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Subject: Special Experimental Project-16 (SEP-16)

Dear Mr. Bass:

We received your June 25, 2019, letter of interest to participate in the FHWA Special Experimental Project-16 (SEP-16) program. Your proposal requests that FHWA consider allowing the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) to experimentally assume responsibility for Interstate Access Justification Report review and approval.

Your proposal is being evaluated, and we anticipate providing a formal response in August. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 512-536-5902.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Achille Alonzi".

Achille Alonzi
Division Administrator