

**AMENDMENT TO THE
PROGRAMMATIC AGREEMENT AMONG
THE FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION,
THE U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS, SAVANNAH DISTRICT,
THE GEORGIA STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER,
THE ADVISORY COUNCIL ON HISTORIC PRESERVATION, PARTICIPATING TRIBES, AND
THE GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
REGARDING THE SECTION 106 PROCESS FOR THE TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM IN GEORGIA**

WHEREAS, the original *Programmatic Agreement Among the Federal Highway Administration, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Savannah District, the Georgia Historic Preservation Officer, the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, the Alabama Coushatta Tribe of Texas, the Catawba Indian Nation, and the Muscogee Nation, and the Georgia Department of Transportation Regarding the Section 106 Process for the Transportation Program in Georgia* (the original Agreement) was executed on December 13, 2019 and is set to expire on December 13, 2024; and

WHEREAS, the Signatories are in the process of renewing the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Signatories agree to amend the original Agreement for the Transportation Program in Georgia to extend the duration to December 13, 2025 or until the execution of the new PA, whichever comes first; and

NOW, THEREFORE, Federal Highway Administration, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Savannah District, the Georgia Historic Preservation Officer, the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, the Alabama Coushatta Tribe of Texas, the Catawba Indian Nation, and the Muscogee Nation, and the Georgia Department of Transportation, as signatories to the PA, agree that GDOT may continue use of the original Agreement for Section 106 compliance.

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SIGNATORY PARTY

Federal Highway Administration

By: Sabrina S. David Date: 10/11/2024
Sabrina S. David, Division Administrator

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U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Savannah District

By:  _____
for Ronald J. Sturgeon, PMP, Colonel, U.S. Army, Commanding

Date: 5 November, 2024

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SIGNATORY PARTY


Georgia Department of Community Affairs, State Historic Preservation Officer

By:  Date: October 11, 2024
Jennifer Flood, Division Director, Deputy SHPO

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SIGNATORY PARTY

Advisory Council on Historic Preservation

By:  _____ Date: 12/13/2024 _____
Reid Nelson, Executive Director

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INVITED SIGNATORY PARTY

Georgia Department of Transportation

By:  Date: 10/10/2024
Eric Duff, State Environmental Administrator

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TRIBAL SIGNATURE PAGES:

The Lead Agencies invited the Absentee-Shawnee Tribe (AST), Alabama-Coushatta Tribe of Texas (ACTT), Alabama-Quassarte Tribal Town (AQTT), Catawba Indian Nation (CIN), Cherokee Nation (CN), Chickasaw Nation (CHN), Coushatta Tribe of Louisiana (CTL), Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians (EBCI), Eastern Shawnee Tribe (EST), Jena Band of Choctaw Indians (JBCI), Kialegee Tribal Town (KTT), Miccosukee Tribe of Indians of Florida (MTIF), Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians (MBCI), Muscogee Nation (MN), Poarch Band of Creek Indians (PBCI), Seminole Nation of Oklahoma (SNO), Seminole Tribe of Florida (STF), Shawnee Tribe (ST), Thlopthlocco Tribal Town (TTT), United Keetoowah Band of Cherokee Indians (UKB) to participate in the consultation to develop the original Agreement and to enter into the Agreement as an Invited Signatory or Concurring Party. The Alabama-Coushatta Tribe of Texas, the Catawba Indian Nation, and the Muscogee Nation elected to enter into the original Agreement as Invited Signatories.

The Federal Agencies will incorporate additional executed signature pages by Tribal Invited Signatories or Concurring Parties into this Agreement in the order they are received by FHWA and/or the Corps.

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Muscogee Nation

By: David W. Hill
David Hill, Principal Chief

Date: 11-22-2024

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Invited Signatory Party

Catawba Indian Nation

By: Wenonah G. Haire, DMD Date: 12/11/24
Wenonah G. Haire, DMD, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer

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Invited Signatory Party

Alabama-Coushatta Tribe of Texas

By:  Date: 12-3-2024
Rick Sylestine, Chairperson, Alabama-Coushatta Tribal Council

By:  Date: 12-3-2024
Delvin Johnson, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer