

## **MEMORANDUM**

To: Rob Perry, PE, Deputy Secretary for Engineering

Karl McCottry, Deputy Secretary for Finance & Administration

From: Chris Gaskins, PE, PG, Director of Alternative Delivery

RE:

Cancellation of Design-Build Procurement

Carolina Crossroads: Phase 3D – I-26 at I-126 Interchange Improvement

Lexington and Richland Counties

Project ID P043326

Date: November 3, 2025

On October 2, 2025, SCDOT advertised a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) requesting Statements of Qualifications (SOQs) from those entities interested in serving as the design-build contractor for the design and construction of Carolina Crossroad Phase 3D - I-26 at I-126 Interchange Improvement project in Lexington and Richland Counties. SCDOT received only one SOQ in response to this solicitation.

Given the unique circumstance of having only one Proposer, SCDOT has carefully considered the situation and concluded that, in the best interest of the State, it is prudent to cancel the designbuild procurement. SCDOT is committed to ensuring a competitive process and as such, intends to evaluate options to deliver this project to construction as soon as possible.

If you approve the cancellation of the procurement for the CCR 3D - I-26 at I-126 Interchange Improvement project, please indicate your approval in the space provided below.

Approval:	Rob Perry, PE, Deputy Secretary for Engineering	4/w 25 Date
ann	Kaul M UcCotty, Deputy Secretary for Finance and Admin.	10/04/2024 Date
Concurrence:	Jermaine Hannon, FHWA Division Adminstrator	Date

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