November 10, 2011

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

RE: FY2012 - FY2015 Indiana State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) administrative modification #5

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 November 7, 2011. We concur with this administrative modification and it will be reflected by reference in the 2012-2015 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: Belinda Petroskey, NIRPC
Gary Evers, NIRPC
David Wright, Gary PTC
Clay Cates, Gary PTC
Reggie Arkell, FTA

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Larry, please review and advise if they are ready to be forwarded to Jeanette.

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Subject: Transit STIP/TIP Administrative Modification

Jerry,
Attached please find a transit administrative modification to the FY 2012-2015 TIP/STIP. The modification adds the balance of the Jobs Access Reverse Commute (JARC) funds from FY 2009, 2010, 2011 and 2012 to the Gary Public Transportation Corporation (GPTC) JARC program listed in FY 2012 TIP (DES #1172990). It also adds the balance of FY2013 (projected) JARC funds to GPTC’s FY 2013 JARC program (DES # 1172996).

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank You!
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| Route | Project Description | County | Work Type | Work Category | Phase | Fund Year | Total Amount | FTA Funding | Remarks | District | Sponsor | MPO | Letting DATE | FED % | FEDERAL | STATE % | STATE $ | Local % | Local $ | MIA TOTAL | CHECK |
|-------|---------------------|--------|-----------|--------------|-------|-----------|--------------|-------------|---------|----------|---------|-------|---------|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 1172990 | Increase FY 2012 GPTC JARC to include balance of FFY 2009, 2010 and 2011 JARC | Lake | Transit Operating | Transit Operating | N/A | 2012 | $1,862,920 | 5316 | To Program Balance of FFY | LaPorte | MPO | Northwest Indiana | 50% | $940,460 | $ - | 50% | $940,460 | $1,862,920 | $ - | $ - |
| 1172996 | Increase FFY 2013 TIP Amount for JARC for GPTC | Lake | Transit Operating | Transit Operating | N/A | 2013 | $820,324 | 5316 | Increase JARC Funds for FFY | LaPorte | MPO | Northwest Indiana | 50% | $310,162 | $ - | 50% | $310,162 | $820,324 | $ - | $ - |