March 19, 2009

Raymond H. LaHood, Secretary
United States Department of Transportation
Attn: Joel Szabat, Deputy Secretary for Transportation Policy
1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE
Washington, D.C. 20590

Sent via email to: TigerTeam@dot.gov

Dear Secretary LaHood:

Pursuant to Title XII, Section 1201 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) of 2009 (P.L. 111-5, Feb. 17, 2009), I hereby certify that the State of Kansas will maintain its effort with regard to State funding for the types of projects in the U.S. Department of Transportation’s “covered programs” funded under ARRA.

As required, the attached comprehensive list identifies the amount of funds the State of Kansas plans to expend from State sources from February 17, 2009 to September 30, 2010, for the types of projects under all the DOT “covered programs” funded by ARRA. In summary, the State planned to expend the following amounts for the DOT programs indicated for the period February 17, 2009 through September 30, 2010:

Highway infrastructure projects = $480 million
Transit capital projects = $748,000

I understand that if the State of Kansas is unable to maintain the level of funding as identified under the DOT “covered programs” funded under ARRA, that the State will be prohibited by the Secretary of Transportation from receiving additional limitation on obligations for Federal-aid highway and highway safety construction programs that occurs after August 1 for Federal fiscal year 2011.

Sincerely,

Kathleen Sebelius
Governor of Kansas
List of USDOT Covered Programs under ARRA and the Specific State of Kansas Funding Amounts for the Types of Projects under the USDOT Covered Programs

These budgeted estimates represent the State only expenditures for the following types of projects the State of Kansas planned to expend from February 17, 2009 to September 30, 2010:

- Supplemental Discretionary Grants for a National Surface Transportation System – Office of the Secretary, USDOT
  None

- Supplemental Funding for Facilities and Equipment – Federal Aviation Administration
  None

- Grants-in-Aid for Airports – Federal Aviation Administration
  None

- Highway Infrastructure Investment – Federal Highway Administration
  $480 million

- Capital Assistance for High Speed Rail Corridors and Intercity Passenger Rail Service – Federal Railroad Administration
  None

- Capital Grants to the National Railroad Passenger Corporation – Federal Railroad Administration
  None

- Transit Capital Assistance – Federal Transit Administration
  $748,000

- Fixed Guideway Infrastructure Investment – Federal Transit Administration
  None

- Capital Investment Grants – Federal Transit Administration
  None

- Supplemental Grants for Assistance to Small Shipyards – Maritime Administration
  None