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**Michael R. Pence, Governor**  
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July 9, 2014

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

RE: FY2014 - FY2017 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) Administrative Modification #23

Dear Ms. Simon;

Please find attached a Metropolitan Planning Organization TIP administrative modification **from the Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission**. The Administrative Modification was requested on July 8, 2014. We concur with this administrative modification and it will be reflected by reference in the 2014-2017 STIP.

We have determined that the administrative **modification** is: 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.

Please contact me at (317) 232-5292 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Larry Buckel  
Manager  
Office of Transit

CC: Reggie Arkell, FTA  
Tony Greep, FTA

**STIP AMENDMENT and/or MODIFICATION REQUEST**

Date: 07/08/14

Amendme  
Modification

NIRPC Admin Modification No. 16

Requestor: Belinda Petroskey

Sponsor	DES	Work Type	Location	District	Federal Category	Asset Program - (State Projects Only)	Federal	Match	2014	2015	2016	2017	Remarks	MPO
NIRPC	1173020	Transit Operating	Lake	LaPorte	Transit		125,000		250,000				Change funding source to Section 5317	NIRPC
NIRPC	1173019	Transit Operating	Porter County	LaPorte	Transit		82,936		166,872				Change funding source to Section 5317	NIRPC