

RESOLUTION CR-17-09
A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR
TO SUBMIT A LOGISTICS AND DISTRIBUTION APPLICATION
FOR THE OHIO STIMULUS PACKAGE FOR I-71/SR 665 INTERCHANGE

WHEREAS, the City of Grove City has pursued improvements to the I-71/SR 665 Interchange due to safety, congestion and bridge deterioration, and geometric deficiencies for several years; and

WHEREAS, companies in the I-71/SR 665 Interchange area employ over 2,600 employees, including the second largest ground FedEx facility in the United States, which recently underwent a \$50 million expansion that created more than 200 new jobs; and

WHEREAS, companies in the I-71/SR 665 Interchange area face daily delays to their logistical movements due to congestion and the obsolete design of the interchange for its current use; and

WHEREAS, the I-71/SR 665 interchange area has been identified by MORPC's Rickenbacker Infrastructure Coordinating Committee as a high priority project, and a primary interstate access point for the Rickenbacker area; and

WHEREAS, the City of Grove City has secured approximately \$20 million dollars in funding for the I-71/SR 665 Interchange from the Federal Government, the Ohio Department of Transportation, the Mid Ohio Regional Planning Commission; and the Ohio Public Works Commission; and

WHEREAS, the City of Grove City has funded \$14 million in the City's efforts and investment for Phase 1, Phase 2 and has completed the preliminary interchange engineering for the I-71/SR 665 Interchange; and

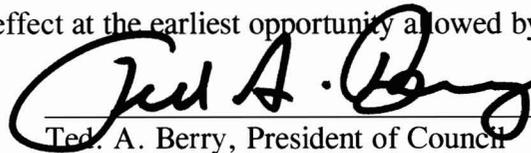
WHEREAS, the I-71/SR 665 Interchange project for Phase 3 will cost approximately \$29 million; and

WHEREAS, the Ohio Department of Development is accepting applications for Logistics and Distribution funds from the Ohio Stimulus Package in the amount of \$2 million.

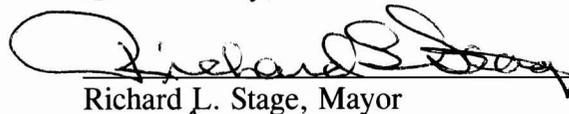
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GROVE CITY, STATE OF OHIO, THAT:

SECTION 1. The City Administrator is hereby authorized to submit an application for funding through the Ohio Stimulus Package.

SECTION 2. This resolution shall take effect at the earliest opportunity allowed by law.



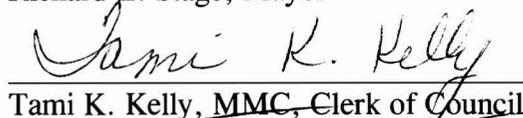
Ted A. Berry, President of Council



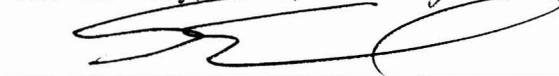
Richard L. Stage, Mayor

Passed: 04-20-09
Effective: 04-20-09

Attest:



Tami K. Kelly, MMC, Clerk of Council



Stephen J. Smith, Director of Law

— I Certify that this resolution
is correct as to form.