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The Honorable Tim Kelly, Chair
House Transportation Policy & Finance Committee
559 State Office Building
Saint Paul, MN 55155

The Honorable Scott Dibble, Chair
Senate Transportation and Public Safety Committee
111 Capitol
Saint Paul, MN 55155

The Honorable Frank Hornstein, DFL Lead
House Transportation Policy & Finance Committee
243 State Office Building
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The Honorable John C. Pederson
Ranking Minority Member
Senate Transportation and Public Safety Committee
27 State Office Building
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The Honorable Ron Erhardt, DFL Co-Lead
House Transportation Policy & Finance Committee
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RE: 2015 Safe Routes to School Program Report

Dear Legislators:

MnDOT is pleased to present the biennial report on the Minnesota Safe Routes to School program as required by Minn. Stat. 174. 40, subd. 8.

Since 2005, MnDOT has awarded more than \$20 million to Minnesota communities for SRTS projects. These projects will reach more than 538 schools.

In late 2014, the SRTS steering committee and more than 70 individual partner organizations began work on a 5-year strategic plan for SRTS in Minnesota. Also new in 2015, is the Minnesota SRTS Resource Center which contains information and assistance for anyone interested in the Minnesota Safe Routes to School Program.

Please contact me, or Amber Dallman, SRTS Coordinator, at 651-366-4189, or amber.dallman@state.mn.us with any questions about the SRTS report or program.

Sincerely,

Charles A. Zelle
Commissioner

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