

City Council – Action Request Form

Date: December 14, 2020

To: Mayor, Mayor Pro Tempore, and Members of the City Council

From: Damon Dequenne, Assistant City Manager
Toneq' McCullough, Director of Transportation

Council Action Requested:

Resolution Approving Changes in the State Highway Secondary Road System Within the Existing Corporate Limits of the City of Winston-Salem, North Carolina

Strategic Focus Area: Quality Transportation
Strategic Objective: Improve Integrated Road Network
Strategic Plan Action Item: No
Key Work Item: No



Periodically, the City and the North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) staff review streets located within the corporate limits of the City of Winston-Salem to determine if any streets should be changed from the NCDOT system to the City system or changed from the City system to the NCDOT system.

A resolution approving these changes is needed from the City Council for consideration by the NCDOT. The changes reflected in this resolution include:

1. 0.2 mi of Liberty Street to be transferred from the NCDOT system to the City System.
2. 0.18 mi of Main Street to be transferred from the NCDOT system to the City System.
3. 0.65 mi of Old Salem Rd to be transferred from the NCDOT system to the City System.

This transfer will occur following the NCDOT Board of Transportation approval. Transferring these street segments from the NCDOT system to the City system will expedite design and construction for the two-way conversion of Liberty and Main Streets as well as the utility infrastructure work related to the Old Salem Infrastructure Improvements Projects. Concerns were raised regarding the condition of the existing storm water drainage system. The limits proposed were recommended by WSDOT and the Traffic Field Office to minimize future maintenance responsibility. The appropriate Powell Bill Funds will be available for this street. A description and limit for these street segments are attached.

Committee Action:

Committee Public Works 12/15/2020 **Action** Approval

For Unanimous **Against** _____

Remarks: