

RESOLUTION

of the

ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Regarding

THE GREEN MOUNTAIN SCENIC BYWAY

Resolution No. 2005-M-08

WHEREAS, the Secretary of the Florida Department of Transportation has designated portions of Lake County Roads 455 and Old Highway 50 a Florida State Scenic Highway known as the Green Mountain Scenic Byway; and

WHEREAS, citizens have formed a committee known as the Green Mountain Scenic Byway Corridor Advocacy Group ("Citizens Group") for the purpose of preserving, maintaining, and enhancing the intrinsic resources of the Green Mountain Scenic Byway corridor through community based consensus and partnerships, and to seek economic benefits to the citizens of Lake and Orange Counties that may result from the Scenic Highway designation; and

WHEREAS, the southern terminus of the Green Mountain Scenic Byway is located at the Lake and Orange County line; and

WHEREAS, the portion of roadway known variously as Old State Road 50, Oakland Avenue, and Orange County Road 438 lying between the Lake and Orange County line and the intersection with Avalon and Tildenville School Roads ("Roadway") exhibits significant, exceptional, and distinctive historic, scenic, natural, and recreational features of the region it traverses; and

WHEREAS, the Citizens Group feels the addition of the Roadway to the Green Mountain Scenic Byway corridor will advance the goals of the Citizens Group and benefit the citizens and the natural environment of the region.

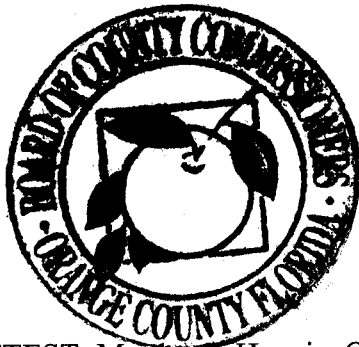
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA:

Section 1. Orange County hereby supports the Citizens Group's effort to add the portion of roadway known variously as Old State Road 50, Oakland Avenue, and Orange County Road 438 lying between the Lake and Orange County line and the intersection with Avalon and Tildenville School Roads to the Green Mountain Scenic Byway corridor, and encourages the Florida State Scenic Highway Advisory Committee to favorably review any such application submitted by the Citizens Group.

Section 2. Severability. If any provision of this resolution or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of this resolution which can be given effect without the valid provision or application and to this end the provisions of this resolution are declared severable.

Section 3. Effective Date. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

DONE AND RESOLVED this 8th day of March, 2005.



ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA
By: Board of County Commissioners

By: [Signature]
Richard T. Crotty
Orange County Mayor

ATTEST: Martha O. Haynie, Orange County Comptroller
As Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners

By: [Signature]
Deputy Clerk