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Dear Mr. Ditzler,

The Oregon Department of Transportation is the lead state for the Pooled Fund Study TPF-5(371) "Highway Capacity Manual Capacity Adjustments for Agency Connected and Autonomous Vehicle Operational Planning Readiness under Varying Levels of Volume and Market Penetration." Oregon accepts the role of lead agency and agrees to receive, obligate, expend, and manage contributions for participating agencies.

The participating agencies are requested to submit a copy of this letter with their funding transfer request form for this project to their respective FHWA Division Office for concurrence.

These agencies should include the following information in the information box on the FHWA Transfer Request form:

- Pooled Fund project number and name
- Year(s) for which the commitment was made
- Amount for each year
- Fund year and fund program code
- Send a courtesy copy of the submittal to [Anthony.h.knudson@odot.state.or.us](mailto:Anthony.h.knudson@odot.state.or.us)

Please contact Tony Knudson at (503)986-2848 if you have any questions regarding this project.

Sincerely,

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