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FYI. See below for what was received Thursday, March 4th re. the US DOT Tribal Consultation Plan.
<http://www.fhwa.dot.gov/tribal/consultation.htm>

Should you have questions and/or comments, please do not hesitate to contact Theresa (512.536.5943) or me (214.224.2175).

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Good afternoon!

On November 5, 2009, the President issued an executive memorandum reaffirming the unique legal and political relationship with Indian tribal governments and calling for each agency head to submit to OMB a detailed plan of action that the agency would be taking to implement the "policies and directives of Executive Order 13175." In addition, the memorandum requires each agency head to submit a report to OMB within 270 days, and annually thereafter.

The U.S. DOT has completed the first of these requirements in developing a Tribal Consultation Plan which commits the agency to develop, improve, and maintain partnerships with Indian tribes in implementing the agency's policies, programs, and services. Goals of the plan include:

- Fostering meaningful government to government relations
- Improving existing tribal programs

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- Ensuring meaningful tribal input into tribal transportation programs
- Supporting delivery of tribal infrastructure projects

It is not yet clear how this might affect our day to day interaction with tribes, but you should all be aware of the emphasis on establishing meaningful relationships including direct contact with tribal governments and seeking tribal representation in "meetings, conferences, summits, advisory committees, and review boards concerning issues with tribal implications." You will find the complete text of the plan at: <http://www.fhwa.dot.gov/tribal/consultation.htm>

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