

City of Ann Arbor

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Resolution to Accept Road Certifications from Washtenaw County

The attached resolution recommends accepting the certification of 1796 feet of road on Pontiac Trail near the centerline of M-14 and South of Dhu Varren and 686 feet west of centerline of US-23 on Plymouth Road.

In order to receive Act 51 funding, the City Street Administrator, Homayoon Pirooz, must maintain up-to-date, accurate Street System Maps. Act 51 gas tax funds that are collected by the state and then redistributed to respective municipalities based on a set formula for the sole use of maintenance and repair of major and local streets. To amend an Act 51 Street System Map, the state requires that administrators submit specific, detailed information and forms. One of the requisite amendment documents is a resolution adopted by the municipal governing body outlining and approving the requested changes/amendments.

We hereby request your approval to transfer agency jurisdiction from Washtenaw County Road Commission to the City of Ann Arbor.

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Administrator

Approved by: Roger W. Fraser, City Administrator

Whereas, Act 51 of the Public Acts of 1951, as amended, provides for the transfer of certification of right-of-way between jurisdictions;

Whereas, Acceptance of these roads will increase annual state weight and gas payments to the City's Major and Local Street Funds; and

Whereas, City certification of these roads will ensure that improvements within the right-of-ways meet City standards;

RESOLVED, That upon relinquishment by the Washtenaw County Board of Road Commissioners, that the City accepts certification of the roads listed in the attached Table A;

RESOLVED, That the City of Ann Arbor accepts all rights and responsibilities for grants of easement for roadway purposes transferred to it by the Washtenaw County Board of Road Commissioners to the extent such transfers are allowed by the grant; and

RESOLVED, That the Street Administrator be authorized to alter the official City of Ann Arbor Act 51 certification map to reflect this acceptance, and to submit this resolution, along with the relinquishment resolution from the Washtenaw County Board of Road Commissioners, to the Michigan State Department of Transportation.

RESOLVED, That City Council authorizes the City Administrator to take any necessary administrative

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actions to implement this resolution.