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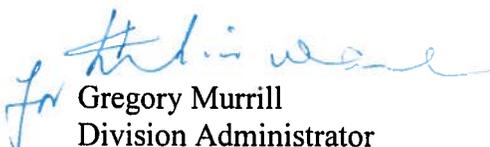
Dear Mr. Halligan:

We have completed our review of the State request (MDOT Control # 13-120) to amend the Fiscal Year (FY) 2013 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) and FY 2012-2015 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for the Hagerstown/Eastern Panhandle MPO. Specifically, the STIP/TIP is being amended to increase funding four Areawide Projects originally submitted as MDOT Control # 13-78.

We accept this amendment and find that it was developed based on a continuing, cooperative, and comprehensive transportation planning process, in accordance with 23 U.S.C. 134, 23 U.S.C. 135 and 49.

If you have any questions, regarding this STIP/TIP amendment please contact Kwame Arhin at (410) 779.7158.

Sincerely yours,


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