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**RESOLUTION NO. 96-LEG-03**

**A RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT FOR CONGRESSMAN  
JOHN L. MICA'S EFFORTS TO OBTAIN FEDERAL  
FUNDING TO IMPROVE A PORTION OF INTERSTATE- 4  
OF THE FEDERAL INTERSTATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM**

WHEREAS, that section of Interstate 4 running through Orange County was built to serve a capacity of 68,000 cars per day but presently has a traffic count approaching 170,000 cars per day; and

WHEREAS, the long-term road improvement projects provided for in the Interstate 4 Master Plan study will not be completed until approximately the year 2020 and it is crucial that short-term measures be taken to alleviate the situation; and

WHEREAS, at the request of Congressman John L. Mica, the Florida Department of Transportation has devised an expedient, cost-effective plan to ease the most congested 12-mile stretch of I-4 which could improve I-4 capacity by 20% in the near future; and

WHEREAS, Congressman Mica is presently seeking federal funding to implement the aforementioned plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY

COMMISSIONERS OF ORANGE COUNTY:

Section 1. The foregoing recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein.

47 Section 2. The Orange County Board of County Commissioners hereby fully supports, confirms  
and encourages Congressman Mica in his efforts to get federal funding to implement the plan  
49 proposed by the Florida Department of Transportation.

51 Section 3. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

53 Adopted this 1st day of October, 1996.



ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

59 BY: Jean C Bennett  
for County Chairman

61 DATE: **OCT 15 1996**

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

67 BY: Martha O. Haynie  
69 Deputy Clerk