

**RESOLUTION NO. 24-16**  
**A RESOLUTION OF CONCURRENCE**  
**REGARDING REVISIONS TO THE NATIONAL HIGHWAY SYSTEM (NHS)**  
**IN THE MACOG PLANNING REGION**

WHEREAS, the Michiana Area Council of Governments (MACOG) being the duly designated Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for the South Bend and Elkhart/Goshen Urbanized Areas; and

WHEREAS, the MACOG is the designated Rural Planning Organization (RPO) for Marshall and Kosciusko Counties; and

WHEREAS, the MPO and RPO functions is to efficiently administer regional planning programs for the region in cooperation with local governmental units and implementing agencies; and

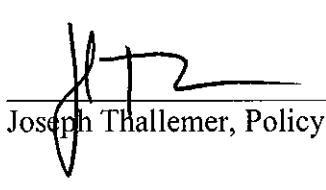
WHEREAS, the State transportation agency, in consultation with responsible local officials, shall have the responsibility for proposing all official actions regarding the designation, or revision, of the Federal-aid highway systems, including the National Highway System (NHS), per the Code of Federal Regulations (23 CFR § 470.1109).

WHEREAS, responsible local officials in Elkhart, St. Joseph, Kosciusko, and Marshall Counties, Indiana, cooperated and provided input to the NHS revision process initiated by the Indiana Department of Transportation through the MACOG planning process; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Policy Board of the Michiana Area Council of Governments approves the revised National Highway System in the MACOG four county planning region as indicated on the attached map and route listing, and authorizes its submittal to the Indiana Department of Transportation and the Federal Highway Administration.

**RESOLVED THIS 11<sup>th</sup> Day of May, 2016**

Michiana Area Council of Governments

  
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Joseph Thallemer, Policy Board Chair