

Lake County Illinois

Legislation Text

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Joint resolution authorizing an agreement with the Commuter Rail Division of the Regional Transportation Authority (Metra), Chicago, Illinois, providing the terms and conditions for the Winchester Road improvement at the railroad crossing, and designated as Section 10-00151-22-CH.

- Winchester Road and County Access Road: Metra Construction Agreement.
- Winchester Road will be improved at the west County campus access road.
- This improvement will include adding left turn lanes east bound into the west County access road and west bound into Butler Lake Park, and a barrier median at the Metra tracks.
- This improvement will also require Metra to perform work at the railroad crossing at an estimated cost of \$458,730.
- Lake County will reimburse Metra for the cost of this work.
- This resolution authorizes the execution of an agreement for the railroad crossing work and the reimbursement to Metra.
- The appropriation for these funds is included in the Winchester Road improvement construction appropriation.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Winchester Road, County Highway 69, is a designated route on the County highway system; and

WHEREAS, Winchester Road is in need of left turn lanes, east bound into the west County access road and west bound into Butler Lake Park, and a barrier median at the Metra tracks; and

WHEREAS, this improvement will also require Metra to perform work at the railroad crossing at an estimated cost of \$458,730; and

WHEREAS, Lake County will reimburse Metra for the cost of this work; and

WHEREAS, appropriation for these funds is included in the Winchester Road improvement construction appropriation; and

WHEREAS, Lake County and Metra are desirous of entering into an agreement stating the current terms and conditions by which Lake County will reimburse Metra for said construction work, a draft copy of which is attached hereto.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the County Board Chair, the County Clerk, and the County Engineer of Lake County, Illinois, are authorized and they are hereby directed to execute an agreement and any subsequent amendments, between Lake County and Metra, Chicago, Illinois, stating the terms and conditions by which Lake County will reimburse Metra, Chicago, Illinois, for the completion of construction for the Winchester Road improvement in consideration of the estimated

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sum of \$458,730.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Engineer shall transmit, in writing, the final agreement and any amendments to be executed by the County Board Chair and the County Clerk.

DATED at Waukegan, Illinois on October 8, 2013.