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## **Star America Team Reaches Financial Close on the Freeway Lighting P3 Project with Michigan DOT**

Star America has reached commercial and financial close on the Freeway Lighting public private partnership (P3) project to design, build and finance the improvements on existing freeway and tunnel lighting systems in the Detroit Metro Region and to operate and maintain the existing and improved lighting systems for a period of 15 years. The project will improve and maintain the existing freeway lighting system which will help increase highway safety conditions to the travelling public and lower the energy consumption through implementation of energy efficient lighting fixtures (LED's).

William Marino, Star America's CEO, said: "We are excited to be part of this groundbreaking project, the first of its kind in the growing US P3 sector. We congratulate the State of Michigan and the Michigan DOT and their staff on the first design-build-finance-operate-maintain transportation P3 project in the State."

### **About Star America**

*Star America Infrastructure Partners, LLC is a US headquartered developer, investor and manager of greenfield, North American infrastructure assets, focusing on public-private partnerships across the transportation, social and environmental sectors. Star America focuses on high value added projects where the team leverages its construction and asset management experience to generate attractive risk adjusted returns.*