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**SCOTT E. BENNETT, P.E.**  
DIRECTOR

November 7, 2017

The Honorable Harold Perrin  
Mayor of Jonesboro  
Post Office Box 1845  
Jonesboro, AR 72403

Dear Mayor Perrin:

Reference is made to your application for Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP) funding for the Downtown to A-State Connection project. We are pleased to inform you that this project has been selected to receive \$399,000 in Federal funding for construction.

A program kick-off meeting will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, November 29, 2017, at the Arkansas Department of Transportation's Central Office, located at 10324 Interstate 30, Little Rock, Arkansas, 72209 (Exit 130 off of Interstate 30). The meeting will be held in the auditorium of the 10-story building. It is required that the person in charge of the project attend this meeting.

If you have any questions, please contact the Program Management Division at (501) 569-2481.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Scott E. Bennett". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Scott E. Bennett, P.E.  
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