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November 13, 2019

Mr. Ken King, P.E.
Salem District Engineer
Virginia Department of Transportation
731 Harrison Ave
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RE: Signal Coordination Review Request

Dear Ken:

At the November 12, 2019, Christiansburg Town Council meeting, Town Council was in consensus to request that VDOT respectively review the coordination of the traffic signals along N. Franklin Street between Cambria Street and Arbor Drive. The Town feels this corridor could be greatly improved operationally with a moderate investment of the review.

We know you are aware of the importance of the U.S. Route 460 corridor and its importance to the Town, New River Valley region, and state as a whole. N. Franklin Street carries 22,000 AADT in the area between Peppers Ferry Road and Farmview Road based on 2018 VDOT figures and the area serves as the retail hub of the New River Valley. The designation as a Statewide Corridor of Significance of the Heartland Corridor reflects the role U.S. Route 460 has on the state and beyond.

Town staff offers to assist in the review if you desire. Thank you for your consideration, and if you would like to discuss, please do not hesitate to call me at (540) 382-6128 x 1115.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that appears to read "Mike".

D. Michael Barber
Mayor

cc: Town Manager Randy Wingfield

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