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MEMORANDUM

To: Division Engineers

From: Ron King, P.E. *RK*
Signing Engineer

Subject: Blue Star Memorial Highway Signage

Per Sandy Nance's May 12, 2005 memorandum, the Road & Bridge Naming Committee approved the installation of additional signage at certain locations on the Blue Star Highway System. As part of this approval, the Committee selected the sign design and wording for the new sign. In reviewing the existing network of Blue Star Highways, some signs are in place, others are missing or in poor repair. The committee is not requesting any action on existing signs. However, it is recommended those existing locations with missing signs and the proposed locations are installed with the newly designed sign as indicated in the May 12th memorandum. Once a funding source is identified, you will be advised.

Attached for your use to proceed with sign installations are the following:

- 1) A spreadsheet of how many Blue Star Highway signs are in your division and how many additional sign installations are requested at this time.
- 2) A spreadsheet showing general location of these signs.
- 3) Sign designs for freeway and US routes. Copies of sign designs have been sent to Bunn Sign plant to await your requisition.
- 4) A copy of Sandy Nance's May 12, 2005 memorandum and attached map.

If sign support designs are needed, please provide verified s-dimensions and location information so we may determine the steel support size required and prepare a support chart for your use.

If further information is needed, please notify.

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Attachments

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