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RESOLUTION NO. R-02-05

Supporting Resurfacing Work on Valley Street

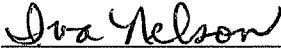
Whereas, in its present configuration as a two-lane road in the North Gadsden community, U. S. Highway 411 becomes extremely congested whenever a motor vehicle accident occurs and severely limits the ability of vehicles, including emergency vehicles, to get from the downtown area to the North Gadsden area; and

Whereas, Valley Street and its extension outside the city limits of Gadsden would provide one alternative means for traffic to go between North Gadsden and the Downtown Gadsden areas, but Valley Street and its extensions between Tuscaloosa Avenue and Highway 411 need to be resurfaced in order to handle such additional traffic; and

Whereas, representatives of the Etowah County Commission and Gadsden City Council will meet with officials of the Alabama Department of Transportation regarding assistance in resurfacing and improving Valley Street as an alternative when traffic becomes congested on Highway 411;

Now, Therefore, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GADSDEN, ALABAMA, that the City of Gadsden supports cooperative efforts between the Alabama Department of Transportation and the Etowah County Commission to resurface and improve Valley Street and encourages the funding and construction of this project as soon as possible.

I certify that the City Council of Gadsden, Alabama, duly adopted this resolution at a meeting held on January 4, 2005.



Iva Nelson, City Clerk