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Mr. Duane Thomas
Federal Highway Administration - KY Division
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RE: Louisville-Southern Indiana
Ohio River Bridges Project

Dear Duane,

On behalf of KYTC and INDOT, I'm providing a summary of what project development activities the State Sponsors propose to perform within each of our sections while a Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement is being prepared. Information will be used from these activities to support the supplemental process. We propose:

Section 1:

- To perform preliminary engineering and design activities sufficient to analyze alternatives and determine impacts during the SEIS process.
- To coordinate with permitting agencies.
- To continue right of way acquisition in locations where the needs do not change with either alternative.
- To continue utility coordination.

Section 2:

- To perform preliminary engineering and design activities sufficient to analyze alternatives and determine impacts during the SEIS process.
- To coordinate with permitting agencies.



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Section 3:

- To perform preliminary engineering and design activities sufficient to analyze alternatives and determine impacts during the SEIS process.
- To coordinate with the permitting agencies.
- To begin right of way acquisition and relocation of the 5 historic homes within the Jeffersonville Historic District where right of way needs do not change with either alternative under consideration in the environmental process.
- To continue coordination with utility companies.

Section 4:

- To perform preliminary engineering and design activities sufficient to analyze alternatives and determine impacts during the SEIS process.
- To prepare a Geotechnical Baseline Report in the area of the proposed tunnel.
- To coordinate with the permitting agencies.
- To complete right of way acquisition.
- To continue coordination with utility companies and work to begin relocations.

Section 5:

- To perform preliminary engineering and design activities sufficient to analyze alternatives and determine impacts during the SEIS process.
- To coordinate with permitting agencies.

Section 6:

- To perform preliminary engineering and design activities sufficient to analyze alternatives and determine impacts during the SEIS process.
- To coordinate with the permitting agencies.
- To complete right of way acquisition.
- To continue coordination with utility companies and work to begin relocations.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 502-210-5453.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gary Valentine". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large loop at the end of the last name.

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