

RESOLUTION NO. 37-2014

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, SUPPORTING AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE AND APPROVE THE AGREEMENT TO CONTRIBUTE RIGHT OF WAY FUNDS WITH THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENTS ON US HIGHWAY 80 FROM GROSS ROAD TO NORTH GALLOWAY AVENUE.

WHEREAS, on June 12, 2002, pursuant to Resolution No. 27-2002, the City Council approved a Master Advance Funding Agreement with the Texas Department of Transportation ("TxDOT"); and

WHEREAS, on October 4, 2010, Council directed Staff to submit a project for completion of the northbound IH-635 to eastbound US-80 frontage road and associated ramp reconfigurations under the North Central Texas Council of Governments SH-161 Regional Toll Revenue project call (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, the submission was made on October 7, 2010, and the Project was subsequently selected for funding on April 12, 2012, with the approval of the 2013-2016 Transportation Improvement Plan ("TIP"); and

WHEREAS, the Project was added to the Statewide Transportation Improvement Plan on November 1, 2012, after receiving Federal Highway Administration approval for the 2013-16 TIP; and

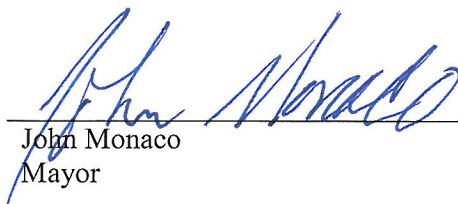
WHEREAS, it is necessary to execute an agreement to contribute right of way funds with the Texas Department of Transportation for the Project to proceed; and

WHEREAS, the City has determined that reconfiguring the ramps at the US Highway 80 and IH-635 interchange are in the best interest of the citizens of Mesquite.

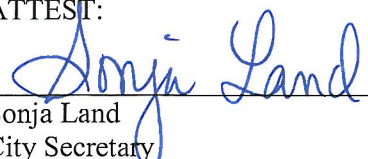
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That the City Council hereby supports the Project and authorizes the City Manager to execute and approve an agreement to contribute right of way funds with the Texas Department of Transportation for highway improvements on US Highway 80 from Gross Road to North Galloway Avenue in the City of Mesquite.

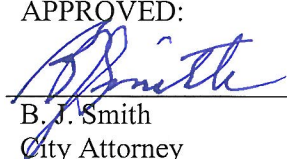
DULY RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas, on the 20th day of October, 2014.



John Monaco
Mayor

ATTEST:


Sonja Land
City Secretary

APPROVED:


B. J. Smith
City Attorney