

December 30, 2015

Ms. Cynthia Simmons
Missouri Department of Transportation
1590 Woodlake Drive
Chesterfield, MO 63017-5712

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.

**RE: Public Interest Finding
Scenic Drive Phase 2 Improvements
STP-5403(660)
Herculaneum, Missouri**

State Design Engineer

Dear Ms. Simmons:

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-L-CAC-IND-HCI-80W-24V-QT-SR3

These items were designed with proprietary components in order to insure compatibility with existing City infrastructure. This project is adjacent to a previous project that used these lights (Scenic Drive Improvements, STP-5403(648). It is also in the City’s plan to use this light on future projects in the area.

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

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

Sincerely,



Carl M. Vogt, P.E.

cc: Jim Kasten, City of Herculaneum
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