RESOLUTION NO. 6-396

RESOLUTION URGING THAT STH 81 THROUGH THE CITY OF BELOIT BE REDESIGNATED AS A LONG TRUCK ROUTE

- WHEREAS, Southwestern Wisconsin needs improved highway access to the major urban center surrounding our region, including the Chicago Urban area, and
- WHEREAS, STH 81 through the city of Beloit has been a key transportation link for our area by serving as a long truck route, and
- WHEREAS, as of January 1, 1996 the Rule designating STH 81 through the city of Beloit as a long truck route expired and long trucks can no longer travel this route, and
- WHEREAS, the loss of this route is having significant impacts on key industries in southwestern Wisconsin.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Iowa County Board of Supervisors hereby goes on record urging the enactment of an emergency rule to immediately reopen STH 81 through the city of Beloit as a long truck route.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the board urges the Wisconsin Department of Transportation and the State Legislature to move as quickly as possible to complete the proposed STH 81 bypass of Beloit so as to provide a permanent solution to this problem.

Adopted this	18th	_day of _	March	, 1996.
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