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RE: Amendment to the Fiscal Year (FY) 2011 Maryland Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to include the FY 2011-2016 Transportation Improvement Program for the Washington Metropolitan Region. MDOT Control #11-04.

Dear Mr. Castellanos and Ms. Thompson:

The Maryland Department of Transportation hereby amends the FY 2011 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to include the FY 2011-2016 Transportation Improvement Program for the Washington Metropolitan Region. The TIP was approved by the National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board on November 17, 2010 and was subsequently found to meet air quality conformity requirements by the Environmental Protection Agency and the US Department of Transportation on February 9, 2011. MDOT concurs with this endorsement. A copy of the document is attached.

The Maryland STIP continues to be fiscally constrained. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 410-865-1295. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Michael W. Nixon".

Michael W. Nixon, Manager
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Attachments

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