September 11, 2015

Mr. Al Alonzi Division Administrator Federal Highway Administration 300 East Eighth Street, Suite 826 Austin, Texas 78701

Attention: Mr. Jose Campos

Dear Mr. Alonzi:

In cooperation with the consultative partners, the Texas Department of Transportation has determined that the requirements for Houston-Galveston Area Council Conformity Determination 2040 Metropolitan Transportation Plan have been met and find that transportation conformity has been demonstrated.

Please accept this letter as the official submittal of the conformity findings on behalf of the State.

If you have any questions or need additional information please contact Jack Foster at (512) 486-5024.

Sincerely,

James W. Koch, P.E.

**Director Transportation Planning & Programming** 

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cc: Alan Clark, Houston-Galveston Area Council
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