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City of Boise  
150 N. Capitol  
Boise, ID 83702

**VIA EMAIL**

**Re: CAR 14- 00014 Annexation and Rezone/ Northwest Planning Area**

The Idaho Transportation Department (ITD) has reviewed the referenced application for rezone and annexation of the North River Planning Area.

ITD has the following comments:

1. ITD has no objection to the proposed project and requires no mitigation.
2. SH-44 corridor is near capacity and the COMPASS plan calls for that to be a six-lane roadway
3. The SH-44 intersection with Glenwood Street is also near capacity
4. ITD has not budgeted any major roadway expansion projects in this area
5. Any additional traffic volume will result in increased travel times and delay in the corridor.
6. The intersection of SH-55 at Hill Road may be eliminated and converted to an overpass sometime in the future..
7. This segment of SH-44 is a fully access-controlled roadway.

If you have any questions, you may contact me directly at 334-8521.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Dave Szplett".

Dave Szplett  
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