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

Attention: Mr. Mark Newland

Subject: Pooled Fund Project TPF-5(253) Member-level Redundancy in Built-up Steel Members

Dear Mr. Tally:

The Indiana Department of Transportation is the lead state for the pooled fund study TPF-5(253) *Member-level Redundancy in Built-up Steel Members*.

The Indiana Department of Transportation accepts the role of lead agency and agrees to receive, obligate, expend and manage contributions from 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.

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

Sincerely,

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Partner agencies

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