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Attention: Mr. Antonio Johnson

Attention: Mr. Ted Matley

Dear Mr. Johnson and Mr. Matley:

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has completed the review of the following amendment to the Southern California Association of Governments' (SCAG) 2018/19 – 2023/24 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (FTIP):

<u>No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
31	<p>Local, State and Transit Transportation Systems</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> This amendment adds and modifies projects that include funding from the Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement Program, Highway Bridge Program, Surface Transportation Block Grant Program, State Transportation Improvement Program, State Highway Operation and Protection Program, Federal Earmarks, Highway Infrastructure Program, Road Repair and Accountability Act of 2017, and the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) 5339 Program.

See enclosure.

SCAG has certified that the amendment is consistent with the Regional Transportation Plan, is financially constrained, is consistent with the regional emission analysis, does not affect timely implementation of the transportation control measures, and meets the requirements of public involvement procedures adopted by SCAG.

Pursuant to the authority delegated to me by the Director of Caltrans, I approve SCAG's Amendment Number 31. I also recommend that the Federal Highway Administration and FTA approve this FTIP amendment for inclusion into California's 2019 Federal Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (FSTIP). Projects included in this FTIP, in fiscal years beyond the four-year cycle of the current FSTIP, are not approved as

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part of this FTIP amendment and are for information only. Approval of this amendment does not constitute an eligibility determination of projects for federal funding.

Please address any questions on this FSTIP approval request to Abhijit Bagde of my staff, at (916) 654-3638.

Sincerely,



for

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Enclosures

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