

RESOLUTION NO. 17-13

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF APACHE JUNCTION, ARIZONA ENDORSING AND SUPPORTING THE REGIONALLY SIGNIFICANT ROUTES FOR SAFETY AND MOBILITY UPDATE.

WHEREAS, most cities, towns, tribal communities and unincorporated areas of Pinal County are experiencing unprecedented growth creating considerable transportation needs for the traveling public; and

WHEREAS, developing a transportation system to accommodate the travel demands of the public is necessary to ensure a high quality of life and continued growth of Pinal County; and

WHEREAS, Pinal County and the cities, towns, and tribal communities within Pinal County wish to develop a safe and efficient transportation system in accordance with regional planning concepts acceptable to Pinal County; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of Pinal County and the cities, towns and tribal communities within Pinal County to develop a regional transportation plan that provides for a high level of mobility; encourages connectivity in transportation improvement projects and coordinates planning activities; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of Apache Junction supports the development of a regional transportation plan for Pinal County and commits staff to participate in efforts to develop a regional transportation plan to identify and preserve regionally significant routes; and

WHEREAS, the Regionally Significant Routes for Safety and Mobility Update includes a corridor preservation map for regionally significant routes to be used by Pinal County, the cities, towns and tribal communities for preserving rights-of-way as development occurs and implementing the routes according to the Regionally Significant Routes for Safety and Mobility study.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF APACHE JUNCTION, ARIZONA, AS FOLLOWS:

- 1) The mayor and city council endorses and supports the recommendations and findings of the Regionally Significant Routes for Safety and Mobility study and recommends its approval by the Pinal County Board of Supervisors; and
- 2) The mayor and city council may consider incorporating the identified corridors from the Regionally Significant Routes for Safety and Mobility Update into its transportation improvement plan and/or capital improvement program.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF APACHE JUNCTION, ARIZONA, THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2017.

SIGNED AND ATTESTED TO THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2017.

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JEFF SERDY  
Mayor

ATTEST:

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KATHLEEN CONNELLY  
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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R. JOEL STERN  
City Attorney