RESOLUTION NO. 95-M-06

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ORANGE BLOSSOM TRAIL DEVELOPMENT BOARD TO APPLY FOR A HIGHWAY BEAUTIFICATION GRANT WITH THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.

1. The Board of County Commissioners of Orange County, Florida desires that Orange County beautify and improve various rights-of-way within Orange County by landscaping.

2. The City Council of the City of Orlando and the Board of County Commissioners of Orange County, Florida, hereinafter referred to as the "County", through an interlocal agreement formed the Orange Blossom Trail Development Board, Inc. to accomplish the planning and implementation of activities, development, public and private improvements and other projects intended to revitalize the Orange Blossom Trail.

3. The County has been informed that the Orange Blossom Trail Development Board wishes to apply for a Highway Beautification Grant from the Florida Department of Transportation to landscape portions within a right-of-way green belt in front of Orlando Central Park.

4. The County is being requested to provide funds from the Orange Blossom Trail Corridor Improvements and Orange Blossom Trail Neighborhood Improvements Municipal Services Taxing Units ("MSTU") to match those funds which may be awarded through the Florida Department of Transportation Highway Beautification Grant up to an amount of one hundred and fifty thousand and no/100 dollars ($150,000.00).
5. The County specifically recognizes that maintenance of landscape improvements to the right-of-way green belt in front of Orlando Central Park shall be the ongoing responsibility of the Orange Blossom Trail Development Board, Inc. and incorporated as part of other MSTU project maintenance.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ORANGE COUNTY:

Section 1. The County hereby authorizes the Orange Blossom Trail Development Board, Inc.'s application for a Highway Beautification Grant from the State of Florida Department of Transportation.

Section 2. The County hereby authorizes the use of up to one hundred fifty thousand and no/100 dollars ($150,000.00) payable from the Orange Blossom Trail Corridor Improvement and Orange Blossom Neighborhood Improvement MSTU as a local match of funds which may be awarded by the Florida Department of Transportation Highway Beautification Grant in accordance with a Memorandum of Agreement to be executed by the Florida Department of Transportation and the Orange Blossom Trail Development Board.
Section 3. This Resolution shall take effect upon adoption.

ADOPTED THIS 31ST DAY OF JANUARY, 1995.

ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

BY: Bob Freeman
    For the County Chairman

DATE: 1/31/95

ATTEST: Martha O. Haynie, County Comptroller
As Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners

BY: Deputy Clerk