

RESOLUTION NO. 97-155

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA, URGING THE JACKSONVILLE METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION (MPO) TO GIVE ITS HIGHEST PRIORITY TO FOUR-LANING THE FOLLOWING ROAD SEGMENT OF COUNTY ROAD 210 FROM I-95 WEST TO GREENBRIAR ROAD.

WHEREAS, CR 210 from I-95 West to Greenbriar Road in St. Johns County is currently a two-lane road needing improvement and is part of the CR 210 corridor receiving high priority by the Board of County Commissioners for funding through available state and federal highway funding sources; and

WHEREAS, the portion of CR 210 West that lies east of Greenbriar Road is contained within the Jacksonville Metropolitan Planning Organization planning area boundary; and

WHEREAS, CR 210 West is an east-west thoroughfare serving a large amount of through traffic that travels between Jacksonville and Clay County; and

WHEREAS, CR 210 West serves as a regional evacuation route for high hazard areas of St. Johns County along the St. Johns River; and

WHEREAS, St. Johns County will be paving and improving Greenbriar Road, to be completed by October 1998, which will divert traffic from SR 13 and further increase the traffic volumes on CR 210 West; and

WHEREAS, the capacity of CR 210 West is rapidly being diminished by increasing amounts of through traffic and additional development traffic; and

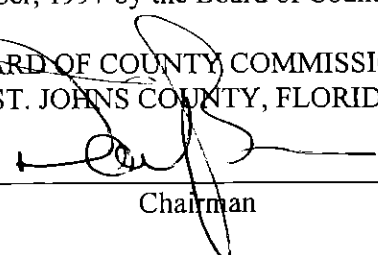
WHEREAS, CR 210 West is two lanes from I-95 to Greenbriar Road and its design and construction is substandard by current roadway standards, resulting in hazardous driving conditions; and

WHEREAS, based upon level of service standards adopted by St. Johns County, this roadway segment requires four-laning to meet transportation concurrency requirements.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida, that the Commission requests the Jacksonville Metropolitan Planning Organization to accelerate design and construct improvements by four-laning CR 210 from I-95 to Greenbriar Road for the purposes of enhancing traffic capacity and improving public safety.

PASSED AND ADOPTED, this 23rd day of September, 1997 by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: 
Chairman

ATTEST: CHERYL STRICKLAND, CLERK

By: 
Deputy Clerk