

**CITY OF MONROE  
RESOLUTION NO. 020/2015**

REQUESTING THE STATE OF WASHINGTON  
APPROPRIATE SUFFICIENT FUNDING TO FINISH STATE  
ROUTE 522, SPECIFICALLY THE PROJECTS: SR522 –  
PARADISE LAKE ROAD TO SNOHOMISH RIVER  
WIDENING AND SR522 – PARADISE LAKE ROAD  
INTERCHANGE

WHEREAS, in 2014, the average daily trips for SR522 was 26,000 between Main Street and the Snohomish River and between the Snohomish River and the stoplight at Paradise Lake Road; and

WHEREAS, the City of Monroe appreciates and acknowledges the recent completion of a widening SR522 from US2 to the Snohomish River; and

WHEREAS, the State of Washington identifies two additional projects to be completed on SR522, these projects being "SR522 – Paradise Lake Road to Snohomish River Widening" and "SR522 – Paradise Lake Road Interchange"; and

WHEREAS, sufficient funding has not been allocated to complete the remaining projects, including that in 2015, the State of Washington adopted a multi-year transportation package that did not allocate funds to finish SR522's remaining projects; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of the Monroe School District adopted Resolution No. 15-2015 on October 12, 2015, in which the Board identified challenges the District has transporting school children and employees along SR522 as a result of the bottleneck of four-lane traffic needing to merge into two-lane traffic; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that funding and finishing SR522's remaining projects is of paramount importance to the City of Monroe, Sky Valley residents, Maltby Area residents, and Sky Valley employers.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Monroe City Council requests that State of Washington appropriate sufficient funds to finish "**SR 522 – Paradise Lake Road to Snohomish River Widening**" and "**SR 522 – Paradise Lake Road Interchange.**"

ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Monroe, at its regular meeting thereof, and APPROVED by the Mayor this 13th day of October, 2015.

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CITY OF MONROE, WASHINGTON

  
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Geoffrey Thomas, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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Elizabeth M. Smoot, MMC, City Clerk