OMAHA TRIBE OF NEBRASKA

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RESOLUTION NO. 22- 62
OF THE
OMAHA TRIBE OF NEBRASKA

RE: ***Long Range Transportation Plan to include Submittal of Tribal Transportation Improvement Plan ("TTIP")***

WHEREAS: The Omaha Tribe of Nebraska is federally recognized Indian tribe of organized under a constitution and bylaws approved by the Secretary of Interior on April 30, 1936, pursuant to Section 16 of the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934; and

WHEREAS: pursuant to Article III, Sec.1 of the constitution of the Omaha Tribe of Nebraska, the governing body of the Omaha Tribe shall also be known as Tribal Council; and

WHEREAS: pursuant to Article IV, Sec. 1 (g) of the constitution of the Omaha Tribe of Nebraska the governing body of the Omaha Tribe shall also be known as Tribal council; and

WHEREAS: Article IV, Section 1 (c) of the Constitution of the Omaha Tribe of Nebraska provides the Omaha Tribal Council with the power to approve or veto any sale, disposition, lease, or encumbrance of tribal lands, interests in lands or other tribal assets, which may be authorized or executed by the Secretary of the Interior, the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, or any other qualified official or agency of government, providing that no reservation lands shall ever be leased for a period exceeding ten (10) years, sold, or encumbered, except for governmental purposes; and,

WHEREAS: Article IV, Section 1 (j) of the Constitution of the Omaha Tribe of Nebraska provides the Omaha Tribal Council with the power to safeguard and promote the economy and general welfare of the Omaha Tribe; and,

WHEREAS: the Omaha Tribal Council, pursuant to Article IV, (1) j, has the responsibility to *safeguard, promote and enforce the peace, economy, safety, law and order, and general welfare of the Tribe and the Omaha Indian Reservation*; and

WHEREAS: the Omaha Tribe qualifies for services and benefits under the Tribal Transportation Program (TPP); and

WHEREAS: the Omaha Tribal Council wishes to update its Long Range Transportation Plan (Resolution No. 20-12) to include its Transportation Improvement Plan ("TTIP"), Attachment No. 1 for submission, which is made a part of this Resolution for the Omaha Tribe of Nebraska as required in 25 CFR Part 170 Indian Reservation Roads Program; and

WHEREAS: the Omaha Tribal Council authorizes the submittal of its Long Range Transportation Plan to include its Transportation Improvement Plan ("TTIP"), Attachment No. 1 for submission; and

WHEREAS: the Omaha Tribe identified several projects in its Tribal Transportation Improvement Plan.

WHEREAS: he Omaha Tribe has identified its Number (1) one priority as the **Omaha – Macy Roundabout Project for Safety, Better Connection and Mobility, Emergency** and **Economic Value for all traveling vehicular and walking public.**

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT: the Omaha Tribal Council hereby formally authorizes the approved update to the Long Range Transportation plan to include attached Omaha Tribe TTIP for submission to the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of Transportation and requests that the Bureau accept the attached TTIP for the Omaha Tribe; and

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that the foregoing resolution was considered at a duly called meeting of the Omaha Tribal Council on the 12 day of April, 2021, and was adopted by a vote of: 4 for; 0 against; 1 abstaining; with the Chairman not voting. A quorum of 5 was present.

MEMBERS VOTE:	YES	NO	ABSTAIN/ABSENT
Leander Merrick			✓
Cheyenne Robinson			✓
Jazelle Miller	✓		
Gwendolyn Porter			✓
Carlton Edwards	✓		
Primo Hallowell	✓		
Alan Harlan	✓		

Submitted by:

Gwendolyn Porter, Secretary
Omaha Tribal Council

04/12/2021
Date

Attest:

Leander Merrick, Chairman
Omaha Tribal Council

Date

Tribal Transportation Improvement Program for Fiscal Year 2022 - 2026.
Indian Tribe: Omaha Tribe BIA Region Office: Great Plains Region

ROAD CONSTRUCTION						
ROUTE NUMBER	PROJECT NAME LOCATION OF IMPROVEMENT	LENGTH (MILES)	TYPE OF IMPROVEMENT	YEAR OF CONSTRUCTION	FUNDING SOURCE	CONSTRUCT COST
75	Macy Roundabout	1	Installation of Roundabout -Preliminary Engineering, Design and Construction	2022-2026	TTP, RAISE	7.5 million
	Administration Lower & Upper Parking Improvements		Mill and Overlay existing Parking Areas	2022-2026	TTP	
10	Oak Leaf Housing Access	.8	Gravel and drainage improvements	2022-2026	TTP	503,000
75	Cemetery Access Safety Improvement		Widening roadway, Install turn lane,	2022-2026	TTPSF	
75	Safety Improvements		Clearing areas for improved sight distances and improve snow hazard areas			
57	ROUTE 57 Reconstruction	.2	Reconstruction	2022-2023	TTP	524,000
4600	South Flood Road	.5	Reconstruction	2022-2023	TTP	384,000
54	Elsie Clark Lane	.8	Reconstruction – Gravel	2023	TTP	395,000
30	Main Street Rehad and Parking	.2	Rehad – Drainage improvements sidewalk installation	2022	TTP	1,000
	Reservation Wide Aggregate Surfacing		Regraveling Construction		Road Maint.	200,000
	Reservation Wide Crack/Chip Seal		Preliminary Engineering, Design and Construction		Road Maint.	200,000
	Reservation Wide Culverts		Identification, Assessment, Preliminary Engineering, Design and Construction	2022-2026	TTPCF	1,000,000
	Reservation Wide Bridges		Identification, Assessment, Preliminary Engineering, Design and Construction	2022-2026	TTPBF	5,000,000
75	Macy Pathway Improvement Safety	1	New Pathway - Preliminary Engineering, Design and Construction	2022-2026	TTPSF	1
	Skunk Hollow Sidewalk Safety Drainage Improvement	1	Install sidewalk, Curb and Gutter, Drainage improvements, storm sewer - Preliminary Engineering, Design and Construction	2022-2026	TTPSF	0.5
	Omaha Road Maintenance		25% Road Maintenance	2022-2026	TTP	1,051,870

NON-ROAD CONSTRUCTION						
PROJECT NUMBER	PROJECT NAME	# PROJECT UNITS	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	YEAR OF PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION	FUNDING SOURCE	PROJECT COST (MIL $)
	Omaha Transportation Planning		Planning	2022-2026	TTP	275,000
	Omaha Long Range Transp. Plan		Planning	2024	TTP	20,000

NOTE: To be prepared by tribal transportation planner or other authorized individual.