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Mr. Brian W. Ness, Director
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Attn: Charlene McArthur, Chief Administration Officer

RE: 2021 STIP Amendment #H02

Dear Mr. Ness:

This approval provides for the addition of one new project in the 2021-2024 STIP as detailed in ITD's February 26, 2021 request letter.

FHWA has determined that:

1. The changes to the program are not intermodal in nature and will not affect the State's conformity process and, therefore, FHWA has sole approval authority.
2. No further public involvement is necessary for this action.
3. The proposed amendment is based on a planning process that substantially meets the requirements of Title 23, U.S.C., the Federal Transit Act and 23 CFR 450.

In consideration of the above, 2021 STIP Amendment, #H02, is approved as requested.

Sincerely,

R. Scott Frey
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February 26, 2021

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Attn: Scott Frey

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SUBJECT: **FY 2021 – 2027 STIP AMENDMENT – February 26, 2021 # H02**

Dear Mr. Hartman:

The attached table adds 2 projects to the STIP. However, only the first project requires FHWA approval. The other is funded by Ada County and is for information only. Both projects were approved by the Idaho Transportation Board at their February 18, 2021 meeting. The Bonneville Metropolitan Planning Organization updated their Transportation Improvement Plan (TIP) with Amendment #1 on February 24, 2021 and the Community Planning Association of Southwest Idaho updated their TIP with Amendment #3 on February 22, 2021.

The Department requests that the addition of these two projects be amended to the FY 2021 – 2027 STIP so that funds may be obligated as planned.

No further public involvement or air quality conformity analysis is required. The Idaho Transportation Department certifies that the above actions meet all applicable requirements as described in 23 CFR 450.218 of *Planning Assistance and Standards*. The STIP continues to be consistent with the Idaho Transportation Department's 2040 Long-Range Transportation Plan as approved by the Idaho Transportation Board in 2019.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Chris Bray".

Chris Bray
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FY 2021 - 2027 STIP Amendment

Action	Key Number	Program Year	Route, Project Name	Work Type	Public Involvement	District	Date Approved By		
							MPO	Governor	FHWA/FTA
2	22222	2500	US 20, JCT I-15 CONNECTOR, IDAHO FALLS <i>Add to program, \$3,238,677 FA in Early Development; Unfunded Construction</i>	New Route	Amendment #1 February 24, 2021	6	BMPO	ITB 1/21/2021	FHWA 3/1/2021
2	23095	2500	I 84, FIVE MILE RD O'PASS (NEPA), ADA CO <i>Add to program, \$2,686,000 LPT in Local Participation; Unfunded Construction</i>	NEPA ONLY	Amendment #3 February 22, 2021	3	COMPASS	ITB 2/18/2021	Info Only

Amendment action legend:

- 1) Major scope change to individually listed project in 4-Yr STIP (work, cost, or location)
- 2) New (or advanced from Year 5 or PD) individually listed project with costs programmed in 4-Yr STIP
- 3) Removed (or delayed to Year 5 or PD) individually listed project with costs programmed in 4-Yr STIP
- 4) Major revisions to Group Control Totals
- 5) Delayed from a previous STIP

Acronyms:

STIP - Statewide Transportation Improvement program
 Key Number/KN - Key number used to track deliverables within ITD systems
 Program Year - Year all funding required to produce deliverable is obligated (usually construction year)
 PREL - Preliminary development (construction outside of 4-Yr STIP but development within)
 ITB - Idaho Transportation Board
 FMFPA - Financial Manager, Financial Planning & Analysis

Funding Types: FA=Federal-aid; ST=State; LPT; Local Participating

MPO - Metropolitan Planning Organization
 KMPO - Kootenai Metropolitan Planning Organization (Coeur d'Alene MPO Agency)
 LCVMPPO - Lewis-Clark Valley Metro. Planning Organization (Lewiston, Clarkston, Asotin MPO Agency)
 COMPASS - Community Planning Association of Southwest Idaho (Boise & Nampa MPO Agency)
 BTPO - Bannock Planning Organization (Pocatello & Chubbuck MPO agency)
 BMPO - Bonneville Planning Organization (Idaho Falls MPO Agency)