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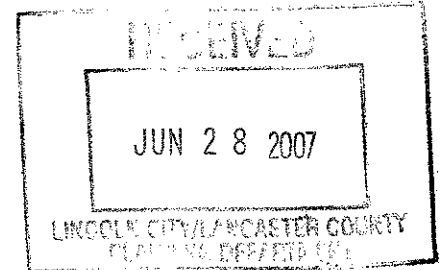
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SUBJ: Approval of Amendment to Lincoln's FY-2007 TIP by Governor's Designee.  
NDOR's I-80 Project (I-180 to 56<sup>th</sup> St.) added to Lincoln's FY-07 TIP.

Dear Mr. Brienzo:

As the Governor's designee, I am approving an amendment to Lincoln's current FY-2007 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) that adds a major I-80 to the first year element of Lincoln's TIP so the project can get started sooner.

This Project was approved by Lincoln's MPO in a letter dated June 15<sup>th</sup> that was signed by the Mayor of Lincoln.

Project: CN# 12483 Sponsored by the Nebraska Dept. of Roads.  
Location: I-80, from I-180 to 56<sup>th</sup> Street (6-Lane Construction Project)  
Involving Grading, Structures, Surfacing and Detour.  
(Length = 5.66 miles)  
Funds: Federal NHS & IM funds are targeted (Advanced Construction).  
Funding Split: \$14.9 million in FY-07, with the rest in  
FY-08 & FY-09. Total project cost is \$43.7 million dollars.

Lincoln's TIP is included in the Nebraska's State TIP (STIP) by reference, so this change will get included in Nebraska's STIP upon our notification to FHWA of this approval.

If you have any questions, please call Ron Schlautman at 402-479-4338.

Sincerely,

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