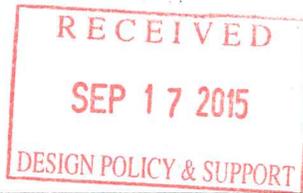




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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF  
TRANSPORTATION



To:  
Dave Peters, Conceptual Design Group Manager

Date:  
September 17, 2015

- Per Your Request
- For Your Review
- Per Our Conservation
- For Your Information
- Discuss With Me
- For Your Approval
- For Your Signature
- Take Appropriate Action
- Please Answer
- Prepare Reply For

From:  
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In Reply Refer To:  
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Russell McMurry, P.E. Commissioner  
Georgia Department of Transportation  
One Georgia Center  
600 West Peachtree Street, NW  
Atlanta, GA 30308

Dear Commissioner McMurry:

We have reviewed the request to use a force account agreement with Georgia Power and to use proprietary items on Project 0008912 in Lumpkin County for the City of Dahlonega Streetscape Improvement Project, Phase 1.

At this time, the information provided is insufficient to determine that your request meets the requirements of 23 CFR 645.115 and 23 CFR 635.204(a). Please provide a cost effectiveness analysis similar to that found in the FHWA Policy on Agency Force Account Use (<http://www.fhwa.dot.gov/legsregs/directives/orders/50601.cfm>). In the cost effectiveness analysis, please note that maintenance cost cannot be used as a basis of the determination. FHWA cannot participate in any costs associated with routine maintenance. Please indicate in the request if this would be an ownership or lease agreement with the utility company. FHWA does not participate in costs associated with lease agreements for highway features.

FHWA accepts the Certification provided by the City of Dahlonega, GA, that the following items are essential for aesthetic synchronization to match the visual appearance of existing facilities previously installed in the City.

- Pedestrian Lighting Poles
  - Philips Hadco
  - Model: P1150
  - Color: Black
  - Quantity 24
  
- Pedestrian Lighting Luminaires
  - Cooper Lighting
  - Model: UTR Traditionaire (426341)
  - Color: Black Powder Coat
  - Quantity: 24

Therefore, FHWA finds that it is acceptable to use the above listed items for the purpose of synchronization with existing facilities. This approval is only applicable for use on Federal

Project Number 0008(912), PI 0008912, in Lumpkin County – City of Dahlonega. It is the responsibility of the City of Dahlonega to ensure that all items to be installed comply with the requirements of the Buy America Act.

If you have any questions, please contact Mindy Roberson, Project Delivery Team Leader, at (404)562-3652.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "R. Barry", written in a cursive style.Handwritten initials "RNB" in black ink, written in a stylized, cursive font.

Rodney N. Barry, P.E.  
Division Administrator

Cc: Lee Upkins, State Utilities Engineer  
Dave Peters, Conceptual Design Group Manager