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Subject: Interstate Access Request Modification for I-25 and Cimarron Street in Colorado Springs

Dear Mr Laipply:

The I-25 Interstate Access Request (IAR) package for the modification to the interstate access points on Interstate 25 and Cimarron Street interchange in Colorado Springs, Colorado, submitted to this office on September 10, 2014, has been reviewed. These modifications to the interstate access points are intended to improve traffic safety and operations to the mainline and ramps. The FHWA considers the modifications to the access points on I -25 as acceptable from an engineering and operations standpoint and grants approval.

Please understand that if any major change occurs to the interchange designs, they will need to be submitted to FHWA for approval.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Mr. Randy Jensen at (720) 963-3031 or Dahir Egal at (720) 963-3007.

Sincerely,

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Division Administrator

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