

RESOLUTION 87- 171

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA REQUESTING THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO WITHHOLD THE ISSUANCE OF A PERMIT FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO THE INTERSECTION OF US HIGHWAY 1 AND RACETRACK ROAD, A COUNTY ROAD UNTIL THE APPLICANT HAS COMPLIED WITH ST. JOHNS COUNTY REQUIREMENTS, INCLUDING COMPLIANCE WITH COUNTY ORDINANCE 86-4.

WHEREAS, St. Johns County Ordinance 86-4 as ammended requires the applicant to construct all roadways within the County to comply with County standards, and to submit plans for approval by St. Johns County. The applicant must also by law obtain permits from St. Johns County and post a construction bond to guarantee the satisfactory completion of construction, and

WHEREAS, Flood Engineers, Inc. had applied to the Florida Department of Transportation for a construction permit for the City Of Jacksonville without first applying to St. Johns County for permits to reconstruct a portion of Racetrack Road, a St. Johns County Road, and

WHEREAS, the application is in violation of St. Johns County Ordinance 86-4, and

WHEREAS, the construction proposed by the applicant will prevent St. Johns County from being able to economically complete plans for future improvements to the intersection and the grade separation of the road at the F.E.C. tracks, and will adversely effect the County's ability to obtain rights of way needed from the F.E.C Railroad.

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida as follows:

1. The proposed grade crossing is contrary to the interests of the public, and the cilizens of St. Johns County and should be denied.
2. If a crossing is to be permitted, the crossing must be a grade separation of Racetrack Road at the Florida East Coast Railroad tracks and U.S. 1.
3. Any permission to modify roads within St. Johns County must comply with St. Johns County Ordinance 86-4 and the future road improvement plans of St. Johns County.
4. The applicant shall post a construction bond to St. Johns County, and apply for a permit by St. Johns County prior to construction.

RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida, this 25 day of August, 1987.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

BY: Shyllis L. Lydon
Its Chairman

Attest: Carl "Bud" Markel, Clerk

By: Cheryl Kent
Deputy Clerk

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