



Legislation Text

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A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE WILLINGNESS OF THE CITY OF JONESBORO TO UTILIZE FEDERAL-AID MONIES FOR THE FOLLOWING PROJECT: HIGHWAY 49/CHRISTIAN VALLEY DRIVE INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS

WHEREAS, The City of Jonesboro understands Federal-aid Surface Transportation Block Grant Program funds are available for certain local projects at the following Federal, State, and City participating ratios with a maximum of \$1,000,000 Federal-aid available per project: <u>Type Work</u>	<u>Work Phase</u>	<u>Federal Share</u>	<u>State Share</u>	<u>City Share</u>
	Intersection	All Phases ⁽¹⁾	80%	10%
Projects designed but never progressed to construction	All Right-of-Way & Utilities ⁽²⁾	0%	0%	100%

(1) Non-reimbursable utility relocation costs will be borne solely by the owner of the utility company.

(2) All utility (reimbursable and non-reimbursable) relocation costs will be borne by the City if the project does not proceed to construction.

(3) The City share will be 10% unless the overall cost of the project exceeds \$1,250,000. If this occurs, 100% of the amount above \$1,250,000 will be the responsibility of the City.

WHEREAS, the Arkansas Department of Transportation has agreed to this arrangement and will provide funding for 10% of the project costs up to \$125,000 and will oversee all phases of the project; and

WHEREAS, the City has agreed to expeditiously relocate affected Sponsor owned utilities and be responsible for associated costs as defined in the Department’s Utility Accommodation Policy (available at

www.ardot.gov/LPA).

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF JONESBORO, ARKANSAS, THAT:

SECTION I: The City will participate in accordance with its designated responsibility in this project, which includes providing electrical service, maintenance of the traffic signal and associated control equipment, and 100% of any costs over the maximum available funds (\$1,000,000 Federal-aid and \$125,000 State match).

SECTION II: The Mayor, or their designated representative, is hereby authorized and directed to execute all appropriate agreements and contracts necessary to expedite the construction of this project.

SECTION III: The City pledges its full support and hereby authorizes the Arkansas Department of Transportation to initiate action to implement this project.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 18TH DAY OF JUNE 2024.