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## Department of Transportation

Region 4

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Town of Erie  
645 Holbrook Street  
P.O. Box 750  
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Dear: Mayor Carroll

RE: Funding Participation for the SH-52 PEL and ACP

The Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT) is seeking partnerships from local agencies along the SH-52 corridor to support the development of the Planning and Environmental Linkages (PEL) study and Access Control Plan (ACP). The PEL study reaches from State Highway 119 (SH-119) near Boulder to State Highway 79 (SH-79) in Prospect Valley. CDOT looks forward to substantial stakeholder involvement to expedite the corridor investigation. The purpose, objectives, and merits of this effort are outlined in the attached Scope Overview document.

Weld County worked with CDOT to apply for and secure federal funding for this project. Indications from FHWA are that the SH-52 PEL and ACP project has been selected for near-future funding. With that good news in hand, Weld County and CDOT are now seeking to secure the required local match from participating local agencies. This letter is intended to serve as a formal request for financial participation from the Town of Erie to match the pending project funding. The 41-mile corridor study, including both the PEL and ACP, is estimated to cost \$2.2 million and last 24 months. To support this effort, we hereby request participation in the amount of \$28,000 from Town of Erie.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to me at 970-350-2321 or [heather.paddock@state.co.us](mailto:heather.paddock@state.co.us).

Sincerely,

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Region 4 Director

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Attachment: SH52 PEL & ACP objectives

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