

Resolution 2007 - 14

WHEREAS, Senators Rielly and Noble, Chair and Ranking Member respectively of the Transportation Committee, are seeking input concerning transportation needs with public meetings that are being held throughout the state; and

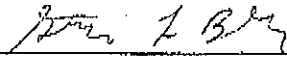
WHEREAS, the Road Use Tax Fund is an important source of support for construction and maintenance projects at the city, county and state level; and

WHEREAS, the Iowa Good Roads Association, a consortium of public and private individuals and organizations, has promoted the TIME-21 program (Transportation Investment Moves the Economy in the 21st Century) to underscore that steady deterioration of the construction dollar; and

WHEREAS, TIME 21 concurs with the Iowa Department of Transportation's request for an additional \$200 million added to the R.U.T.F. that would be committed to roadway infrastructure and would be generated by increasing transportation-related fees as outlined in the study and secured through the public meetings;

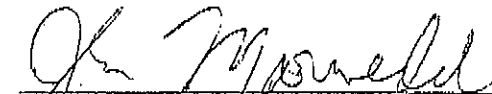
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Panora recognizes the vital role that our transportation system performs for Iowa and encourages the legislature to consider funding alternatives to increase revenue to the Road Use Tax Fund.

Passed and approved the 29th day of March 2007



Mayor Steven Baker

Attest:



Jim Marwedel, City Clerk