

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF NEW KENT
VIRGINIA**

R-40-16

At the regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the County of New Kent, in the Boardroom of the Administration Building in New Kent, Virginia, on the 8th day of August, 2016:

Present:	Vote:
Patricia Paige	Aye
W.R. Davis, Jr.	Aye
Thomas W. Evelyn	Aye
C. Thomas Tiller, Jr.	Aye
Ron Stiers	Aye

Motion was made by Mr. Evelyn, which carried 5:0, to adopt the following resolution:

**A RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THE ROUTE 106
ARTERIAL MANAGEMENT PLAN AND TO
DECLARE THE INTENTION THAT THIS
PLAN WILL BE INCORPORATED INTO THE
NEW KENT COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN
UPON ITS NEXT AMENDMENT**

WHEREAS, Route 106 is a major travel corridor in the community that has seen increases in traffic volumes over the years (especially tractor-trailer) leading to congestion and safety issues; and

WHEREAS, New Kent County was awarded \$130,000 in FY15 Federal Regional Surface Transportation Program (RSTP) funds and received \$40,000 in VDOT Cost Sharing funds, for a total of \$170,000, to fully fund an Arterial Management Planning Study for an approximate 1.5 mile portion of Route 106 at Exit 211; and

WHEREAS, New Kent County has been working closely with VDOT staff and staff from Kimley Horn & Associates on this study since June of 2015; and

WHEREAS, significant public outreach efforts have been made to solicit input on the study, both during private stakeholder meetings and publicly advertised meetings; and

WHEREAS, the Route 106 Arterial Management Plan (AMP) includes detailed technical analysis, documents existing conditions, forecasts future traffic volumes, then develops proposed typical sections for the corridor, an access management plan, and an intersection design plan; and

WHEREAS the Route 106 AMP provides a comprehensive understanding of the operational and capacity improvements necessary along Route 106 over the next twenty-plus years to accommodate existing and anticipated future growth and economic vitality within the study area and the County; and

WHEREAS, the Route 106 AMP will serve as a beneficial tool to both New Kent County and VDOT in their discussions with residents, land owners, and potential developers as they convey future plans and projects for the Route 106 corridor; and

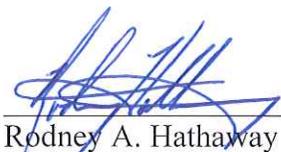
WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors finds that the Route 106 AMP is substantially in accord with the Comprehensive Plan and shall be incorporated into the Transportation component of the Comprehensive Plan upon its next Amendment; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors and the Planning Commission held a joint public hearing on the Route 106 AMP, and the Planning Commission voted 8:0:1 to forward a favorable recommendation to the Board of Supervisors; and

WHEREAS the Board of Supervisors finds that the Route 106 AMP will address, protect, and promote public convenience, necessity, general welfare, and good planning practices in the County and the health, safety, and general welfare of the citizens in the County;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that on this, the 8th day of August, 2016, by the New Kent County Board of Supervisors, that the Route 106 Arterial Management Plan be formally adopted with the intention of incorporating it into the County's Comprehensive Plan upon its next Amendment.

Attest:



Rodney A. Hathaway
County Administrator



Ron Stiers
Chairman