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Mr. Walter Kulyk, P.E.  
Director, Office of Mobility Innovation  
Federal Transit Administration  
1200 New Jersey Ave. SE  
Washington, DC 20003

**RE: Applications for TIGGER Discretionary Grant Program**

The South Florida Regional Transportation Authority (SFRTA) is pleased to submit and respectfully requests your consideration of the following application for TIGGER Discretionary Grant Program funding for the Pompano Beach Green Station Demonstration Project.

This project combines the benefits of many energy saving innovations and strategies into one new station construction project. These strategies include reaching LEED Silver status, installing solar panels on the station and parking lot canopies, providing bicycle lockers, using LED lighting fixtures, and creating charging stations for electric vehicles. The result will be a station that is 100% solar powered, a 50% reduction in station area energy demand, and substantially reduced heat island effects. This station will serve as a model for energy efficient local, regional, and national new station construction.

Investment in these projects will provide long-term benefits to the South Florida region because it supports State of Florida climate change and green building initiatives, reduces South Florida's energy usage, improves transit station amenities, and helps meet the economic, social, and environmental initiatives of our region.

SFRTA has given thoughtful consideration in preparing this proposal and we appreciate the consideration by the US Department of Transportation for federal funding.

Sincerely,



Joseph Giulietti  
Executive Director