

**VILLAGE OF SAVOY
CHAMPAIGN COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

RESOLUTION NO. 2020R-02

**A RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT FOR AN APPLICATION
FOR UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION'S
NATIONALLY SIGNIFICANT FREIGHT AND HIGHWAY PROJECTS (INFRA GRANTS)
(CURTIS ROAD GRADE SEPARATION AND COMPLETE STREETS PROJECT)**

**Passed by the Board of Trustees and
Approved by the President
of
Village of Savoy, Illinois
on February 19, 2020**

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WHEREAS, the Village of Savoy has expressed its commitment to the development of the Curtis Road as a significant local and regional transportation corridor, as illustrated by its participation in the preparation and adoption of Champaign-Urbana Urbanized Area Transportation Study (CUUATS), Curtis Road Corridor Study, and authorizing design and construction to begin on a grade separated crossing of the CN/IC Railroad at Curtis Road and Dunlap Avenue (IL State Route 45); and

WHEREAS, the grade separation crossing will continue recent enhancements to Curtis Road, providing access to the existing surface transportation systems of Savoy, Champaign, Urbana, and the University of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, the grade separation crossing will provide a safer and more efficient crossing of the CN/IC Railroad for motorists, pedestrians, and emergency services within the Village of Savoy for improved access to existing (and future) workplaces, schools, residences, recreational sites, and major activity centers located in all communities referenced and rural Champaign County; and

WHEREAS, there are funding opportunities available through the Illinois Commerce Commission's Crossing Safety Improvement Program; and

WHEREAS, private funding for intersection improvements and local funding for roadway improvements at the location are available; and

WHEREAS, there are funds available through the United States Department of Transportation's Nationally Significant Freight and Highway Projects (INFRA) program; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Savoy has determined that it is in its best interest to apply for said funding to further improve the Curtis Road corridor.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF SAVOY, ILLINOIS, as follows:

SECTION 1. The Village Board finds and determines that the facts contained in the above recitations are true; and

SECTION 2. That the Village Board does hereby authorize the Village President to submit a grant request on behalf of the Village to the United States Department of Transportation's funding opportunity for Nationally Significant Freight and Highway Projects (INFRA Grants) for the purpose of financing part of the project costs of the proposed grade separation crossing at Curtis Road and Dunlap Avenue (IL State Route 45), and is authorized to execute any subsequent documents related to the submission of the grant application, and the subsequent receipt of funds through said grant.

SECTION 3. Upon award of INFRA Program funding, the Village agrees to allocate local funds towards the design and construction of the project in an amount to satisfy the provisions included in the INFRA Grant application. It is currently estimated that the balance to be paid from local funds is approximately Four Million Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$4,800,000).

SECTION 4. The Village agrees to allocate funds on an annual basis to provide necessary inspection and maintenance of the grade separation structure upon completion of the project.

SECTION 5. That the Village Board supports the specific start and completion date detailed in the project application. If the project fails to meet the specified deadlines, the project may be subjected to forfeit or return of up to 10% of the awarded funds.

SECTION 5. This Resolution shall be published in pamphlet form and made available to the public in accordance with applicable law.

PRESENTED, PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED by the President and Trustees of the Village of Savoy, Illinois, at a duly conducted meeting there this 19th day of February 2020.

APPROVED:

Joan Dykstra
Joan Dykstra, Village President

ATTEST:

Billie Jean Krueger
Billie Jean Krueger, Village Clerk



VOTING ON SAID ORDINANCE NO. 2020R-02

Trustee	Aye	Nay
Jan Carter Niccum, Trustee	<u>absent</u>	_____
A. J. Ruggieri, Trustee	<u>✓</u>	_____
John P. Brown, Trustee	<u>✓</u>	_____
William R. Vavrik, Trustee	<u>✓</u>	_____
Dee Shonkwiler, Trustee	<u>✓</u>	_____
Heather Mangian, Trustee	<u>✓</u>	_____
Joan Dykstra, President	<u>vote not needed</u>	_____

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
) SS
COUNTY OF CHAMPAIGN)

CERTIFICATE

I, Billie Jean Krueger, certify that I am the duly appointed and acting municipal clerk of the Village of Savoy, Champaign County Illinois.

I further certify that on, February 19, 2020, the Corporate Authorities of such municipality passed and approved Resolution No. 2020R-02 entitled:

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I further certify that the attached copy of said Resolution is a true and correct copy of said Resolution, as appears from the records of the Village of Savoy, Illinois.

DATED at Savoy, Illinois, this 19th day of February 2020.



Billie Jean Krueger

Village Clerk

Village of Savoy, Illinois

