



April 11, 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: RAISE Application for McClellan-Kerr Arkansas River Navigation System (MKARNS)

Dear Secretary Buttigieg,

On behalf of Oklahoma Transportation, I am pleased to present this application for RAISE 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 RAISE grant funds.

Sincerely,

Tim J. Gatz
Oklahoma Transportation
Executive Director