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Dear Mr. Berg:

You will be approaching a decision on a route for the Highway 10 By Pass in the near future and the Town of Stockton would like answers to the following questions to help us study how it will affect our community.

Within 30 days could you provide answers to the following questions?

- What are all of the reasons the DOT has dropped the Existing Route Alternative between I-39/US 51 and Portage County J? Please be specific!
- What are the DOT's plans for a new traffic origin/destination study prior to a decision on a final route?
- Has the DOT done a projected traffic count and traffic pattern changes on the current corridor and on each of the proposed by pass route options being considered for 2020 and 2030? If not when will it be done?
- Has the DOT done a Traffic safety study comparing merged Highway 10 By Pass traffic and interstate I-39 traffic for 6-7 miles versus the plan of Highway 10 By Pass traffic crossing over or under I-39 at one interchange location.

Since the Town of Stockton is seeking legal consultation with an attorney your answers to these questions will be a benefit us.

Thank you for your time and help.

Ronald Borski
Town of Stockton, Chairman