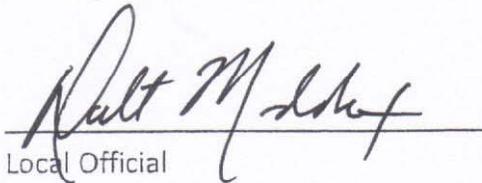


Exhibit A

CERTIFICATION UNDER SECTION 1511 OF
THE AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT

Pursuant to Title XV, Subtitle A, section 1511 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (Pub. L. 111-5 (Feb. 17, 2009) ("ARRA")), I Walter Maddox *, hereby certify that the infrastructure investment funded by ARRA has received the full review and vetting required by law and that I accept responsibility that such investment is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars. I further certify that the specific information required by section 1511 concerning each such investment (a description of the investment, the estimated total cost, and the amount of ARRA funds to be used) is provided on the Alabama Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) and is available to the public at <http://www.dot.state.al.us/stimulus2009> or by going directly to the Alabama Department of Transportation's website under American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Stimulus Plan).

I understand that my State or local agency may not receive ARRA infrastructure investment funding unless this certification is made and posted.


Local Official

Signed this 10th day of August, 2009.

*In accordance with section 1511 of ARRA, the Certifying Official may be either the mayor or other chief executive, as appropriate.