



U.S. Department  
of Transportation  
**Federal Highway  
Administration**

**Tennessee Division**

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In Reply Refer To:  
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Mr. Don Ellis  
Tennessee Department of Transportation  
Program Development and Administration  
James K. Polk Building, Suite 600  
Nashville, TN 37243

Dear Mr. Don Ellis:

The Federal Highway Administration, Tennessee Division has reviewed your letter of April 27, 2009 requesting approval of Amendment #131 to the Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) for the Nashville Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO). The following changes were approved:

Action	Project/Termini	FY/Phase	Funding Source	Federal Funds
Add	ITS- Various Interstates and Controlled Access Facilities (Phase 3)	FY10- UTILITIES	IM	\$360,000
		FY10- MAINTENANCE	IM	\$1,800,000
		FY11-UTILITIES	IM	\$180,000
		FY11- OPERATIONS	IM	\$800,000

The above additions are financially constrained. If you have any questions regarding this approval, please call me at 615-781-5764.

Sincerely yours,

Cecilia Crenshaw  
SCEP Planning Student Trainee

cc: Abigail Rivera, Community Planner, FTA  
Michael Skipper, Nashville MPO

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