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The Honorable Tim Pawlenty
Office of the Governor
130 State Capitol
75 Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55155

Dear Governor Pawlenty:

Thank you for your letter regarding House Resolution 1767, the Freeing Alternatives for Speedy Transportation (FAST) Act. Your assessment is correct that the FAST Act is an innovative way to address congestion on the nation's Interstate system. The FAST Act allows drivers a choice to pay for newer, faster routes or to continue driving on slower, more congested routes.

Through this letter we are asking our Congressional delegation to support House Resolution 1767, the Freeing Alternatives for Speedy Transportation Act. Hopefully, their support will help bring in the votes needed to secure this important legislation.

Thanks again for writing. If I can be of further assistance on this or any other matter, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely yours,

Mike Huckabee

c: Arkansas Congressional Delegation
Highway Commission