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DATE: March 17, 2020
TO: FILE
FROM: Christopher M. Werner, PE
Technical Services Director
SUBJECT: LOCATION AND DESIGN APPROVAL
WBS No. 34400.1.4, R-2233BA, Rutherford County
US 221, north of US 74 Bypass to just north of US 74 Business

This project calls for improving US 221, north of US 74 Bypass to just north of US 74 Business, to a multi-lane facility on new location. The proposed typical section consists of four 12 foot lanes with a 23 foot raised median and 10 foot (4 foot paved) shoulders. The proposed median changes to 46 feet (depressed) south of Poors Ford Road. Traffic will be maintained on-site during construction. There are no anticipated design exceptions for this project. The SFEIS was approved in May 2011 and the SROD in October 2013. Public Involvement included a Citizens Informational Workshop in August 2001 and a Corridor Public Hearing in January 2009.

RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL: BLM^{ds} DATE: 4/3/2020
(State Roadway Design Engineer)

APPROVED: All branches and/or units are authorized to complete the necessary preliminary engineering and environmental requirements for letting the project to contract. Right of way acquisition may begin upon authorization by Project Management.

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Christopher M. Werner 4/9/2020

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