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March 9, 2009

To: David Bowlby, Chair, Alamo Municipal Advisory Council

Cc: Mike Carlson, Assistant Public Works Director
Jen Quallick, District 3 Field Representative

Subject: **2009 Capital Road Improvement & Preservation Program (CRIPP)**

Dear David:

This is to give written feedback from the Alamo Improvement Association, regarding the updated County CRIPP prior to March 11 as requested by Mike Carlson's February 5, 2010 memo to you on that subject. AIA appreciates the request for feedback on the subject of roads, which is very important to Alamo residents.

As suggested in the memo, on February 16, 2010 I spoke to Craig Standafer of County Public Works about our concern that "Danville Boulevard Traffic Improvements – Phase I" continued to be listed as an underfunded project, despite the fact that it had apparently been completed more than a year ago. He later told me that he had consulted Chris Lau and Mike Carlson and determined that the listing was mistaken – the project, in fact, has been completed and it will be removed from the CRIPP.

AIA is also gratified to see that "Stone Valley Road/Danville Boulevard Improvements" – the unpopular widening of our main downtown intersection – is to be removed from the CRIPP. We thank the County for honoring the wishes of Alamo residents and keeping its promise to remove it.

We have an additional request of the updated CRIPP. We would like to see the official descriptions of projects listed in the document, including projects that are as yet unfunded. While the purpose of the CRIPP is to give information to the public about the County's plans for roads in the unincorporated areas, it is impossible for the public to know the nature of a road project from the title alone, without the official description.

Thank you for your continuing work on the MAC on behalf of Alamo citizens.

Sincerely,

Michael A. Gibson

Michael Gibson
AIA Transportation Chair