



December 19, 2017

Mr. Ernie B. McNeely
Lower Merion Township Manager
Lower Merion Township
75 East Lancaster Avenue
Ardmore, PA 19003

Re: Traffic Signal System Management Agreement

Dear Mr. McNeely:

As you know, Pennsylvania Act 101 (2016) gave PennDOT the authority to own, operate and maintain traffic signals in the commonwealth. The critical corridors adjacent to Interstate 76 in your municipality were chosen for a Pilot Program under which traffic signal ownership and maintenance responsibility will be transferred to PennDOT to proactively manage the system.

Since the legislation was passed, we have had multiple engagements with municipal stakeholders, including your municipal officials and staff. This engagement included two meetings at the Montgomery County Planning Commission in September 2016 and February 2017, followed by individual municipal meetings at PennDOT District 6-0 in September 2017. We have listened and incorporated your comments and feedback from these discussions into the final Agreement.

Please find the final Traffic Signal System Management Agreement enclosed for your signature.

We ask that you please add this agreement to the agenda of your next regularly scheduled elected official's meeting for approval and signature, and then return: 1) The executed municipal resolution for signature authority; and 2) The signed Agreement by January 31, 2018. Please return the final documents via email to steve.cunningham@jacobs.com or regular mail: Steve Cunningham, Jacobs Engineering, 2301 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103.

This is just the first step in the traffic signal transfer process and PennDOT remains committed to working together on the remaining activities, including development of your Asset List: Signal System Concept of Operations; Traffic Signal Management Plan; and the proposed design details of the signals. By signing this agreement, you agree to the transfer process as outlined and understand that the actual

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ownership transfer will not occur until the Closing Date (to be mutually determined at a later date).

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Steve Cunningham at Jacobs Engineering, 267.446.5155, steve.cunningham@jacobs.com, or Dan Farley at PennDOT Central Office, 717.783.0333, dfarley@pa.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Kenneth M. McClain".

Kenneth M. McClain
District Executive 6-0

CC: Matthew Edmond
Section Chief – Transportation Planning
Montgomery County Planning Commission
2 E Airy Street
Norristown, Pennsylvania 19401

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