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SPR Quarterly Progress Report
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1. Project

Safety Evaluation of Curve Warning Advisory Speed Signs
SPR # 685

2. Key Dates

Start Date for ODOT: October 2008
Completion Date for ODOT: September 2009

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4. Progress

- The actual start date for this project was September 10, 2008. We are in the initial stages of the project. Progress to date includes a review of applicable literature (since

the previous operations study) and an initial evaluation of corridor crash data to determine methods for defining curve locations and companion crashes.

5. Problems

- No problems to report at this time.

6. Work Planned for Next Quarter

- Develop a data collection plan
- Prepare an interim report that summarizes recent literature and data collection strategies
- Continue work on crash identification at candidate corridors

7. Finances

SPR Project Summary

VENDOR	FY'09	FY'10	FY11	FY'12	TOTALS
ORIGINAL BUDGET	\$ -	\$ -			\$ -
REVISED BUDGET	\$ 40,000	\$ 15,000			\$ 55,000
EXPENDITURES - VENDOR	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
BALANCE	\$ 40,000	\$ 15,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 55,000
ODOT	FY'09	FY'10	FY11	FY'12	TOTALS
ORIGINAL BUDGET	\$40,000	\$80,000	\$0		\$ 120,000
REVISED BUDGET	\$4,000	\$4,000	\$0		\$ 8,000
EXPENDITURES - ODOT	\$ 1,542	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,542
BALANCE	\$ 2,458	\$ 4,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 6,458
PROJECT	FY'09	FY'10	FY11	FY'12	TOTALS
ORIGINAL BUDGET	\$ 40,000	\$ 80,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 120,000
REVISED BUDGET	\$ 44,000	\$ 19,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 63,000
EXPENDITURES - PROJECT	\$ 1,542	\$ -	\$ -		\$ 1,542
BALANCE	\$ 42,458	\$ 19,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 61,458