

July 17, 2020

Mr. Jason Casteel INDOT, Office of Transit 100 North Senate Avenue Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

Dear Jason:

Please amend the Fiscal Year (FY) 2020-2024 Transportation Improvement Programs (TIP) and FY 2020-2024 Indiana Statewide Transportation Improvement Programs (STIP) to include the following:

Transit - Transit Initiated - Resolution 29-20

A. MACOG Transit <u>Amendment</u> Exempt Project in Elkhart County

Resolution 29-20 Add Project to TIP

Des#: 2001800 Purchase 2 Transit Vehicles > 35ft

Transit Purchase Vehicles

Total: \$860,000 Federal: \$860,000 (CARES) Local: \$0 SFY 2021

B. MACOG Transit Amendment Exempt Project in Elkhart County

Resolution 29-20 Add Project to TIP

Des#: 2001801 Purchase 2 Transit Vehicles < 35ft

Transit Purchase Vehicles

Total: \$120,000 Federal: \$120,000 (CARES) Local: \$0 SFY 2021

The Michiana Area Council of Governments, as the designated Metropolitan Planning Organization for the South Bend and Elkhart/Goshen, Indiana Urbanized Areas, is hereby submitting an amendment to the FY 2020-2024 TIP, as well as, the FY 2020-2024 STIP for Intergovernmental Review under the provisions of Executive Order 1271. The document has been reviewed and endorsed by the MACOG Policy Board on July 17, 2020.

We are, therefore, offering our assurance that the document has been developed with and reviewed by the appropriate jurisdictions and governmental agencies within the South Bend and Elkhart/Goshen Urbanized Areas. This includes the Indiana Department of Transportation and member jurisdictions and governmental agencies of the MACOG Policy Board.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please contact this agency if you need further information.

Sincerely,

James Turnwald Executive Director

Cc: Stephanie Belch, Larry Buckel, Joyce Newland, Justin Sergent