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January 17, 2024

Brent Moseley
TIA Regional Coordinator
204 N Highway 301
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RE: Additional Funding Request for Briggston Road – PI-0016275

Brent,

Lowndes County is requesting additional funding assistance for the Briggston Road Grading, Base, Drainage and Paving Project, PI-0016275. The total cost of the road construction project is \$2,611,309.00 with an additional \$438,537.00 for the installation of the railroad crossing for a total construction cost of \$3,049,846.00. We currently have \$2,115,000 in funding allocated towards construction. Finally, we have a final invoice for Preliminary Engineering for \$179,863.16. Therefore, the construction deficit is \$934,846.00, nearly half of this deficit is from the cost for the railroad crossing which was an unexpected cost for the project, plus the PE overage for a total deficit of \$1,114,709.16.

We just recently finalized the Old US 41 widening project and had a surplus balance of \$463,128.93. We are requesting that the surplus balance from the Old US 41 project be transferred to the Briggston Project as well as inflation funding be added to the project in order to cover the deficit caused due to the unexpected cost for the railroad crossing and the inflation of construction.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you need any additional information regarding this matter, please let me know.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Michael Fletcher", is written over a series of horizontal lines.

Michael Fletcher, P.E.
Lowndes County Engineer