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Dear Mr. Niemela and Ms. Minnick:

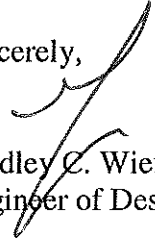
Extension of Local Bridge Program Application Deadline for 2014 Call for Bridge Projects

A letter dated January 31, 2011, was sent to your agencies for distribution stating the 2014 Call for Local Bridge Projects submissions were due on May 1, 2011. This was a change from previous years in which the candidate projects were due in June. Several local agencies apparently missed this deadline, and expressed concern to the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT).

To consider all appropriate candidate projects, MDOT will allow an extension to the submission deadline. All Local Agencies now have until **3:00 p.m. on Friday, May 20, 2011** to submit Local Bridge applications, per the enclosed letter.

Please contact me or the Local Bridge Program Coordinator, Keith Cooper, at 517-373-2346, if you have further questions.

Sincerely,



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Engineer of Design

Enclosure

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