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Dear Mr. Mazza:

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This letter submits for the Arizona Corporation Commission's (ACC) record the City of Phoenix Street Transportation Department's plan to comply with the Commission's May 8, 2018 order regarding the railroad crossing at 35th Avenue and Indian School Road ("Crossing"). The order requires an agreement among all parties on a signal solution for the Crossing prior to May 19, 2018 to prevent closure of the Crossing to vehicular traffic.

The Street Transportation Department has identified a solution by working with ACC and Burlington Northern Santa Fe (BNSF) staff. The solution agreed upon by all parties moves the pre-signal south of the railroad tracks by May 29, 2018. Staff has marked the locations of the pre-signal and stop bar adjacent to the road for review and will submit red-line plans to the ACC and BNSF for approval by Friday, May 18, 2018.

As we agreed, based on the City commitment to relocate the pre-signal South of the Crossing by May 29, 2018, the ACC will not require the City to turn off or bag the existing signal prior to its relocation South of the Crossing.

The City of Phoenix also requests that the Order to Show Cause be dismissed upon the completion of the signal work. We will work with the ACC and the BNSF over the twelve months after the signal is installed to evaluate the intersection for any further improvements that may be necessary.

The City of Phoenix Street Transportation staff is committed to working in partnership with the ACC. This will include discussion and review of signal plans during the planning and design process as well as requesting final approval prior to any work beginning. Our goal is to establish strong relationships and communication moving forward. Like the ACC, the Street Transportation Department's top priority is the safety of our community.

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Please contact Briiana Velez, Deputy Street Transportation Department Director, at 602-262-7436, or by email at briiana.velez@phoenix.gov, with any questions or concerns you have.

Sincerely,

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