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Mr. Bill Johnson, Director  
Alabama Department of Economic and Community Affairs  
401 Adams Avenue  
Montgomery, Alabama 36103-5690

Re: Project CY-CM-PF-00-001 Status Report  
Dirt Road Base Stabilization and Paving  
Sumter County, Alabama

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Mr. Thomas Settles of Omega Paving Company informed me that based on recent discussions, the State of Alabama is considering providing some assistance to several Alabama counties, including Sumter County, in paving or otherwise improving some dirt/unpaved roads. I understand that you are interested in how the product performed on a few of the roads in Sumter County where the base was treated with Pave-ZYME.

The Sumter County Commission paved several Sumter County roads using Pave-ZYME under CDBG Project Number CY-CM-PF-00-001 between May 2001 and November 2002. Pave-ZYME was used to stabilize a 6-inch base and later a double surface treatment chip seal (ALDOT JG Treatment or KG Treatment) was added for the pavement/coating. Prior to this project it was necessary to grade and haul materials to these roads several times each year. I am happy to report that the road bases that were treated with Pave-ZYME did not require any maintenance for several years. Several of the roads where the base was treated with Pave-ZYME are still in relatively good shape.

I have attached a list of these roads and their approximate construction dates as well as location maps.

Sincerely,



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