisal System</u>

This task is complete. A comprehensive review of available state-of-the-art technologies has been conducted. Using this information, a conceptual electronic appraisal system (EAS) has been developed.

<u>Task 3 Gather and Organize Business Requirements and Technologies from TxDOT and Other State</u>
<u>Participants</u>

This task is complete. Draft conceptual framework, user function needs, and data requirements have been identified and submitted as a technical memorandum.

<u>Task 4 Analyze Requirements, Processes, and Technologies for Recommendation and Prototyping</u>
Analysis of user functional needs has been conducted. Background work on prototyping has been conducted.

Task 5 Design Prototype

This task is underway. A draft technical memorandum entitled "Prototype Design of Electronic Appraisal System (EAS) has been prepared and is currently under review by project panel members. A project meeting was held January 5, 2006 to discuss design requirements and review progress.

<u>Task 6 Develop Prototype</u>

This task has not yet started.

Task 7 Present/Demonstrate Prototype

This task has not yet started.

Task 8 Close Out

This task has not yet started.

Expenditures Life-to-date: \$ 122,872.70

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