



COMMISSIONERS COURT COMMUNICATION

REFERENCE NUMBER _____

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DATE: 02/07/2023

**SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION AND ORDER DECREERING PUBLIC
NECESSITY FOR A PUBLIC PROJECT KNOWN AS MARKUM
RANCH ROAD LOCATED BETWEEN RANCHERS LEGACY TRAIL
AND ALEDO ROAD - PRECINCT 1**

***** CONSENT AGENDA *****

COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED

It is requested that the Commissioners Court approve a Resolution and Order Decreeing Public Necessity for a public project known as Markum Ranch Road located between Ranchers Legacy Trail and Aledo Road and authorize acquisition and payment of compensation for property.

BACKGROUND

The County has determined that it will be necessary to widen and improve this section of the above referenced project. Markum Ranch Road, located in Tarrant County Precinct 1, is currently part of the county road system and is maintained by the county. The project includes the reconstruction and widening of an asphalt surface road to a concrete surface road. The existing roadway is a two (2) lane 24' wide asphalt road. The proposed roadway would be three (3) lane, 39' wide concrete roadway with a continuous turn-lane throughout the project.

Existing right-of-way will be used for the widening and improvement of this road; however, the project requires acquisition of property for the areas where no right-of-way has been dedicated. The County is preparing to acquire the necessary right-of-way for this project.

FISCAL IMPACT

The estimate cost to acquire the necessary right-of-way is less than \$80,000.00. These funds are available in 552000-26100-2023-6510100000.

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