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To:

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Subject:

KN 19765, US 95, COUGAR CR TO BLACKWELL SLOUGH, KOOTENAI CO. Administrative Amendment #8 2015 TIP

Jeanette,

I have reviewed the Idaho Transportation Department's (ITD) request to amend the 2015-2020 KMPO Transportation Improvement Program(TIP) to include the above referenced project. Based on my review, this amendment should be considered and administrative modification to the 2015-2020 KMPO TIP for the following reasons:

- 1. The KMPO Board recently adopted the KMPO 2016-2021 Transportation Improvement Program(TIP); which included the U.S. 95 Cougar CR to Blackwell Slough, Kootenai County project KN 13854, and therefore updates KMPO Board actions taken on the KMPO 2015-2021 TIP;
- 2. The 2016-2021 TIP was publicly advertised for comment prior its adoption by the KMPO Board and has therefore met the public involvement requirements for inclusion to the TIP; including it in a prior year TIP for obligation purposes does not change the intent to obligate funds for PE/PC in Fiscal Year 2016;
- 3. The design, concept and scope of the project has not changed since the KMPO Board adopted the 2016-2021 TIP;
- 4. A Key Number change is not a material change to the project itself;
- 5. The decrease in requested funding for FY 2016 for Development funding (+/- 7.5%) does not materially impact the activity PE/PC nor does it appear to adversely impact the lifetime cost of the project,

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Based on the aforementioned reasons, KMPO will consider this request approved as an administrative amendment, and will therefore post this on the KMPO Website and notify the KMPO Board of the action at their next regular meeting.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me (208) 930-4164.

Regards,

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