

[March 17, 2021]

Mr. Timothy Marshall lowa Division Administrator Federal Highway Administration 105 6th Street Ames, IA 50010

RE: Bridge Deck Preservation Portal

Dear Mr. Marshall:

The Iowa Department of Transportation is the lead state for the pooled fund study TPF-5(474) "Bridge Deck Preservation Portal."

The lowa 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,

Khyle Clute, P.E.

SPR Research Engineer

Iowa Department of Transportation – Research & Analytics Bureau

Iowa County Engineers Association Service Bureau

cc: Brian Worrel, Research Program Manager, Iowa DOT Tricia Sergeson, Transportation Pooled Fund Manager, FHWA Masha Shelton, Administrative Assistant, FHWA

