

United States Senate

May 13, 2014

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

Honorable Secretary Foxx,

We write in support of the Ottawa, Kansas, submission for FY 2014 TIGER grant funding from the U.S. Department of Transportation.

Ottawa's submission for TIGER grant funding is for the crucial expansion of Davis Road, the primary access road for Ottawa's Northeast Ottawa Industrial Park.

Currently, multiple issues exist with the road (including safety and access issues with multiple modes of transportation entering and exiting the park) which is stymying the ability of many of Ottawa's largest existing businesses to grow and the community's ability to attract new business to the region. Your support for this grant application is greatly appreciated.

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

Sincerely,



Senator Jerry Moran



Senator Pat Roberts



Representative Lynn Jenkins, CPA