



U.S. Department
of Transportation
**Federal Highway
Administration**

Memorandum

Subject: **ACTION:** Best Value Contracting
I-15 and U.S. 20 Controlled Fencing Project
Special Experimental Project No. 14 (SEP-14)

Date: October 24, 2012

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This is in reference to Mr. John A Perry's October 22, 2012 email that transmitted the Idaho Transportation Department's (ITD) September 20, 2012 SEP-14 workplan for the use of a best value procurement approach for a controlled access fencing project on I-15 and U.S. 20 corridors in ITD District 6. The best value procurement approach will allow ITD to select a construction contractor that provides the greatest value for the available budget.

You may consider this project approved for evaluation under SEP-14. Considering the relatively small size of this SEP-14 project, a single initial / final evaluation report will be satisfactory.

Thank you for the opportunity to review and comment on this SEP-14 request. Should you have any questions, please contact Gerald Yakowenko at (202) 366-1562.