

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

*Anoka County, Minnesota*

DATE: September 8, 2009

RESOLUTION #2009-92

OFFERED BY COMMISSIONER: Lang

**NEGATIVE DECLARATION ON THE NEED FOR AN EIS FOR  
SP 02-652-05, SP 02-716-09 (CSAH 52/CSAH 116 PROJECT)  
AND APPROVAL OF DISTRIBUTION OF NOTICE OF DECISION**

WHEREAS, Anoka County is the Responsible Governmental Unit (RGU) for SP 02-652-05, SP 02-716-09 (CSAH 52/CSAH 116 Project), herein referred to as the "project"; and,

WHEREAS, Minnesota Rule 4410.4300, Subp. 22(B), requires that an Environmental Assessment Worksheet be prepared for the project; and,

WHEREAS, an Environmental Assessment/Environmental Assessment Worksheet (EA/EAW) has been prepared as part of the National Environmental Policy Act process and the state environmental process to fulfill the requirements of both 42 U.S.C. 4332 and Minnesota Statute 116D, and has been circulated for review and comment; and,

WHEREAS, based on the information contained in the CSAH 52/CSAH 116 EA/EAW and comments received on the EA/EAW, findings of fact include:

The type and extent of environmental effects are similar to effects associated with other road construction projects, and the project does not have the potential for significant environmental effects.

No cumulative potential effects of related or anticipated future projects exist that would pose significant environmental effects.

The anticipated environmental effects are subject to mitigation as required by ongoing regulatory authorities.

The extent of environmental effects can be anticipated and controlled as a result of experience with other similar highway improvement projects with similar environmental effects; and,

WHEREAS, no regulatory reviewing agencies indicate a need for an EIS; and,

WHEREAS, based on criteria in Minnesota Rule 4410.1770, the project does not have significant environmental effects:


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the EA/EAW for the project is adequate and a negative declaration is made on the need for an EIS.

BE IF FURTHER RESOLVED that the Anoka County Board of Commissioners approves the distribution of the Notice of Decision documenting this decision.

STATE OF MINNESOTA)  
 COUNTY OF ANOKA ) SS

I, Terry L. Johnson, County Administrator, Anoka County, Minnesota, hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy of the resolution of the county board of said county with the original record thereof on file in the Administration Office, Anoka County, Minnesota, as stated in the minutes of the proceedings of said board at a meeting duly held on September 8, 2009, and that the same is a true and correct copy of said original record and of the whole thereof, and that said resolution was duly passed by said board at said meeting.

Witness my hand and seal this 8th day of September 2009.

  
 TERRY L. JOHNSON  
 COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR

	<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>
DISTRICT #1 – BERG	X	
DISTRICT #2 – LANG	X	
DISTRICT #3 – WEST	X	
DISTRICT #4 – KORDIAK	X	
DISTRICT #5 – LEDOUX		Absent
DISTRICT #6 – SIVARAJAH	X	
DISTRICT #7 – ERHART	X	