

U.S DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION

MINNESOTA DIVISION

FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT

Minnesota State Project Number 6283-175

I-94 Reconstruction

In the city of Saint Paul

Ramsey County, Minnesota

The proposed project consists primarily of extending an existing auxiliary lane, constructing a new auxiliary lane, constructing two emergency pull-off areas and reducing the Mounds Boulevard on ramp to I-94 eastbound from two lanes to one.

The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) has determined the proposed improvements, as described in the Environmental Assessment (EA) and the Findings of Fact and Conclusion (FOFC) will have no significant impacts to the human or natural environment. This Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) is based upon the EA which has been independently evaluated by FHWA and determined to adequately discuss the need, environmental issues and impacts of the proposed project and appropriate mitigation measures.

The EA provides sufficient evidence and analysis for determining that an Environmental Impact Statement is not required. The FHWA takes full responsibility for the accuracy, scope and content of the EA for the subject property.

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