

RESOLUTION NO. 1055

**A RESOLUTION OF THE WILSONVILLE CITY COUNCIL
ENDORING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE TRANSPORTATION
ADVISORY COMMISSION REGARDING AN ALTERNATE ROUTE FROM
NEWBERG, OREGON TO I-5 SOUTHBOUND.**

WHEREAS, the route from Newberg via Highway 219 via Wilsonville Road to the Wilsonville Interchange at I-5 is 14 miles distance at average speeds from 25-40 miles per hour and requires at least nineteen minutes to travel safely; and

WHEREAS, the above route is an old, hilly, two-lane road with ten-foot lanes and no shoulders; and

WHEREAS, the above route passes through three controlled intersections and one railroad crossing in Wilsonville, passes through blind three-way intersections at SW Ladd Hill Road and SW Edmundson Road, passes through one school zone, has twenty-five sharp curves of 60° or less and forty-one sweeping curves, many of which are blind and either uphill or downhill, has ice hazards in winter because forty percent of the curves are shaded by tall trees, and is bordered in many places by sharp gullies with neither shoulders nor guardrails; and

WHEREAS, there now exists, as a result of new construction, an alternate route to I-5 from Newberg via Highway 219 via McKay Road to the Donald-Aurora Interchange; and

WHEREAS, this alternate route is a distance of 11.8 miles which can be safely traveled in sixteen minutes at posted speeds of 55 miles per hour; and

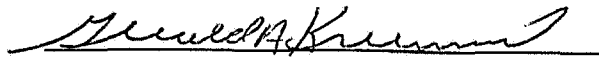
WHEREAS, this alternate route is a modern, twelve-foot land, flat highway with wide shoulders, no sharp curves, only ten sweeping curves, only three controlled, four-way intersections and one controlled railroad crossing.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY OF WILSONVILLE RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

1. To undertake discussions with the City of Newberg and the Newberg Chamber of Commerce to recommend publicity generation regarding the alternate route to

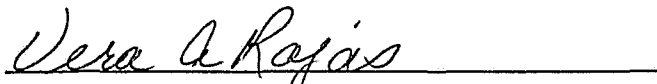
citizens and businesses in Newberg and the firms which deliver or take goods from those businesses for delivery to the south Willamette Valley.

ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Wilsonville at a regular meeting thereof this 4th day of October, 1993, and filed with the Wilsonville City Recorder this date.



GERALD A. KRUMMEL, Mayor

ATTEST:



VERA A. ROJAS, CMC/AAE, City Recorder

SUMMARY of Votes:

Mayor Krummel	<u>AYE</u>
Councilor Van Eck	<u>AYE</u>
Councilor Carter	<u>AYE</u>
Councilor Hawkins	<u>AYE</u>
Councilor Lehan	<u>AYE</u>