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Bruce A. Van Note COMMISSIONER

May 8, 2020

The Honorable Elaine L. Chao, Secretary United States Department of Transportation 1200 New Jersey Ave, SE Washington, DC 20590

Re: Assurance of Matching Funds

Dear Secretary Chao:

This letter serves as evidence of assurance by the State of Maine Department of Transportation (MaineDOT) that matching funds for the 2020 Better Utilization of Investment to Leverage Development (BUILD) Grant application "Bridging the Economy of Rural Maine" submitted by MaineDOT are committed and will be provided.

MaineDOT is seeking \$23,616,000 in FY 2020 BUILD grant funding, matched by \$5,904,000 in state and other Federal funding. This project was included in the *MaineDOT Three Year Work Plan: 2020 Edition*, and this Project will be included in the next Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) and is consistent with MaineDOT's long-range transportation plan. MaineDOT is committed to providing these matching funds to the BUILD funds requested.

Sincerely,

Bruce A. Van Note, Commissioner

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