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The Honorable Anthony Foxx Secretary of the U.S. Department of Transportation 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE Washington, DC 20590

Dear Secretary Foxx:

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) supports the City of Industry's application to the United States Department of Transportation's Transportation Investment Generating Economic Recovery (TIGER 2015) Competitive Grant Program for the State Route (SR) 57/SR 60 confluence project.

SR 60 is the main corridor used to transport freight from the ports of Los Angeles and Long Beach to distribution centers located in San Bernardino County. The SR 57/SR 60 confluence is unique in that these two freeways share a common two-mile alignment with a local freeway interchange in the middle of that alignment. To alleviate the congestion that results from this confluence, the project's scope will include new bypasses and overcrossings with a wider, taller, longer structure to improve the capacity and operations.

SR 57 and SR 60 play a significant role in the movement of people and freight in Southern California. Caltrans looks forward to working with the City of Industry and the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority to carry out this important project.

Sincerely,

MALCOLM DOUGHERTY

Director