



**Financial Management Services** 

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Bob Beckley, Deputy City Manager City of Goodyear 190 North Litchfield Road Goodyear, AZ 85338

Subject: Yuma Road at Bullard Wash – SS544, GDY-0(208)A

Dear Mr. Beckley:

This letter is to inform the City of Goodyear that the Arizona Department of Transportation will be deobligating the federal funding associated with the above referenced project. As a result of the deobligation, the City will be required to repay \$413,780.32 previously reimbursed on this project. The Department will provide an invoice to the City within the next 30 days.

Pursuant to 23 CFR §630.112 (c) (2) for design projects, "In the event that right-of-way acquisition for, or actual construction of, the road for which the preliminary engineering is undertaken is not started by the close of the tenth fiscal year following the fiscal year in which the project was authorized, the State Transportation Department will repay to the FHWA the sum or sums of federal funds paid to the transportation department under the terms of the agreement."

The original authorization for preliminary engineering on this project was August 29, 2003; therefore, the 10 year right-of-way / construction window expired on September 30, 2013.

If you should have any questions concerning the request of this letter, please do not hesitate to call me at (602) 712-7441. Thank you in advance for your prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Kristine Ward

Chief Financial Officer

Cc:

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