



**RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE
CARTERET COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE TRANSPORTATION PLAN
FOR THE TOWN OF
CEDAR POINT, NORTH CAROLINA**

WHEREAS, Carteret County, the municipalities within Carteret County, the NCDOT Transportation Planning Branch and the Down East RPO actively worked to develop a transportation plan for Carteret County and the municipalities; and

WHEREAS, the County and Towns and the Department of Transportation are directed by North Carolina General Statutes 136-66.2 to reach agreement for a highway, transit, bicycle, and pedestrian systems that will serve present and anticipated volumes of traffic in and around the county; and

WHEREAS, it is recognized that the proper movement of traffic, the provision of transit opportunities, and the safety of bicycle and pedestrians within and through the Town of Cedar Point is a desirable element of the comprehensive plan for the orderly growth and development of the town; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners would like the North Carolina Department of Transportation to consider a bypass of the Swansboro/Cedar Point area as proposed in the 1993 Swansboro Thoroughfare Plan study, adopted in the 1997 Swansboro Thoroughfare Plan, and proposed in the 2001 Crystal Coast Area "Long-range" Transportation Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners would like to be involved in any decision making and the approval thereof, relevant to the installation of medians within the portions of the NC Hwy 24 Right-of-Way that lies within Cedar Point's corporate limits; and

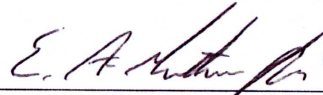
WHEREAS, after full study of the plan, and following a county-wide public hearing, review and recommendation of the Town Planning Board, the Board of Commissioners of Cedar Point feel it to be in the best interests of Cedar Point to adopt the plan elements that are within the town limits pursuant to General Statutes 136-66.2 along with recommending the North Carolina Department of Transportation to consider future improvements that include a Swansboro/Cedar Point Bypass;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Carteret County Comprehensive Transportation Plan as shown on the attached maps dated May 30, 2012 be approved and adopted as a guide in the development of the highway, transit, bicycle, and pedestrian systems and the same is hereby recommended to the North Carolina Department of Transportation for its subsequent adoption; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Cedar Point Board of Commissioners take action on any proposed median project within the portions of the NC Hwy 24 Right-of-Way that lies within Cedar Point's corporate limits prior to the North Carolina Department of Transportation commencing construction on said project; and

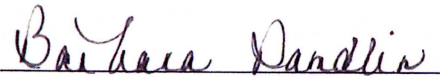
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Cedar Point Board of Commissioner request the North Carolina Department of Transportation to consider future improvements that include a Swansboro/Cedar Point Bypass:

ADOPTED, this the 24th day of July 2012.



E.A. Guthrie, Mayor

Attest:



Barbara Sandlin, CMC

Town Clerk