RESOLUTION NO. 2018 - 035

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF SOUTHWEST RANCHES, FLORIDA, RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING **BROWARD** COUNTY METROPOLITAN **PLANNING** THE (MPO) TO LONG-RANGE ORGANIZATION **AMEND** THE TRANSPORTATION PLAN, TO WIDEN GRIFFIN ROAD FROM SW 184TH AVENUE TO US 27 TO A FOUR-LANE ROADWAY; **AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, TOWN ADMINISTRATOR, AND TOWN** ATTORNEY TO EXECUTE ANY AND ALL DOCUMENTS DEEMED NECESSARY TO HELP EFFECTUATE THE AMENDMENT OF THE TRAFFICWAYS MAP; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Town to create a roadway system in the Town that is safe and ensures the health, safety, and welfare of the community; and

WHEREAS, Griffin Road is a two-lane road from SW 184th Avenue to US 27; and

WHEREAS, amendments to the Long-Range Transportation Plan may be initiated by a unit of local government; and

WHEREAS, due to the tremendous traffic demand along Griffin Road, the Town Council desires Griffin Road to be widened from a two-lane roadway to a four-lane roadway from 184th Avenue to US 27; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of Southwest Ranches respectfully requests the MPO to amend its Trafficways Plan to reflect this change; and

WHEREAS, this modification has been determined to be in the public's best interest.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF SOUTHWEST RANCHES, FLORIDA:

<u>Section 1.</u> The above-referenced recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein by reference.

Section 2. The Town Council hereby respectfully requests the Broward County MPO to amend its Long-Range Transportation Plan to widen Griffin Road from SW 184th Avenue to US 27 to a four-lane roadway.

<u>Section 3.</u> The Town Council hereby authorizes the Mayor, Town Administrator, and Town Attorney to execute any and all documents deemed necessary to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

Section 4. That this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Town Council of the Town of Southwest Ranches, Florida, this 8th day of March, 2018 on a motion by

Council Member Breitkreuz and seconded by Council Member Jablonski

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Attest

Russell Muñiz, Assistant Town Administrator/Town Clerk

Approved as to Form and Correctness:

Keith Poliakoff, Town Attorney

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