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GREGORY A. MILLER State Representative ~ District 56 February 24, 2014

Mr. Chris Morvant Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development P. O. Box 9180 Bridge City, Lx 70096-9180 PARISH PRESIDENT

Re: St. Charles Parish Resolution No. 6067

(Construction of a fly over ramp off eastbound Highway 90 connecting to northbound I-310 Identified as Project I-8 in the I-49 Study)

Dear Mr. Morvant:

Enclosed is a copy of St. Charles Parish Resolution No. 6067, requesting that the Louisiana Legislative Delegation take the necessary steps needed to expedite the process required to have the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development construct the fly over ramp off eastbound Highway 90 connecting to northbound I-310 identified as Project I-8 in the I-49 Study to Identify Interim improvements for Safety and Efficiency.

I am in full support of this resolution. Any consideration you can give St. Charles Parish on this, would be greatly appreciated.

With kindest regards, I remain,

GREGORY A. MILLER

Sincerely

GAM/dfl Enclosure

cc: Honorable Bobby Jindal Ms. Sherri LeBas

Honorable V. J. St. Pierre

INTRODUCED BY: PAUL J. HOGAN, PE, COUNCILMAN, DISTRICT IV

CAROLYN K. SCHEXNAYDRE, COUNCILWOMAN-AT-LARGE, DIVISION A

RESOLUTION NO.

6067

resolution requesting the Louisiana Delegation to take the necessary steps needed to expedite the process required to have the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development construct the fly over ramp off eastbound Highway 90 connecting to northbound I-310 identified as Project I-8 in the I-49 Study to Identify Interim Improvements for Safety and Efficiency.

WHEREAS, eastbound Highway 90 traffic travelling to northbound I-310 must currently negotiate two traffic signals near I-310 costing time and money and is an inconvenience and safety hazard to the travelling public; and,

WHEREAS, the fly over ramp will eliminate the need for the existing traffic signal which allows the eastbound Highway 90 traffic to cross westbound Highway 90; and,

WHEREAS, the elimination of this signal on westbound Highway 90 will save motorist time and money along with eliminating an inconvenience of motorist travelling westbound on Highway 90 increasing safety; and,

WHEREAS, the St. Charles Parish Council adopted Resolution No. 5607 on January 5, 2009, requesting the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development construct a fly over ramp off eastbound Highway 90 connecting to northbound I-310; and,

WHEREAS, on February 11, 2009, Representative Gary L. Smith, Jr. forwarded a letter to the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development strongly supporting the Council's request for the construction of a fly over ramp off eastbound Highway 90 to northbound I-310; and,

WHEREAS, the St. Charles Parish Council strongly desires for the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development to construct the fly over ramp off eastbound Highway 90 connecting to northbound I-310 identified as Project I-8 in the I-49 Study to Identify Interim Improvements for Safety and Efficiency.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT WE, THE MEMBERS OF THE ST. CHARLES PARISH COUNCIL, do hereby request that the Louisiana Legislative Delegation take the necessary steps needed to expedite the process required to have the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development construct the fly over ramp off eastbound Highway 90 connecting to northbound I-310 identified as Project I-8 in the I-49 Study to Identify Interim Improvements for Safety and Efficiency.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Governor Bobby Jindal, Secretary Sherri LeBas, Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development, and District Administrator Michael Stack, Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development.

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

YEAS:

SCHEXNAYDRE, TASTET, WILSON, WOODRUFF, BENEDETTO, HOGAN,

COCHRAN, FLETCHER, FISHER-PERRIER

NAYS:

NONE

ABSENT: NONE

And the resolution was declared adopted this ____17th day of February, 2014, to become effective five (5) days after publication in the Official Journal.

CHAIRMAN: SECRETARY: DLVD/PARISH PRESIDENT: DISAPPROVED PARISH PRESIDENT: AT 2000 PMRECD BY