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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
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July 23, 2008

Abigail Rivera, Community Planner
Federal Transit Administration-Region VI
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Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Re: Amendment FY 2008-2011 – Nashville Area Metropolitan Planning Organization, TIP Amendment #11, Statewide Transportation Improvement Program

Dear Ms. Rivera:

The Multimodal Transportation Resources Division, is requesting to amend the FY 2008-2011 State Transportation Improvement Program. See the table below:

TIP Project #	Original Federal Amount	New Federal Amount	Project
2006-402	$672,600	$684,889	5316, 2008 FY Job Access & Reverse Commute (JARC) Bucket
2008-85-093	$	$410,286	5317, 2008 FY New Freedom Bucket

The Nashville Area MPO has adopted Resolution #2008-009, to amend its FY 2008-2011 Transportation Improvement Program to include the above referenced projects. Enclosed for your review is a copy of the MPO Resolution, Original and Revised TIP Pages, Amendment Conformity Report dated July 16, 2008, 1-hour Conformity Determination approval dated 11/7/2005, Resolution 2005-19 adopting the 2030 Long Range Transportation Plan.

The Multimodal Transportation Resources Division has reviewed the proposed amendment and finds that these projects provide fiscal constraint, are exempt from air quality conformity and meet the requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act 40 CFR 93 126.

Based on our review of the attached materials, we believe that, the MPO has followed appropriate procedures and has met all requirements necessary to permit approval of this amendment, and we request your concurrence with this assessment.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me at (615) 741-2963.

Sincerely,

Susan B. Ralph

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Transportation Specialist

Enclosures

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