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June 4, 2025

To:
Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) Program Manager
Federal Highway Administration
Office of Safety
HSSA-1, Mail Stop: E71-117
1200 New Jersey Avenue, S.E.
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Subject: Declination of FY 2023 SS4A Grant Award for Comprehensive Road Safety Action Plan Development

Dear SS4A Program Manager,

On behalf of Pinal County, I would like to extend our appreciation for the opportunity to participate in the Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) grant program for Fiscal Year 2023. After careful consideration, Pinal County respectfully declines Federal Award No. 693JJ32440204 offered to develop a Comprehensive Safety Action Plan.

At this time, the Sun Corridor Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO), in partnership with Pinal County, is in the process of completing the Pinal County Strategic Transportation Safety Plan. This plan encompasses a comprehensive evaluation of transportation safety across the county and aligns closely with the intent and required components of a Safety Action Plan as defined by the SS4A program.

Given the significant overlap in scope and objectives, accepting the SS4A grant to develop a separate Comprehensive Safety Action Plan would result in duplicative efforts, the creation of redundant documentation, and a less-effective use of the grant funds. Our goal is to focus resources effectively and maintain a streamlined, coordinated approach to transportation safety planning.

We sincerely appreciate the Federal Highway Administration, Office of Safety's support and commitment to improving roadway safety and look forward to continued collaboration through future initiatives.

Sincerely,

Stephen Q. Miller
Chairman of the Pinal County Board of Supervisors