# **Design Exception Request**

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**Design Designation** Current ADT (2028) 1,800 Τd 2 Design Speed Design Year ADT (2048) 2,100 55 273 Legal Speed 55 Design Hourly Volume (2048) Directional Distribution **Design Functional Class** 7 - Local Roads 58 Trucks (24hr B&C) 2 Functional Class Area Type Rural NHS Project No 118 Exist. CR 2 Exist. CR 69 Prop CR 118 CR 2 portion Prop CR 69 6 Prop CR 69 2 min Prop Prop SR 7 SR 243 Dead End with Turnaround

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Controlling Criteria Identification			
Controlling Criteria	Standard	Existing (a.)	Proposed
Lane Width			
Shoulder Width	Graded shoulder = Min. 8 feet	Graded shoulder between 1' to 5'	Graded shoulder = 4'
Horizontal Curve Radius	Max. 6°	39°30′52″	Curve 1 = 38°11'49", Curves 2 and 3 = 22°55'06"
Maximum Grade			
SSD (Horizontal & Crest Vertical)			
Pavement Cross Slope			
Superelevation Rate	Max. 8%	varies, 1.2% to -8%	Curve 1 = na due to proximity of the intersection, Curve 2 = 7.89%, Curve 3 = 7%
Vertical Clearance			
Design Loading Structural Capacity			
	(a.) "Existing" may	be N/A (i.e. New alignment or new	ramp)

#### Project Description

THIS PROJECT IS THE THIRD PHASE OF THE LAW-7-2.17 STATE ROUTE 7 RELOCATION PROJECT. THIS PROJECT WIII CONSTRUCT 6.11 MILES OF THE EASTBOUND LANES OF STATE ROUTE 7 BETWEEN STATE ROUTE 527 AND STATE ROUTE 775. THIS PROJECT ALSO INCLUDES A PARTIAL GRADE SEPARATED INTERCHANGE AT STATE ROUTE 527 AND A FULL INTERCHANGE AT STATE ROUTE 775. ALSO INCLUDED WITH THIS PROJECT IS THE CONSTRUCTION OF A ROUNDABOUT AT THE INTERSECTION OF STATE ROUTE 7 AND STATE ROUTE 243. THIS IMPROVEMENT INCLUDES THE RELOCATION OF 1.91 MILES OF STATE ROUTES, COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP ROADS AS WELL AS THE ADDITION OF 1.25 MILES OF RAMP AND TWELVE (12) CUL-DE-SACS AND DRIVES. A TOTAL OF TEN (10) STRUCTURES WIII BE DEVELOPED WHICH INCLUDE TRAFFIC OVERPASS AND STREAM CROSSING BRIDGES. WORK WIII INCLUDE NEW STORM SEWERS, CULVERTS, TRAFFIC CONTROL, PAVEMENT MARKING AND LIGHTING.

#### Section Description

Design exceptions for CR 2.

CR 2 is a two lane uncurbed rural local road. The existing road section is approximately 20 feet wide with no paved shoulders. The work on CR 2 is approximately 750 feet long, relocating CR 2 to connect into the relocated CR 69 and provide access to SR 7.

#### **Proposed Mitigation**

There will be no mitigative measures for the deviation to the standards included as part of this project. The entire project is proposed to help alleviate current traffic congestion and crash problems.

Support for Deviation (Benefit-cost, R/W, Environmental, Constructability, Coordination with Other Projects, Relationship between any crash patterns and proposed design exception, etc.):

Although the proposed design does not meet current design standards for a rural highway; the rural nature of the road and the terrain make meeting design standards expensive and the local drivers are accustomed to the rural nature of the road. Additionally, the proposed alignment is approximately 800 feet long, and meeting all current design standards for a short length would not have an overall impact on the operation of the roadway.

Does the requested Design Exception location fall within a Safety Integrated Project (SIP) Map Location?

Does the crash analysis (GCAT and CAM Tool) show any patterns that would be adversely impacted by the proposed Design Exception? No