

RESOLUTION NUMBER 97-04

A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE INSTALLATION OF A TRAFFIC SIGNAL AT THE JUNCTION OF U.S. HIGHWAY 62/412 AND HARDING BOULEVARD, DENTON FERRY ROAD.

WHEREAS: The City Council of the City of Cotter, Arkansas commends the Arkansas Highway and Transportation Department for implementing sorely needed improvements on U.S. Highway 62/412 between Bobby Hopper Bridge and the City of Mountain Home, County Seat and business and medical center of Baxter County.

WHEREAS: Most traffic entering or leaving the City of Cotter must use the intersection of U.S. Highway 62/412 and Harding Boulevard, Denton Ferry Road.

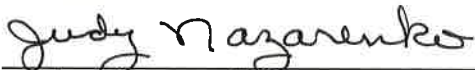
WHEREAS: The majority of children riding busses and the teachers and staff of Cotter Schools must use the intersection of U.S. Highway 62/412 during the busiest period of the day.

WHEREAS: The rapidly developing area along White River for a distance of six miles presently contains 240 homes, 3 resorts, and the very popular Wildcat Shoals Access Area. Most of this traffic uses the Intersection of U.S. Highway 62/412 and Denton Ferry Road, Harding Boulevard.

WHEREAS: Because of the tremendous flow of traffic during most of the day, the difficulty in entering or exiting the highway has caused several serious accidents with major injuries, and one recent tragic fatality.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COTTER ARKANSAS MEETING IN REGULAR SESSION: That the sole solution to the very dangerous condition at the intersection of U.S. Highway 62/412 and Harding Boulevard, Denton Ferry Road is the installation of traffic signals that would interrupt the flow of traffic just long enough to allow the school busses to turn, and traffic to enter the highway safely.

PASSED THIS 23rd DAY OF OCTOBER, 1997


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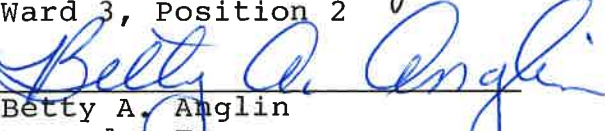

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