

## RESOLUTION OF THE HAMMOND CITY COUNCIL

*A resolution (1) approving the submission of a TIGER grant application for up to \$1.2 million to the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) to create a plan for the University Extension Corridor (LA 3234); (2) agreeing to a cash match of up to \$300,000 from the grant match fund; and (3) authorizing the Mayor to sign all grant-related documents.*

**WHEREAS**, DOT seeks to help American families in all communities gain better access to more transportation options, lower transportation costs, and a cleaner environment through its TIGER (Transportation Investment Generating Economic Recovery) program; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Hammond wishes to plan the University Extension corridor to ease congestion and to ensure safe and efficient travel while also providing complete streets that enable multiple modes of travel; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Hammond wants to coordinate such transportation planning with interdisciplinary factors such as economic development, education, and affordable housing; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Hammond is requesting a maximum of \$1.2 million for a TIGER grant to create a plan, complete with an environmental study, for the University Extension Corridor; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Hammond has agreed to a cash match of up to \$300,000 from the grant match fund.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE CITY OF HAMMOND HEREBY

1. Approves the submission of a TIGER grant application for up to \$1.2 million to the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) to create a plan for the University Extension Corridor (LA 3234).
2. Agrees to a cash match of up to \$300,000 from the grant match fund.
3. Authorizes the Mayor to sign all grant-related documents.

Approved and adopted this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

I, the undersigned Clerk of the Council, hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted by the Hammond City Council following roll call vote:

Yeas: \_\_\_      Nays: \_\_\_      Absent: \_\_\_

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Whitney Statham  
Hammond City Council Clerk

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Robert "Bobby" Martin  
Hammond City Council President