

RESOLUTION NO. 243

WHEREAS, the City of Alexandria previously approved the plans for a grade separation at the intersection of Duke Street and Van Dorn Street; and

WHEREAS, the State has been acquiring the right-of-way for this project under previous City requests for advance acquisition; and

WHEREAS, the existing traffic at this intersection is fast approaching its capacity; and

WHEREAS, the City, over the last eighteen months has approved the construction of approximately 7,500 additional apartment units within one mile of this intersection; and

WHEREAS, much of the increased traffic from these apartments will use this intersection; and

WHEREAS, the free movement of traffic thru this intersection is of great value to the City and its citizens; therefore:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA,  
VIRGINIA:

1. That the State, is urged to expedite the final contract plans for this project.
2. That the State should take bids and construct this intersection in as short a period as is reasonably possible.
3. That the City is prepared to pay its 15% share of the cost of said construction.
4. That the City Manager is authorized to sign the necessary City-State Agreement for carrying out the above.

This resolution shall be in effect from its passage, September 28, 1973.

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Mrs. Helen Vickers, Clerk of the City  
of Alexandria, Virginia