



**TED STRICKLAND**  
GOVERNOR  
STATE OF OHIO

May 28, 2010

The Honorable Raymond H. LaHood  
Secretary  
United States Department of Transportation  
1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE  
Washington, DC 20590

Dear Secretary LaHood:

Pursuant to Title XV, Subtitle A, section 1511 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (Pub. L. 11-5 (Feb. 17, 2009)) (ARRA), I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, hereby certify (Certification #15) that the attached infrastructure investments funded with amounts appropriated by ARRA under the following headings have received the full review and vetting required by law and that I accept responsibility that such investments are appropriate uses of taxpayer dollars:

- "Highway Infrastructure Investment" (to the Federal Highway Administration)
- "Transit Capital Assistance"
- "Fixed Guideway Infrastructure Investment"
- "Capital Investment Grants" (to the Federal Transit Administration)

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 Ohio's Recovery Act website, [www.recovery.ohio.gov](http://www.recovery.ohio.gov), and on the Ohio Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) and is available to the public at <http://www.dot.state.oh.us/Divisions/TransSysDev/ProgramMgt/STIP/Pages/default.aspx> (also linked to Recovery.gov).

As we continue to amend the STIP to include projects funded using ARRA funds, we will submit additional section 1511 certifications. This certification includes projects within the Akron Area Metropolitan Transportation Study (AMATS, Akron, Ohio), Mid-Ohio Regional Planning Commission (MORPC, Columbus, Ohio), and Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments (OKI, Cincinnati, Ohio) areas. I understand that my state or local agency may not receive ARRA infrastructure investment funding unless this certification is made and posted.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ted Strickland". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Ted Strickland  
Governor

**Ohio Department of Transportation  
American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 Projects**

Cert. #	STATE	DATE	MPO	District	County	Project ID (PID)	Project Name	Project Description	Phase	Work Type	ARRA Amt	Project Cost	STIP Reference	ARRA Grouping
15	Ohio	05/28/10		3	HUR	85693	HUR Bicycle Bridge	Renovate the existing steel railroad bridge with a new deck and railing for bicycles and walkers. The old railroad corridor is owned by the Lorain County Metropolitan Park District.	CO	Bikeways	\$283,523	\$354,404	2008AM32ID1663FDCO	ODOT Allocation
15	Ohio	05/26/10	OKI	8	BUT	85222	BUT Fairfield Landscaping	Landscape enhancement along outer edge of SR 4 roadway pavement by installing brick pavers, shrubs and retaining wall at gateway sign.	CO	Landscaping	\$113,600	\$156,200	2008AM07ID0427FDCO 2008MD12ID0284FDCO	MPO Sub-Allocation / ODOT Allocation
15	Ohio	05/28/10	OKI	8	CLE	83812	CLE SR 125 1.15	Resurface SR 125 from near I-275 to SR 132 in Clermont County	CO	Minor Rehabilitation - Pavement Gmt Sys	\$202,451	\$3,258,901	2008AM33ID1840FDCO	MPO Sub-Allocation
15	Ohio	05/26/10	MORPC	6	FRA	87958	FRA CR 122 2.460	Project 1 of Alum Creek/Groveport Rd upgrade. Widening of Alum Creek from 828' N of Rathmel Rd to I-270. (One through lane in each direction - 0.38 miles). Widen portion of I-270 on-ramp. Southbound RTL (stop at McDonalds) and northbound RTL (embankment and guardrail). Temporary traffic signal modification. Columbus water line and Obelz water meter pit.	CO	Minor Widening	\$1,207,809	\$3,746,240	2008AM32ID1715FDCO	MPO Sub-Allocation
15	Ohio	05/26/10	AMATS	4	SUM	88343	SUM Hilbish Avenue Bridge	Summit County Hilbish Avenue Bridge replacement (SFN #7760515 on SUM CR 512 0.800) over Springfield Lake outlet.	CO	Bridge Replacement	\$40,000	\$770,000	2008AM33ID1833FDCO	MPO Sub-Allocation