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Edward H. Chu
Acting Regional Administrator
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region VII
11201 Renner Blvd
Lenexa, KS 66219

Dear Acting Administrator Chu:

On behalf of the State of Iowa, I write to request that the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) redesignate to attainment that portion of Pottawattamie County currently designated nonattainment for the 2008 lead national ambient air quality standards (NAAQS). The enclosed maintenance plan, which is submitted for approval into the state implementation plan (SIP), supports the redesignation request.

I look forward to EPA's approval and promulgation of the SIP revision and the redesignation of Pottawattamie County to attainment. If you have questions regarding this submittal, please contact Matthew Johnson at (515) 725-9554.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kim Reynolds".

Kim Reynolds
Governor of Iowa

Enclosure