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Attention: Penny Gray

**Subject: Submittal of the Madera County 2009 Interim Federal Transportation Improvement Program**

Dear Mr. Aljabiry:

Enclosed for your review and approval is the 2009 Interim Federal Transportation Improvement Program (Interim FTIP). The 2009 Interim FTIP only contains projects eligible to proceed without a conformity determination and meets all applicable transportation planning requirements per 23 CFR Part 450.

A 45-day public review and interagency consultation period was completed on June 18, 2008. A public hearing was held at our regularly scheduled Board meeting on June 18, 2008. Comments were received from interagency partners during the review period. The final document has been updated to reflect the comments received. On July 23, 2008, the MCTC Board of Directors approved the 2009 Interim FTIP. State and federal approval is required.

Included with this letter are five hard copies of the 2009 Interim FTIP, as well as the lump sum project listings associated with the 2009 Interim FTIP. An electronic copy of the four year financial plan will be sent via email. The 2009 Interim FTIP is available online on the MCTC website at <http://www.maderactc.org>.

If you have any questions regarding this document, please contact Derek Winning or myself at 559-675-0721

Sincerely,



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