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Attention: Ms. Tashia Clemons

Attention: Mr. Ted Matley

Dear Ms. Clemons and Mr. Matley:

The California Department of Transportation has completed the review of the following amendment to the Metropolitan Transportation Commission's (MTC) 2018/19 – 2021/22 2019 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (FTIP):

<u>No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
35	<b>State Transportation System</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>This amendment modifies project description and funding for the I-680 Express Lane Gap Closure Project. The project is funded from the Alameda County Tax Measure.</li></ul>

See enclosure.

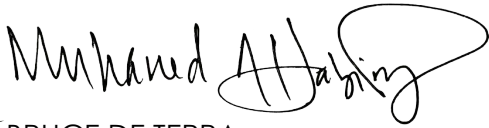
MTC has certified that the amendment is financially constrained, does not change air quality conformity, and meets the requirements of public involvement procedures adopted by MTC.

Pursuant to the authority delegated to me by the Director of Caltrans, I approve MTC's Amendment Number 35. I also recommend that the Federal Highway Administration and the Federal Transit Administration approve this FTIP amendment for inclusion into California's 2019 Federal Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (FSTIP). Approval of this amendment does not constitute an eligibility determination of the project for federal funding.

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Please address any questions on this FSTIP approval request to Abhijit Bagde of my staff,  
at (916) 654-3638.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mohamed Alhabib". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looping flourish at the end.

for BRUCE DE TERRA  
Chief  
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Enclosures

C: Matt Lakin - EPA Office of Air Planning (w/enclosure)  
Alix A. Bockelman - Metropolitan Transportation Commission  
Adam Crenshaw - Metropolitan Transportation Commission