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**BLAINE FINCH**  
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U.S. Department of Transportation  
Attn: Secretary Anthony Foxx  
1200 New Jersey Ave, SE  
Washington D.C. 20590

Honorable Secretary Foxx,

I am writing the following letter in support of the City of Ottawa, KS submission for funding of the completion of Davis Road improvements through FY 2014 TIGER grant funding from the U.S. Department of Transportation.

In addition to providing significant long-term usability of the Davis Road project corridor this grant will also provide an opportunity for safer, more efficient travel within the industrial park to all types of transportation including automobiles, tractor-trailers, bicyclist and pedestrians.

This project also has the added benefit of improving health and wellbeing options for of industrial park employees and the surrounding community.

In closing, I am supportive of any grant funds that can be used to improve the Davis Road corridor in the Northeast Ottawa Industrial Park.

If you have any questions regarding the Ottawa, KS TIGER grant submittal, please do not hesitate to contact Scott Bird, City of Ottawa Finance Director at (785) 229-3615

With best regards,

A stylized, handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'B. Finch', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Representative Blaine Finch

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April 15, 2014

Secretary Anthony Foxx  
U.S. Department of Transportation  
1200 New Jersey Ave, SE  
Washington D.C. 20590

Dear Secretary Foxx,

The Franklin County Development Council and the City of Ottawa, KS are requesting to be a recipient of the 2013 TIGER Grant from the U.S. Department of Transportation. These funds will be used for the road improvements to the interchange of highway K-16 and Davis Road, which is located in the industrial park of Northeast Ottawa.

Maintenance of this interchange is important for safety and access to the Ottawa Industrial Park. The interchange at Davis Road in the Ottawa Industrial Park is a high traffic area and our community has made it a priority to support the industrial park. The TIGER Grant will help in this effort.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Caryn".

Caryn Tyson  
Kansas Senate, District 12