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Eulois Cleckley Manager of Statewide and Region Planning/ Freight Programs Transportation Policy and Planning Administration District Department of Transportation 55 M St. SE, 5th Floor Washington, D.C. 20003

Dear Mr. Cleckley,

On behalf of the National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board (TPB), I am pleased to take this opportunity to express support for your Federal Highway Administration "Off-Hours Freight Delivery Project Pilot Program" grant application.

The TPB recognizes the need to address congestion in the District of Columbia, particularly along heavily congested corridors during peak hours. An "Off-Hours Freight Delivery Project Pilot Program" has tremendous potential to improve peak traffic flows, maximize the efficiency of the roadway network, and reduce emissions.

We look forward to working with the District of Columbia Department of Transportation as this initiative advances.

Sincerely,

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Todd M. Turner At-Large Councilmember-City of Bowie Chair, National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board