RESOLUTION #2021-001 SUNNY BEACH ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROJECT (Local Road Improvement Program)

WHEREAS, Harris Township has applied for up to \$1.25M in funding through the Minnesota Department of Transportation Local Road Improvement Program (LRIP), and funded by the Minnesota Legislature 2020 Bonding Bill; and

WHEREAS, Harris Township is being sponsored by Itasca County (Transportation Department); and

WHEREAS, Harris Township's road improvement project is to rehabilitate the pavement structure of Sunny Beach Road, located in Itasca County, which began in 2017; and

WHEREAS, Sunny Beach Road was rehabilitated 20+ years ago, and the road surface has severe cracking, resulting in unsafe driving conditions; and

WHEREAS, Harris Township's intent is to extend the life of Sunny Beach Road, and address critical safety and operation needs through improvements to the existing road; and

WHEREAS, Sunny Beach Road parallels the North Shore of Pokegama Lake, is densely populated, and has a traffic volume in excess of 1000 vehicles a day; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, Harris Township Board commits to funding engineering plans and specifications, and any amounts above an LRIP award; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, Harris Township Board fully supports the application and proposed Sunny Beach Road project.

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Approved on this 2 day of January 2021

Roxanne Christie, Clerk

Ken Haubrich, Chair

