## ordinance no. 2016-<u>388</u>

AN ORDINANCE ACCEPTING THE PROPOSAL OF THE OHIO RAIL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION (ORDC) FOR MODIFICATION OF THE TRAFFIC SIGNAL AT THE INTERSECTION OF STATE AND FRONT STREET.

**WHEREAS**, a proposal has been made for improvements to the referenced traffic signal, the interconnection, and the warning devices at the Norfolk Southern Railway Company grade crossing on State Street, DOT#473711A, and

WHEREAS, the ORDC intends to coordinate with the railroad for modification of the railroad warning devices and necessary circuitry changes, and

WHEREAS, the City of Fremont agrees with the foregoing and desires to provide its consent to permit the modifications, and

**WHEREAS**, the proposal has been submitted to Fremont and the City finds the proposal to be in the best interest of the community, that it will enhance the safety of the traveling public, and will result in a needed improvement to the City's highway system.

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FREMONT, STATE OF OHIO:

**SECTION 1.** That this Council hereby authorizes and approves the following modifications to the traffic signal at the intersection of State Street and Front Street:

- 1. ORDC will engage a traffic signal consultant for the design.
- 2. The City will review the plans, bid the project, and award the contract.
- 3. The City will provide oversight of construction.
- 4. The ORDC will coordinate with the railroad for the interconnection-cable.
- 5. Funding for construction will flow from ORDC to the City for payment of invoices.

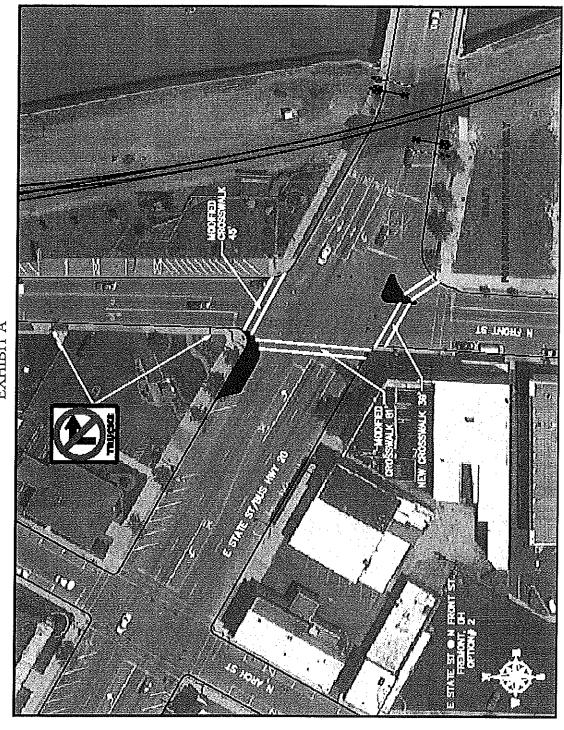
**SECTION 2.** The efficient operation of the traffic signal will require minor roadway medications as shown on Exhibit A and Council hereby approves modifications.

**SECTION 3.** It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Revised Code of Ohio.

**SECTION 4.** This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication according to law.

President of Council

City of Fremont, Ohio



**EXHIBIT A**