Call for Proposals 2024-25 Highway Infrastructure Innovation Funding Program

To Whom it May Concern,

Please see the attached Program Guide for information on the Ontario Ministry of Transportation's (MTO) **2024-25** Highway Infrastructure Innovation Funding Program (HIIFP).

The objective of HIIFP is to encourage Ontario's academic community to research projects that contribute to generating solutions to current technical challenges encountered by MTO in the construction and maintenance of the provincial highway infrastructure network. These research projects are funded through HIIFP.

A diverse range of specific research topics have been developed by MTO that outline: 1.) the background of the research requirement, 2.) the challenge or problem to be addressed, and 3.) the anticipated outcome and/or research deliverables.

An eligible institution may choose from one of the MTO provided specific research topics or submit their own research topic (i.e., an open research topic).

Research projects awarded the HIIFP grant shall submit a written technical report to be published in the MTO Online Library Catalog. The research team will also present their findings to an MTO Technical Committee interested in the specific subject area.

As noted in the attached Program Guide, the deadline date for all applications is: **Wednesday, January 31, 2024 at 5:00pm**.

Please respond to this email should you have any questions.

Thank you, HIIFP Coordinator