



**RESOLUTION TO ENDORSE
AMENDMENT TWELFTH TO THE
2040 LONG RANGE TRANSPORTATION PLAN**

WHEREAS, the Springfield Area Transportation Study (SATS), in cooperation with the Illinois Department of Transportation, has a comprehensive, cooperative, and continuing (3C) planning process for transportation planning in compliance with Federal regulations for the urbanized area; and

WHEREAS, the SATS Long Range Transportation Plan takes a long-term (25-year) look at transportation needs in the Springfield Metropolitan Planning Area; envisions an efficient, interconnected, multi-modal travel network; and identifies projects to make this vision a reality; and

WHEREAS, the Long Range Transportation Plan is updated every five years and was most recently updated on March 12, 2015 as the SATS 2040 Long Range Transportation Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Villages of Sherman and Williamsville intent to conduct ROW Acquisition, Utility Relocation, Construction & Construction engineering for a multi-use trail from Williamsville to Sherman along a 4.4 Miles section of abandoned Illinois Terminal Company Railroad using and Illinois Transportation Enhancement Program funds; and

WHEREAS, the Villages request that the following project be added to the "Committed Projects" list in the SATS 2040 LRTP; and

MAP #	PROJECT DESCRIPTION <i>(listed alphabetically)</i>	TYPE OF IMPROVEMENT	JURISDICTION	COST
57	Heritage Route 66 Trail - 4.4 mile Multi-use Interurban Trail from Conrey Street (Williamsville) to Sherman Road (Sherman)	ROW Acquisition, Utility Relocation, Construction & Construction engineering for a multi-use trail from Williamsville to Sherman along the abandoned Illinois Terminal Railroad (4.4 miles)	Sherman/Williamsville	2,803,770

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that upon recommendation of the Technical Committee, the Policy Committee has voted to endorse Amendment Twelfth to the 2040 Long Range Transportation Plan.

Endorsed on this 8th day of December, 2016.

ATTEST:

Mark Mahanty

 Bonnie Drew, Chair
 SATS Policy Committee
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