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MEMORANDUM

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To: Sheila Jones, Supervisor, District I
Trey Baxter, Supervisor, District II
Gerald Steen, Supervisor, District III
David Bishop, Supervisor, District IV
Paul Griffin, Supervisor, District V

From: Dan Gaillet, P.E.
County Engineer and Road Manager *DG*

Re: Resolution
Reunion Parkway - Phase III

As the Reunion Parkway, Phase III project moved from the environmental phase into the design phase, a couple of issues were discovered with the proposed route. As a result, the County went back and re-evaluated the situation for an improved alternate route.

Therefore, it is the recommendation of the Engineering Department that the resolution be adopted for the preferred alternate for Reunion Parkway, Phase III, as per the requirements of federal funding participation.

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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Madison County Board of Supervisors desires to construct a new two-lane section of roadway from Parkway East to U.S. Highway 51 at Green Oak Lane to provide additional capacity to help relieve congestions issues by providing an alternate route for east/west traffic; and

WHEREAS, federal funding was received to conduct an environmental and location study for providing the connection from Parkway East eastward crossing the CNIC rail road and connecting to U.S. Highway 51; and

WHEREAS, an Environmental Assessment (EA) was determined to be the appropriate environmental and location study to conduct; and

WHEREAS, Alternative No. 2 was selected as the Preferred Alternative based upon the findings of the Environmental Assessment and associated location study; and

WHEREAS, a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) was issued by the Federal Highway Administration for the preferred Alternative 2 on February 27, 2017; and

WHEREAS, upon further information obtained, the Board commissioned a Re-Evaluation of the aforementioned FONSI; and

WHEREAS, Alternative No. 3 was selected as the Preferred Alternative based upon the findings of the FONSI Re-Evaluation.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Madison County Board of Supervisors supports the presentation of the Draft Environmental Assessment at a Public Hearing with Alternative No. 3 as the Preferred Alternative.

Ordered, this the _____ with the Board Members voting aye and no Board Members voting no.

President, David Bishop

Clerk of the Board