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Mr. Scott Bennett Director Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department P.O. Box 2261 Little Rock, Arkansas 72203-2261

> Re: FTA Formula Program Designated Recipient: Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers

Urbanized Area

Dear Mr. Bennett:

The Federal Transit Administration (FTA) has received the letter from Arkansas Governor Beebe naming the Northwest Arkansas Regional Planning Commission as the designated recipient for FTA program funding in the Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers Urbanized area. The Federal Transit Administration will work with the NWARPC to perform the duties of designated recipient under 49 U.S.C. Section 5307. Thank you for your timely response.

If you need further assistance, please contact Mr. Don Koski, Community Planner, at 817. 978.0571 or Donald.Koski@dot.gov.

Sincerely,

Robert C. Patrick

Regional Administrator

Cc: Jeff Hawkins, Director, Northwest Arkansas Regional Planning Commission Jerre M. Van Hoose, Chairman, Ozark Regional Transit Authority David Martinson, CEO, Razorback Transit Don McMillen, Public Transportation Administrator, AHTD