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Eric Schroeter
State Design Engineer
Missouri Department of Transportation

February 19, 2016

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.

Request for a Finding in the Public's Interest
STP-5401(669)
Manchester Road Phase 3, City of Maplewood, St. Louis County

State Design Engineer

The City is requesting approval of a proprietary item for use on the above referenced project. In order to meet the purpose and need of the project, the City requests the usage of the Doty & Sons Concrete trash receptacle.

The Doty & Sons concrete trash receptacle (Model 2C6HL-28) is used throughout the City and is custom made for the City. The intent is to match the receptacles used throughout the corridor to maintain consistency within the City. Also, the City's maintenance costs will be reduced by using the same receptacles throughout the City.

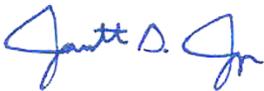
Although alternative products for this need and usage exists, the City requests use of this specific product since it is already in use within the City.

A cost comparison with alternative products indicates no significant difference between this product and other fixtures.

Based on the above, the City of Maplewood is requesting approval to specify the use of the trash receptacle on the Manchester Road Phase 3 Project.

In accordance with 23 CFR 635.411(c) we request your approval of this proprietary item.

Sincerely,



Jarrett Jasper, P.E.
Project Manager
Horner & Shifrin, Inc.

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