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Dear Mr. Halikowski: *John*

Thank you for your letter of August 19 with an attached Expression of Interest by the Arizona Department of Transportation (ADOT) to pursue tolling on the Arizona segment of Interstate Route 15 (I-15).

The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) is reviewing the proposal and will work with ADOT staff to gain a more comprehensive understanding of the proposal. I appreciate the willingness you have expressed to work with my staff as we move through the review process. In light of the scope of the proposal, it will likely take some time before we can make a final decision.

For further information or assistance, please feel free to call me or Regina McElroy, Director of the Office of Innovative Program Delivery at FHWA. Ms. McElroy may be reached at 202-366-8006.

Sincerely,

Victor M. Mendez  
Administrator