

December 20, 2013

Mr. Tom McCloskey  
Missouri Department of Transportation  
1590 Woodlake Drive  
Chesterfield, MO 63017-5712

**RE: Public Interest Finding  
Project No. STP-5403(648)  
Scenic Drive Improvements  
Herculaneum, Missouri**

Mr. McCloskey:

With reference to the above-mentioned project, we are requesting approval of a finding in the public interest to use the following items:

1. Street Light Pole: HCI Lighting – 14' Ornamental Cast Aluminum Fluted Pole  
#P440-MOD-5F-14-GFI-/BA1-CMX2-RAL9011
2. Decorative Light Luminaire: HCI Lighting – Decorative Post-Top Lantern Style Luminaire  
#F144-LMOD-CAC-150HPS-24QT-BR3-PCB

Both of these items were designed with proprietary components in order to insure compatibility with existing City infrastructure. They have been used on previous projects adjacent to the area and are in the City's plan to use on future projects.

Past field performance has demonstrated that these products are reliable, easy to operate, and work well with other system components. They will not differ from the existing City street lighting inventories, nor will they require additional training of personnel.

Approval of this request at your earliest convenience would be appreciated so these items may remain eligible for federal reimbursement.

Sincerely,



Carl M. Vogt, P.E.

**I do hereby certify that in accordance with the requirements of 23 CFR 635.411(a)(2), this patented or proprietary item is essential for synchronization with existing highway facilities.**

  
**State Design Engineer**