

RESOLUTION NO. 2015- 15

**SUPPORT RESOLUTION FOR UNITED STATES BIKE ROUTE 50  
HENDRICKS COUNTY, INDIANA**

**Whereas:** bicycle tourism is a growing industry in North America, contributing \$47 billion a year to the economies of communities that provide facilities for such tourists; and

**Whereas:** the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO) has designated an east-west corridor crossing Indiana to be developed as United States Bike Route 50 (USBR 50), and

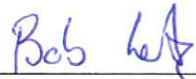
**Whereas:** Bicycle Indiana and the Adventure Cycling Association, with the cooperation of the Indiana Department of Transportation and other stakeholders, have proposed a specific route to be designated as USBR 50, a map of which is herein incorporated into this resolution by reference, and

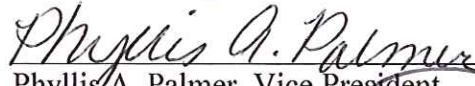
**Whereas:** the proposed route for USBR 50 comes through Hendricks County and can therefore provide a benefit to our residents and businesses, and

**Whereas:** we have investigated the proposed route and found it to be a suitable route, and desire that the route be designated so that it can be mapped and signed, thereby promoting bicycle tourism in our area,


**Therefore:** be it resolved that the Hendricks County Board of Commissioners hereby expresses its approval and support for the development of USBR 50, and requests that the appropriate officials see to it that the route is officially designated by AASHTO as soon as this can be achieved, and authorizes the posting of signs within the Hendricks County, Indiana right of way identifying the route through the community once the official designation has been made. Prior to placing any USBR 50 signs in the County right of way, a USBR 50 representative must obtain the approval of the Hendricks County Engineer of the sign size, of the locations and of the number of signs to be placed along the roads in the jurisdiction of Hendricks County. The Hendricks County Engineer will not unreasonably withhold the approval of the signs. Adoption of this resolution by the Hendricks County Board of Commissioners does not make a commitment for or imply any financial support by the Hendricks County Board of Commissioners to fund the construction and signs or other improvements associated with the USBR50.

Adopted this 12<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2015 by the Hendricks County Board of Commissioners.

  
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Bob Gentry, President

  
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Phyllis A. Palmer, Vice President

  
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Matthew D. Whetstone, Member

ATTEST:   
Cinda Kattau, Auditor

## US Bicycle Route 50 Hendricks County, Indiana

From west to east, the proposed US Bicycle Route 50 passes through Hendricks County, Indiana along US 40, S Center St, Black Oak Dr, and E Camby Rd.

A full map of proposed USBR 50 in Indiana can be viewed at <https://www.google.com/maps/d/edit?mid=zMs2GNvirRBY.k3qtgKecVJ4Q>.

