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Mr. Albert Stanek, Transit Systems Manager
City of Racine
730 Washington Ave. Room 304
Racine, WI 53403

Re: Belle Urban Transit CNG Paratransit Vehicle Project

Dear Mr. Stanek:

Thank you for your interest in the Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT) Congestion Mitigation & Air Quality Improvement Program (CMAQ). The CMAQ Selection Committee, which consists of staff from WisDOT, Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, and Southeastern Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission, ranked project applications and made recommendations to the WisDOT Secretary. Unfortunately, based on your project ranking, we are unable to fund your proposed project at this time.

This was a very competitive application period, with WisDOT receiving 42 applications for approximately \$146 million of CMAQ projects. Based upon funding available, WisDOT funded 24 projects and awarded approximately \$39 million of CMAQ funding.

We encourage your community to act upon the interest and momentum that resulted in your submission of a CMAQ application. Communities can learn more about alternative WisDOT funding sources for local governments at <http://www.dot.wisconsin.gov/localgov/index.htm>. The Department anticipates beginning the next CMAQ cycle in calendar year 2015, at which time WisDOT will notify municipalities regarding availability of application materials, the schedule of informational meetings and other important dates and deadlines.

Please call (608) 266-3973 or send an email to: tressie.kamp@dot.wi.gov if you have further questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Tressie K. Kamp".

Tressie K. Kamp
WisDOT Statewide Multi-Modal Programs Manager

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