RESOLUTION 2018-19

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF CUMBERLAND SUPPORTING
AN ADDITIONAL I-70 INTERCHANGE

WHEREAS, the Town of Cumberland is located on the Marion County – Hancock County border with our southern boundary along US 40 and our northern most border at I-70;

WHEREAS, easy access to downtown Indianapolis is important to many of our residents who commute to and from jobs daily;

WHEREAS, convenient interstate access is also desirable to those looking to visit Cumberland or do business in Cumberland;

WHEREAS, convenient interstate access is also important to ensure easy access to the Town of Cumberland for emergency services;

WHEREAS, current interstate access is over 3 miles from Cumberland boundaries and is not quickly accessible due to multiple stop lights, stop signs, and other issues;

WHEREAS, an additional interchange at I-70 and German Church Road would only be 1.4 miles from Cumberland;

WHEREAS, the Town of Cumberland recognizes the area of I-70 and German Church Road consists of mostly single family homes and any interchange design should be sensitive to this current use.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Town Council of the Town of Cumberland, Indiana, that we are supportive of an additional interchange in the area of German Church and I-70 as it would give better access to Cumberland. Along with an interchange we would encourage a context sensitive design or development plan which would be sensitive to and seek to enhance the area’s current makeup of mostly single-family homes.


Cumberland Town Council:

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