

Councilmember LeTourneau introduced the following resolution and moved for its adoption:

RESOLUTION #14-07-147

RESOLUTION REQUESTING REMOVAL OF THE SOUTHERLY ALIGNMENT OF RIVERDALE DRIVE EXTENSION EAST OF TUNGSTEN STREET FROM THE TRUNK HIGHWAY 10 ACCESS PLANNING STUDY.

WHEREAS, MnDOT and Anoka County, in cooperation with the Cities of Ramsey and Anoka, are conducting a Trunk Highway 10 (TH 10) Access Planning Study to re-examine and identify the ultimate amount, types and locations of access to TH 10 between the Anoka/Sherburne County line west of Ramsey and the Rum River in the City of Anoka; and

WHEREAS, numerous Concept Plans are being developed to study optional improvements along the corridor to limit access to TH 10 and reduce congestion at the at-grade intersections; and

WHEREAS, the southerly alignment of the Riverdale Drive extension east of Tungsten Street conflicts with a proposed subdivision along Rivlyn Avenue to the south; and

WHEREAS, an alternative alignment of Riverdale Drive extension east of Tungsten Street is also shown to the north abutting Highway 10; and

WHEREAS, the southerly alignment creates a double frontage for residential parcels on the north side of Rivlyn Avenue; and

WHEREAS, at least one (1) property owner impacted by the extension of Riverdale Drive east of Tungsten Street is opposed to both alignments; and

WHEREAS, the northerly alignment will allow a current land use application known as Ridgepoint to move forward as presented; and

WHEREAS, Village Bank, Applicant for Ridgepoint, has requested that the southerly alignment be removed from future consideration from the Highway 10 Access Planning Study; and

WHEREAS, maximum future land use options are preserved with the northerly alignment; and

WHEREAS, the City of Ramsey requests that the southerly alignment be removed from future consideration due to the availability of other more viable options.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RAMSEY, ANOKA COUNTY, STATE OF MINNESOTA:

- 1) The City Council hereby requests the removal of southerly alignment of the Riverdale Drive Extension east of Tungsten Street from the Trunk Highway 10 Access Planning Study.

The motion for the adoption of the foregoing resolution was duly seconded by Councilmember Riley, and upon vote being taken thereon, the following voted in favor thereof:

Mayor Strommen
Councilmember LeTourneau
Councilmember Riley
Councilmember Backous
Councilmember Johns
Councilmember Kuzma

and the following voted against the same:

None

and the following abstained:

None

and the following were absent:

Councilmember Tossey

Whereupon said resolution was declared duly passed and adopted by the Ramsey City Council this the 22nd day of July, 2014.

The motion for the adoption of the foregoing resolution was duly seconded by Councilmember Riley, and upon vote being taken thereon, the following voted in favor thereof:

Mayor Strommen
Councilmember LeTourneau
Councilmember Riley
Councilmember Backous
Councilmember Johns
Councilmember Kuzma

and the following voted against the same:

None

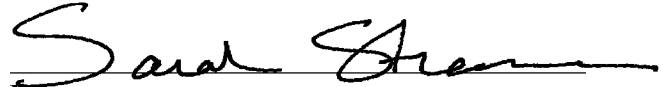
and the following abstained:

None

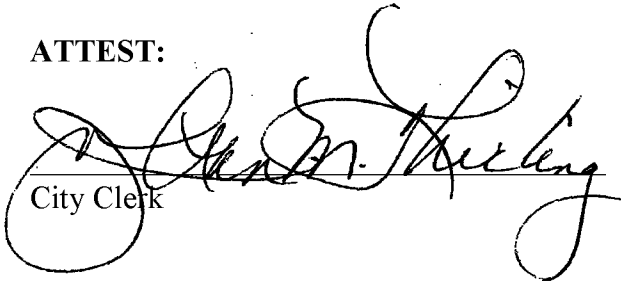
and the following were absent:

Councilmember Tossey

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Mayor

ATTEST:


City Clerk