RESOLUTION NO. R 070 81

A RESOLUTION OF AGREEMENT TO PROVIDE FUNDS TO PAY THE NONFEDERAL SHARE (\$1,467.00 PER MONTH) OF THE RAIL CONTINUATION SUBSIDY REQUIRED FOR THE GEORGETOWN, DELAWARE TO LEWES BEACH, DELAWARE LINE UNDER THE REGIONAL RAIL REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1973 AS AMENDED

WHEREAS, rail freight service on the branch line from Georgetown, Delaware (M.P. 24.32) to Lewes, Delaware (M.P. 38.0) and Lewes, Delaware to Lewes Beach, Delaware (M.P. 0.0 to M.P. 2.4) operates under the terms of a rail service continuation subsidy in accordance with Section 304(c)(2)(A) of the Regional Rail Reorganization Act of 1973 as amended; and

WHEREAS, the Delaware Department of Transportation, Delaware Transportation Authority has executed operating agreements with an appropriate rail carrier to guarantee continuation of rail service; and

WHEREAS, the Delaware Department of Transportation, Delaware Transportation Authority has purchased the subject branch line; and

WHEREAS, after April 1, 1977, a portion of the payment of the rail continuation subsidy must be paid from nonfederal sources; and WHEREAS, after September 30, 1981, all of the payment of the rail continuation subsidy must be paid from nonfederal sources; and

WHEREAS, Susssex County desires that the rail freight operations of the subject branch line be continued,

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED that Sussex County agrees to provide funds to pay the nonfederal share (\$1,467.00 per month) of the rail continuation subsidy required for the Georgetown, Delaware to Lewes Beach, Delaware line under the Regional Rail Reorganization Act of 1973 as amended in order that such rail freight operations be continued.

I DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF RESOLUTION NO. R 070 81 PASSED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF SUSSEX COUNTY ON THE 24th DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1981.

EMOGENE P, ELLIS CLERK OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL Ellis

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