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Subject: RE: FAA

We skipped the entire agenda item on environmental issues at FTA's direction. Tim Mantych put the item on the agenda in the interest of getting an update on status but our regional staff proposed that we defer it to an FTA-only forum. We have an FTA-only conference call scheduled for Tuesday afternoon to discuss the Kiewit contract, the programmatic agreement, and the airport.

I have not heard anything about FAA-FTA contacts.

Ray sent a long e-mail to Susan Borinsky outlining concerns on the Kiewit contract and its appearance of inconsistency with FTA's position on activities allowable under pre-award authority and NEPA requirements. It would be good to receive any clarifications of the Kiewit contract before that meeting. I have lots of notes on the topic from yesterday's call but a clear paragraph or two would help to explain how the contract is (we hope) staying within our requirements.

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Did you guys talk about the FAA issues yesterday as you mentioned? Any indications if FAA contacted FTA regarding Ray's e-mail? I spoke to HNL FAA manager yesterday before the tel conf and I was told FAA environment guys are supposed to contact FTA.