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INTRODUCED BY: TERRY AUTHEMENT, COUNCILMAN, DISTRICT V
BARRY MINNICH, COUNCILMAN, DISTRICT VII
BRIAN A. FABRE, COUNCILMAN, DISTRICT II

RESOLUTION NO. 4762

A resolution requesting the Department of Transportation and Development install left turn signals on the north and south bound lanes at the intersection of U.S. Highway 90 and Barton Avenue/Lakewood Drive and the intersection of U.S. Highway 90 and Queenie Drive (Monsanto Plant)/Oak Lane.

WHEREAS, traffic control signals are valuable devices for the orderly control and flow of vehicular traffic; and.

WHEREAS, the absence of specific signals at the intersections of high volume traffic have a profound influence on the number of accidents occurring; and,

WHEREAS, the intersection of U.S. Highway 90 and Barton Avenue/Lakewood Drive is a heavily traveled intersection, especially with the relocation of Winn Dixie void of protective arrow signals for vehicles entering and exiting Barton Avenue and Lakewood Drive; and,

WHEREAS, the intersection of U.S. Highway 90 and Queenie Drive (Monsanto Plant)/Oak Lane is a very heavily traveled intersection void of protective arrow signals for vehicles entering and exiting the Monsanto Plant and Oak Lane; and.

WHEREAS, due to hazardous conditions that frequently occur at these two intersections, making them identical to the traffic management at the intersection of U.S. Highway 90 and Paul Maillard/Magnolia Ridge Road would be beneficial to citizens of our Parish.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT WE, THE MEMBERS OF THE ST. CHARLES PARISH COUNCIL do hereby request the Department of Transportation and Development install left turn signals on the north and south bound lanes at the intersection of U.S. Highway 90 and Barton Avenue/Lakewood Drive and the intersection of U.S. Highway 90 and Queenie Drive (Monsanto Plant)/Oak Lane.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Governor Mike Foster, Senator Joel T. Chaisson, II, Representative Gary Smith, and Mr. John Evanco, District Administrator, Department of Transportation & Development asking their assistance in this regard.

The foregoing resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was

as follows:

YEAS:

RAMCHANDRAN, FAUCHEUX, HILAIRE, FABRE, ABADIE, AUTHEMENT,

BLACK, MARINO, MINNICH

NAYS:

NONE

ABSENT: NONE

And the resolution was declared adopted this $_{\rm 0}^{\rm 7th}$ day of $_{\rm 0}^{\rm February}$, 2000, to become effective five (5) days after publication in the Official Journal.

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