

**RESOLUTION 2017-986**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CAMP VERDE, YAVAPAI COUNTY, ARIZONA, IN SUPPORT OF THE I-17 ANTHEM TO CORDES JUNCTION INFRASTRUCTURE FOR REBUILDING AMERICA (INFRA) GRANT**

**WHEREAS**, the above matter came before the Town of Camp Verde. The Mayor and Common Council of the Town of Camp Verde along with the Metropolitan Planning Organization, County and other municipal officials, have met to discuss the importance of the Interstate 17 (I-17) corridor to Arizona; and,

**WHEREAS**, the I-17 corridor has been identified by the Arizona Department of transportation (ADOT) as a "Key Commerce Corridor"; and,

**WHEREAS**, the I-17 corridor plays a significant role in the movement of people, goods, and services across the State of Arizona; and,

**WHEREAS**, the concern over the increasing amount of crashes on I-17, specifically between Black Canyon City and Cordes Junction, causing complete shut downs of the I-17 corridor affect not only the region, but all of Arizona; and,

**WHEREAS**, uncertain transportation funding will affect the economic vitality, mobility, safety, and general welfare of the region, as well as all of Arizona; and,

**WHEREAS**, Governor Ducey, the Legislature, elected officials and staff, transportation professionals, the business community, and private citizens acknowledge the need to seek out alternate transportation funding mechanisms; and,

**WHEREAS**, Central Yavapai Metropolitan Planning Organization (CYMPO) and the Town of Camp Verde determined that the acceleration of the identified I-17 project is in the public's best interest; and,

**WHEREAS**, the required I-17 improvements exceed the capacity of current transportation revenue fund sources; and,

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Town of Camp Verde Mayor and Common Council formally declares support of the Arizona Department of Transportation's INFRA Grant Application, to deliver improvements for the entire I-17 corridor.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** this Date October 18, 2017

  
Charles German, Mayor

Attest:

  
Judy Morgan, Town Clerk

Approved as to form:

  
William Sims, Town Attorney