

RESOLUTION NO. 28-2006

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BENSON, ARIZONA, SUPPORTING THE CONSTRUCTION OF A TRAFFIC INTERSECTION AT THE BUSINESS ROUTE 10 (B-10 / STATE ROUTE 80 (SR 80) JUNCTION AS PROPOSED BY THE ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (ADOT).

WHEREAS, the Mayor and the City Council recognize that the southeastern region of the State is experiencing significant growth that will impact future traffic flow on B-10 and SR-80. It is prudent that the B-10/SR-80 junction be reconstructed accommodate future traffic needs; and,

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council understand that while the existing Union Pacific Railroad (UPRR) underpass does not meet current design standards for vertical clearance, it is predicted to accommodate the forecasted traffic volume for approximately 20 years. Reconstruction of the UPRR underpass is not necessary to construct the B-10/SR-80 traffic intersection; and,

WHEREAS, the Mayor and the City Council, after holding several meetings with ADOT, have reached a consensus to endorse Alternative II as presented during the January 12, 2006 ADOT Public meeting; and,

WHEREAS, the Mayor, the City Council and the Citizens value their quality of life in Benson, ADOT will partner with the City of Benson to ensure that landscaping and aesthetic treatments meet the Citizens' approval.

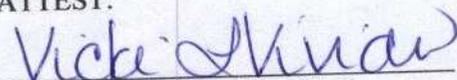
NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL that this Resolution shall serve as written evidence to ADOT of the City of Benson's support of the construction of the proposed traffic intersection at the B-10 and SR-80 junction.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BENSON, ARIZONA, this 12th day of June, 2006.



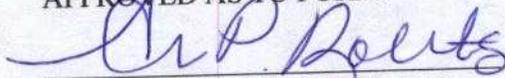
GEORGE SCOTT, Mayor

ATTEST:



VICKI L. VIVIAN, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



ANN P. ROBERTS, City Attorney