

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION 1401 EAST BROAD STREET RICHMOND, VIRGINIA 23219 2000

Gregory A. Whirley Commissioner

November 14, 2011

Mr. Stephen Williams, Executive Director Thomas Jefferson Planning District Commission Post Office Box 1505 Charlottesville, VA 22902-1505

Re: Reimbursement Request Invoice, PL Funds, July - Sept 2011

Dear Mr. Williams:

As per the Agreement for the Utilization of Metropolitan Planning Funds in the Charlottesville-Albemarle Area (June 24, 2008), VDOT is responsible for reviewing work tasks identified in the MPO Unified Planning Work Program prior to payment of invoices. Per the Charlottesville Albemarle MPO Fiscal Year 2012 Work Program (Task 1 C and 1 D), the MPO is responsible for information sharing of local and regional planning activities, and providing reasonable access to information. In addition, in the MPO work program, VDOT is identified as responsible for review of local and regional transportation planning activities. Both the agreement and the work program have their basis in the cooperative federal transportation planning process requirements identified in 23 CFR 420 and 23 CFR450.

VDOT has requested electronic copies of all activities covered under the 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Progress Report, Task 2 E, Data and Model Development, for review on numerous occasions. This request includes providing the entire travel demand model package, and any associated updates or changes including: network files, traffic analysis zone files, demographic data files, etc. To date this information has not been provided to VDOT for review.

You have five (5) business days from the date of this letter to submit the requested information to VDOT for review, or risk jeopardizing reimbursement.

Sincerely,

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VDOT Culpeper District Administrator

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