## RESOLUTION NO. \_¬-4-0\ CITY OF CENTERVILLE, OHIO

SPONSORED BY COUNCILMEMBER Susan Lieuesch		ON THE	
17th	DAY OF September	, 2001.	

A RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT FOR THE RECONSTRUCTION OF THE EXIT 47, CENTRAL AVENUE/DIXIE DRIVE INTERCHANGE WITH I-75 IN WEST CARROLLTON, OHIO, WHICH IS CURRENTLY BEING STUDIED AS PART OF THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION I-75 CORRIDOR STUDY AND THE NORTH/SOUTH TRANSPORTATION INITIATIVE

WHEREAS, Interstate 75 is the major north/south freeway serving Montgomery County and the Dayton Metropolitan Region; and

WHEREAS, the need for improvement of this corridor is being studied in the I-75 Corridor from Toledo to northern Kentucky by the Ohio Department of Development; and

WHEREAS, specific improvements in the Dayton Region are being studied as part of the North/South Initiative, a joint effort of the Miami Valley Regional Planning Commission (MVRPC) and the Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments (OKI); and

WHEREAS, although The Centerville City Council has heretofore recognized the need for an I-75 Austin Road Interchange as its No. 1 priority; it also recognizes that significant industrial development exists in the immediate area of Exit 47 and their competitiveness is based on their ability to have quick and reliable access to and from I-75; and

WHEREAS, Exit 47 has only four of the eight possible traffic movements which normally exist at an interstate interchange, causing significant congestion from automobile and heavy truck traffic at Exit 44, the State Route 725 interchange with I-75; and

WHEREAS, the importance of upgrading the Exit 47 interchange has been identified in the public meetings for the North/South Initiative Study; and

WHEREAS, Chamber members recognize the value of maintaining the competitiveness of existing Miami Valley firms, attracting new businesses to existing business sites, reducing urban sprawl, and preserving farm land.

NOW THEREFORE, THE MUNICIPALITY OF CENTERVILLE HEREBY RESOLVES TO:

Section 1. Endorse the need to expedite the upgrade of Exit 47, Central Avenue/Dixie Drive interchange with I-75 in West Carrollton, Ohio, to add entrance and exit ramps from

eastbound Dixie Drive to southbound I-75, from northbound I-75 to westbound Central Avenue, from southbound I-75 to eastbound Dixie Drive, westbound Central Avenue to northbound I-75, and access to Dryden Road from eastbound Dixie Drive.

PASSED this 17th day of September , 2001.

Mayor of the City of Centerville, Ohio

ATTEST:

Clerk of Council of the City of Centerville, Ohio

## **CERTIFICATE**

The undersigned, Clerk of the Council of the City of Centerville, Ohio, hereby certifies that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Resolution Number 74-01, passed by the Council of the City of Centerville, Ohio, on the 17th day of September 2001.

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Approved as to form, consistency with the Charter and Constitutional Provisions.

Department of Law Robert N. Farquhar Municipal Attorney