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Khoa Nguyen Director, Office of Technical Services Federal Highway Administration 3500 Financial Plaza, Suite 400 Tallahassee, Florida 32312

Re: State Specifications Office

Section: 654

Proposed Specification: 6540205 Midblock Crosswalk Enhancement

Assemblies.

Dear Mr. Nguyen:

We are submitting, for your approval, two copies of the above referenced Supplemental Specification.

The changes are proposed by Derek Vollmer from the Traffic Engineering and Operations Office to remove the AC/DC battery charger from the specification as it is not needed for solar permanent installations.

Please review and transmit your comments, if any, within two weeks. Comments should be sent via email to daniel.strickland@dot.state.fl.us.

If you have any questions relating to this specification change, please call me at (850) 414-4130.

Sincerely,

Signature on file

Daniel Strickland, P.E. State Specifications Engineer

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Attachment

cc: Florida Transportation Builders' Assoc.

State Construction Engineer

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