

March 15, 2018

Ms. Karen Bobo  
Iowa Division Administrator  
Federal Highway Administration  
105 6<sup>th</sup> Street  
Ames, IA 50010

RE: Technology Exchange on Low Volume Road Design Construction and Maintenance

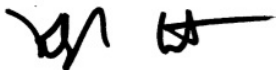
Dear Ms. Bobo:

The Iowa Department of Transportation is the lead state for the pooled fund study TPF-5(379) "Technology Exchange on Low Volume Road Design Construction and Maintenance."

The Iowa Department of Transportation accepts the role of lead agency and agrees to receive, obligate, expend, and manage contributions from participating agencies.

Participating agencies are requested to submit a copy of this letter with their funding transfer request form for this project to their respective FHWA Division Office for concurrence.

Sincerely,



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