

July 14, 2009

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

Sent via email to: TigerTeam@dot.gov

Dear Secretary LaHood:

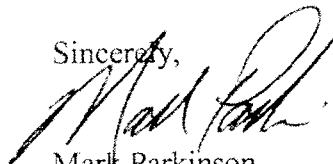
I am pleased to forward to you the Kansas Department of Transportation's certification for the Kansas City Area Metropolitan Planning Organization, the Mid-America Regional Council, for their highway projects funded under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act.

Pursuant to Title XV, Subtitle A, Section 1511 of the ARRA (Pub. L. 111-5, Feb. 17, 2009), I hereby certify that the attached highway investments funded with amounts appropriated by ARRA under the heading "Highway Infrastructure Investment" have received the full review and vetting required by law and that I accept responsibility that such investments are appropriate uses of taxpayer dollars.

I further certify that the specific information required by Section 1511 concerning each such investment (a description of the investment, the estimated total cost and the amount of ARRA funds to be used) is provided in the Mid-America Regional Council's Transportation Improvement Program and the Kansas Statewide Transportation Improvement Program, available on the Kansas Department of Transportation's recovery page, <http://www.ksdot.org/EconomicStimulus.asp>. The page is linked to www.recovery.gov for purposes of transparency and accountability.

I understand that my State may not receive ARRA infrastructure investment funding unless this certification is made and posted.

Sincerely,



Mark Parkinson
Governor of Kansas

Signed this 14~~th~~ day of July, 2009

**009900 Kansas Department of Transportation
for the Mid-America Regional Council
American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) Projects
Certified as of 7/14/2009**

<u>Project</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>	<u>Project Description</u>	<u>Project Cost</u>	<u>ARRA Funds To Be Obligated</u>
K-32/Front St & Elm St StScape Improvements	City of Bonner Springs, KS	Landscaping, Decorative Street Lighting, Street Name Poles & Signs	\$325,100	\$325,100
Kill Creek Road 83rd St to 95th St	City of Desoto, KS	2"Mill and Overlay	\$400,000	\$400,000
Nelson St from RR to W 8th St & W 8th to US-56	City of Edgerton, KS	Variable Mill and Overlay	\$311,000	\$311,000
143rd St Bridge over Captain Creek	Johnson County, KS	Bridge Replacement	\$1,182,000	\$846,000
147th St Overlay	City of Lansing, KS	Surfacing, Aggregate Shdrs, Pavement Markings, Grading, Storm Sewer	\$362,000	\$286,000
10th & Wellington Storm Sewer Repairs	City of Leavenworth, KS	Storm Sewer Repairs	\$155,500	\$124,400
4th & Spruce Storm Sewer Repairs	City of Leavenworth, KS	Storm Sewer Repairs	\$373,200	\$298,500
5th & Doniphan Storm Sewer Repairs	City of Leavenworth, KS	Storm Sewer Repairs	\$89,600	\$112,500
Dempsey Road over Stranger Creek	Leavenworth County, KS	Bridge Deck Replacement	\$635,000	\$460,000
South Indian Creek Trail Extension, Olathe	City of Olathe, KS	Extend S Indian Ct Tr 1.3 Mi from Southdowns Park to Hampton Park	\$867,000	\$867,000
Northstar Pedestrian Signal, Tonganoxie	City of Tonganoxie, KS	US-24/US-40 at Northstar Drive	\$33,300	\$23,800