

**RESOLUTION**  
**SUPPORT FOR THE RENEWAL OF THE YORK COUNTY**  
**“PENNIES FOR PROGRESS” ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM**

WHEREAS, the Rock Hill City Council acknowledges the first two “Pennies For Progress” programs approved by voters in 1997 and 2003, have brought positive results to road improvements in Rock Hill and throughout York County and have resulted in improved public safety, economic development, and a high quality of life for Rock Hill residents; and

WHEREAS, the City Council recognizes that the roads approved in the 2003 “Pennies For Progress” not only provide for safer, more efficient and less congested roads for the people who travel in our city, but it also helps ensure that Rock Hill and York County remain the best places to live, work, and play; and

WHEREAS, the roads projects proposed in the “Third Pennies For Progress” program includes widening roads, improving intersections with high accident rates, paving numerous connector gravel roads, and constructing pedestrian and other safety improvements; and

WHEREAS, the additional one-cent sales tax will raise approximately \$161 million for road improvements that would most likely not occur without the tax, thus causing a growing county to fall even further behind in addressing serious transportation needs;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Rock Hill City Council officially endorses this proposal and urges residents of Rock Hill and residents of York County to look favorably on this resolution and support the passage of the subsequent citizen referendum.

AGREED AND APPROVED on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2011.

Attest:

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Doug Echols, Mayor

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Anne Poag, Municipal Clerk