

April 29, 2022

The Honorable Pete Buttigieg U.S. Secretary of Transportation U.S. Department of Transportation 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE Washington, D.C. 20590

RE: PIDP Application for the McClellan-Kerr Arkansas River Navigation System (MKARNS)

Dear Secretary Buttigieg,

On behalf of Oklahoma Transportation, I am pleased to present this application for PIDP grant funds. We take pride in our mission "to provide a safe, economical, and effective transportation network for the people, commerce and communities of Oklahoma" and this application has been developed in this spirit.

Oklahoma Transportation is committing \$5,000,000 in non-federal funds of future eligible project costs as local match for the MKARNS project, should it be selected for award of PIDP grant funds.

Sincerely,

Tim J. Gatz

Oklahoma Transportation

Executive Director