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Dear Mr. Williams:

Thank you for your letter of June 13, 2023, requesting our approval for the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) to execute the competitive grant program along the Alternative Fuel Corridors (under Phase 1). The Bi-Partisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) Pub. L. 117-58 (Nov. 15, 2021) established the National Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Formula Program (“NEVI Formula”) to provide funding to States to strategically deploy electric vehicle (EV) charging infrastructure and to establish an interconnected network to facilitate data collection, access, and reliability. As you are aware, FHWA approved the initial TxDOT NEVI Deployment Plan on September 27, 2022.

Over the past several months, our staff have worked closely with the TxDOT Transportation Planning and Programming Division and the Strategic Planning Division to finalize the following NEVI-related documents for our federal review and approval action for NEVI implementation purposes (under Phase 1):

- Request for Grant Applications (RFGA)
- Program Manual
- Grant Application
- Site Host form
- NEPA Clearance form
- Scoring Worksheet
- Map of Phase-1 EV Study Areas on the Electric – Alternative Fuel Corridors

Based upon our review and evaluation of these NEVI documents, we hereby approve the advancement and implementation of the TxDOT NEVI Program as part of the Alternative Fuel Corridors (under Phase 1) located within the State of Texas. Should you have any questions, please contact Mr. Kirk D. Fauver of my staff for further assistance.

Sincerely,

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Division Administrator

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