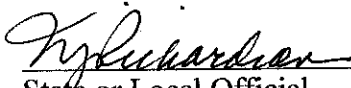


**CERTIFICATION UNDER SECTION 1511 OF THE
AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT:**

Pursuant to Title XV, Subtitle A, section 1511 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (Pub. L. 111-5 (Feb. 17, 2009)) ("ARRA"), I Nancy J. Richardson*, hereby certify that the infrastructure investments funded with amounts appropriated by ARRA under the headings: "Highway Infrastructure Investment" to the Federal Highway Administration, "Transit Capital Assistance," "Fixed Guideway Infrastructure Investment," and "Capital Investment Grants" to the Federal Transit Administration, 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 on the Iowa Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) and is available to the public at http://www.iowadot.gov/program_management/stip.html linked to Recovery.gov.

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



State or Local Official

Signed this 16th day of February 2010.

*In accordance with section 1511 of ARRA, the Certifying Official may be either the Governor, mayor or other chief executive, as appropriate.