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Lynn Zanto, Administrator  
Rail, Transit, and Planning Division  
Montana Department of Transportation  
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RE: Montana 2015-2019 Statewide Transportation Improvement Plan (STIP), Amendment #8

Dear Ms. Zanto:

The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) has reviewed the subject Amendment #8 for the Montana FY 2015-2019 STIP. Amendment #8 provides the applicable project numbers with the phases the Montana Department of Transportation wishes to program. The projects shown will not require a revised air quality conformity finding or transfer of funds between FHWA and the Federal Transit Administration.

FHWA's approval for this amendment is hereby given.

Sincerely,

Kevin L. McLaury, P.E.  
Division Administrator