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**Mitchell E. Daniels, Jr., Governor**  
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November 14, 2012

Ms. Marisol R. Simon  
Regional Administrator  
Federal Transit Administration  
200 West Adams Street, Suite 320  
Chicago, IL 60606

RE: FY 2012 – FY 2015 State Transportation Improvement Program Transit Amendment #27

Dear Ms. Simon;

Please find attached a Metropolitan Planning Organization TIP amendment which must be approved and included into the FY 2012 State Transportation Improvement Program. We will reflect by reference the 2012 – 2015 federal aid projects covered by this approval in our 2012 - 2015 STIP. The amendment is for the Indianapolis Metropolitan Planning Organization. The resolution number is 12-IMPO-009. The project to be added is as follows:

<u>MPO</u>	<u>Project Description</u>	<u>DES #</u>	<u>Federal Amount</u>	<u>Program #</u>
Indianapolis	Outreach & marketing to veterans (2013)	1297774	\$20,000	5312

We have determined that the proposed amendments are: 1) consistent with the transportation plan; 2) the TIP remains fiscally constrained in that federal funding resources are sufficient to support the new or modified projects and 3) conform to state and national air quality standards as required by the Federal Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990.

We request your review and approval of the subject amendment. Please contact me at (317) 232-5292 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Larry Buckel  
Manager, Office of Transit

CC: Reggie Arkell, FTA

INDIANAPOLIS METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION

INDIANAPOLIS REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COUNCIL  
POLICY COMMITTEE

Resolution Number 12-IMPO-009

A RESOLUTION amending the 2012-2015 Indianapolis Regional Transportation Improvement Program.

WHEREAS, the 2012-2015 Indianapolis Regional Transportation Improvement Program (IRTIP) incorporates projects proposed by local governments and agencies within the Indianapolis Metropolitan Planning Area; and

WHEREAS, the projects contained in the proposed IRTIP amendment have been reviewed as to their immediate impact and importance to the continued improvement of the transportation system operating within the area; and

WHEREAS, changing conditions necessitate periodic amendments to the IRTIP; and

WHEREAS, section 176(c) of the Clean Air Act, amended in 1990, required that the Transportation Conformity Rule establish criteria and procedures by which the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), the Federal Transit Administration (FTA), and metropolitan planning organizations (MPOs) determine the conformity of federally funded or approved highway and transit plans, programs, and projects to state implementation plans (SIPs) prepared for criteria pollutants; and

WHEREAS, the MPO consulted with the Interagency Consultation Group and the agencies did not take exception to the MPO finding that (1) each project in the TIP as amended is consistent with the design concept and scope of the project that was modeled in the most recent conformity demonstration, (2) the open-to-traffic date of each project in the TIP as amended is consistent with the open-to-traffic dates in the most recent conformity demonstration, (3) that the previous emissions analysis meets the requirements of 40 CFR 93.118 and demonstrate conformity of the TIP as amended; and

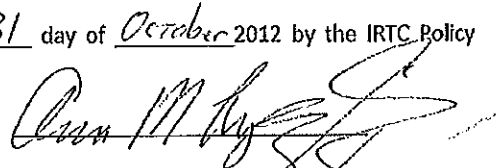
WHEREAS, the proposed IRTIP amendments were made available for public comment and comments received were provided to the Indianapolis Regional Transportation Council Policy Committee (IRTC); and

WHEREAS, the IRTC Policy Committee is the approval body for all transportation-related activities of the Metropolitan Planning Organization for the Indianapolis Urbanized Area under applicable U.S. Department of Transportation regulations;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the IRTC hereby approves the amendment to the 2012-2015 Indianapolis Regional Transportation Improvement Program as shown on the attached Exhibit A.

The above and foregoing resolution was adopted this 31 day of October 2012 by the IRTC Policy Committee.

DATE: 10/31/12



Anna Tyszkiewicz, Executive Director  
Indianapolis MPO  
For the IRTC Policy Committee Chair

**TABLE 16: AMENDED**  
**FTA Section 5309 - Capital Improvement Program & Section 5312 - National Research Program Funds**  
(updated 10/31/12)

**Fiscal Years 2012-2015**

**Section 5309**

Des. No.	Recipient	Facility Name	Project Location/Description/Phase	First Added to IRTRF	Total Project Cost	Federal Funds	Local Match
1297085	CIRTA	n/a	Online Transportation Information Center; PL in FY 2012	Feb-12	\$ 50,000	\$ 40,000	\$ 10,000
n/a	Indy MPO	Northeast Corridor	DEIS and other related studies; PL in FY 2012 & FY 2013	Sep-08	\$ 2,885,053	\$ 2,308,042	\$ 577,011
1297090	IndyGo	Washington St. & Carmel-Greenwood Corridors	Central Corridors Alternatives Analysis; PL in FY 2012	Feb-12	\$ 2,500,000	\$ 2,000,000	\$ 500,000
1297209	IndyGo	n/a	Replacement buses utilizing Federal Section 5309 apportionment (E2010-BUSP-095)	May-12	\$ 375,000	\$ 300,000	\$ 75,000
<b>TOTAL:</b>					<b>\$ 5,810,053</b>	<b>\$ 4,648,042</b>	<b>\$ 1,162,011</b>

**Section 5312**

1297774	IndyGo	n/a	Outreach & marketing to veterans community for consolidated transportation resource website PL in FY 2013	Oct-12	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000	\$ -
<b>TOTAL:</b>					<b>\$ 20,000</b>	<b>\$ 20,000</b>	<b>\$ -</b>

NOTE: Section 5309/5312 projects may be approved at a later date and amended into Table 16.

**TRANSIT TIP & INSTIP 12-15 AMENDMENT and/or MODIFICATION REQUEST**

31-Oct

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Percentage/Dollar split information required by MPO for accurate TIP listing

T-#####	MODS	AMENDS	= Tracking Number		County	Work Type	Fund Year	Total Amount	FTA Funding	Remarks	MPO	FED %	FEDERAL \$	STATE %	STATE \$
DES# or TRACKING#	Type	Route Number	Project Description		County	Work Type	Fund Year	Total Amount	FTA Funding	Remarks	MPO	FED %	FEDERAL \$	STATE %	STATE \$
1297774	N/A	N/A	Outreach and marketing to the veterans community for the consolidated transportation resource website		Marion	Transit Planning	2013	\$ 20,000		Add project to FY 2013 with FTA Section 5312	Indianapolis - IMPO	100%	\$ 20,000	0%	\$ -