## PROPOSED RESOLUTION 23-04

Be it resolved by the Quorum Court of Faulkner County, State of Arkansas: A resolution expressing the willingness of Faulkner County to utilize Federal-Aid monies for the following county project:

## Highway 25/Elliott Road Intersection Improvements

WHEREAS: Faulkner County understands Federal-aid Surface Transportation Block Grant Program funds are available for certain County projects at the following Federal, State, and Local participating ratios up to a maximum of \$1,000,000 Federal-aid available per project:

Type Work	Work Phase	Federal	State	County
		Share	Share	Share
Intersection Improvements	All Phases <sup>1</sup>	80%	10%	10%³
Projects designed but never progressed to construction  All Right of Way and Utilities <sup>2</sup>		0%	0%	100%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Non-reimbursable utility relocation costs will be borne solely by the owner of the utility company. <sup>2</sup>All utility (reimbursable and non-reimbursable) relocation costs will be borne by the County if the project does not proceed to construction.

WHEREAS, the Arkansas Department of Transportation has agreed to this arrangement and will provide funding for 10% of the project costs up to \$125,000 and will oversee all phases of the project.

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE QUORUM COURT OF FAULKNER COUNTY, ARKANSAS, THAT:

**SECTION 1:** The County will participate in accordance with its designated responsibility in this project, including maintenance of this project, and 100% of any costs over the maximum available funds (\$1,000,000 Federal-aid and \$125,000 State match).

**SECTION 2:** The County Judge, or their designated representative, is hereby authorized and directed to execute all appropriate agreements and contracts necessary to expedite the construction of this project.

**SECTION 3:** The County pledges its full support and hereby authorizes the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department to initiate action to implement this project.

The County share will be 10% unless the overall cost of the project exceeds \$1,250,000. If this occurs, 100% of the amount above \$1,250,000 will be the responsibility of the County.

## THIS RESOULUTION adopted this $16^{th}$ day of May, 2023.

Dated:	May 16, 2023	Dated:	May	16,	2023

Attest:	Affirm:

Margaret Darter
Faulkner County Secretariat
Faulkner County, Arkansas

Allen Dodson Faulkner County Judge Faulkner County, Arkansas