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Larry Buckel, Manager  
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Re: FY 2010-2013 INSTIP Transit Amendments #1 and #2

Dear Mr. Buckel:

This letter responds to your two (2) letters, dated February 5 and 23, 2010, requesting to amend the FY 2010 - 2013 Indiana Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (INSTIP). The amendments incorporate programming revisions made to the Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission's FFY 2009 - 2013 Transportation Improvement Program, and the Area Plan Commission of Tippecanoe County's FY 2010 - 2014 Transportation Improvement Program. The attached tables include only the FY 2010 projects that have been submitted to the FTA for approval. (Note: Administrative Modifications do not require FTA approval.) Projects in program years beyond FY 2010, that remain as viable and fiscally-restrained projects, will be included in the approved and published Annual Elements of those TIPs and STIPs for the subsequent fiscal years.

We have determined that all of the FY 2010 transit projects included in these STIP amendments are financially constrained, and that the projects are consistent with the MPOs' and the State's Transportation Plans. We also find that the above TIPs are the result of Metropolitan Transportation Planning processes that substantially comply with the requirements of 23 CFR 450. In accordance with 23 CFR 450.220, we approve these STIP amendments.

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If you have any further questions concerning this approval, please contact Steve Polito at 312-353-1552.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Marisol R. Simón".

Marisol R. Simón  
Regional Administrator

Attachment: FY 2010 INSTIP Amendments #1 and #2

Cc: Sallie Dell-Fahey, APCTC  
Marty Sennett, GLPTC  
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**FY 2010 INSTIP AMENDMENTS #1 and #2  
LIST OF PROJECTS**

*Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission*

Grantee Name	Project Description	Federal Amount (\$)	Funding Source(s)	Non-Federal Amount (\$)	Funding Source(s)	Total Project Cost (\$)
GPTC	Purchase Replmt 30-ft, Heavy-Duty Buses (2)	640,000	CMAQ	160,000	Local	800,000
GPTC	Delete: Gary/GPTC Bike/Ped/Transit Enhancements	(640,000)	CMAQ	(160,000)	Local	(800,000)

*Area Plan Commission of Tippecanoe County*

Grantee Name	Project Description	Federal Amount (\$)	Funding Source(s)	Non-Federal Amount (\$)	Funding Source(s)	Total Project Cost (\$)
GLPTC	Purchase Replmt Tires	40,000	Sec 5307 (UAF)	10,000	Local	50,000
GLPTC	Rebuild Engines (2)	40,000	Sec 5307 (UAF)	4,500	Local	22,500
GLPTC	Rebuild Transmissions	18,000	Sec 5307 (UAF)	4,500	Local	22,500
GLPTC	Rebuild Major Bus Components	19,200	Sec 5307 (UAF)	4,800	Local	24,000
GLPTC	Purchase Miscellaneous Maintenance Equipment	4,000	Sec 5307 (UAF)	1,000	Local	5,000
GLPTC	Purchase Passenger Shelters (6)	12,000	Sec 5307 (UAF)	3,000	Local	15,000
GLPTC	Install Passenger Shelter Lighting	50,000	Sec 5307 (UAF)	12,500	Local	62,500
GLPTC	Purchase Computer Hardware and Software	48,000	Sec 5307 (UAF)	12,000	Local	60,000
GLPTC	Rehabilitate Office and IT Areas	16,000	Sec 5307 (UAF)	4,000	Local	20,000
GLPTC	Rehabilitate Maintenance Area	3,200	Sec 5307 (UAF)	800	Local	4,000
GLPTC	Rehabilitate Bus Parking Area	80,000	Sec 5307 (UAF)	20,000	Local	100,000
GLPTC	Purchase Replmt Trolley Buses (2)	360,000	Sec 5307 (UAF)	90,000	Local	450,000
GLPTC	Purchase Replmt 40-ft, Heavy-Duty Bus (1)	494,000	Sec 5307 (UAF)	123,500	Local	617,500
GLPTC	Purchase/Install Wind-Powered Generators (4)	2,180,000	Sec 5307 (TIGGER)	0	NA	2,180,000