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Memorandum

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Subject: Categorical Exclusion (C) Determination
HSIP 83-1(33)12
SF 129-SGN Flasher Seeley Lake
UPN 8058000

Environmental Services has reviewed the proposed project and concluded that it will not involve unusual circumstances as described under 23 CFR 771.117(b). As a result, the project qualifies as a Categorical Exclusion under the provisions of 23 CFR 771.117(c), part (8) which describes installation of fencing, sign, pavement markings, small passenger shelters, traffic signals, and railroad warning devices where no substantial land acquisition or traffic disruption will occur.

The proposed project is to provide new advance flashers and warning signs at the intersection of MT 83 and Double Arrow Road south of the town of Seeley Lake between RP 11.6 and 12.4. The attached Preliminary Field Review Report/Scope of Work Report provides a location map and a more complete project description. This proposed action also qualifies as a Categorical Exclusion under the provisions of ARM 18.2.261 (Sections 75-1-103 and 75-1-201, M.C.A.).

In accordance with the Federal Highway Administration's (FHWA) letter of March 29, 1999, please notify FHWA that the proposed action is being processed in accordance with 23 CFR 771.117(c).

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