

ACTION TRANSMITTAL - 2014-67

DATE: October 9, 2014
TO: Technical Advisory Committee
FROM: TAC Planning Committee
PREPARED BY: Bob Paddock, MTS Staff
SUBJECT: Roadway Functional Classification Change – Hennepin County
REQUESTED ACTION: The City of Champlin and Hennepin County request that the TAC-Planning Committee approve the following roadway functional classification changes regarding Hennepin CSAH12.
RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the TAC approve the following changes:

- #1327** - Hayden Lake Road from West River Rd to TH169 be reclassified from a Local to an A-Minor Reliever.
- #1328** - West River Road from Hayden Lake Rd to TH169 be reclassified from an A-Minor Reliever to a Local.

BACKGROUND AND PURPOSE OF ACTION: This functional classification change is part of a jurisdictional exchange between Hennepin County and the City of Champlin. The exchange was motivated by a desire by the county to better interconnect the county roadway system with CSAH-121 (Hayden Lake Road) west of TH169.

RELATIONSHIP TO REGIONAL POLICY: The Transportation Advisory Board maintains a roadway functional classification system for all regional roads. TAB has delegated the responsibility of approving changes to the system to the Technical Advisory Committee, with the exception of Principal Arterials. Changes to all other roadways submitted by the agency with jurisdiction over the roadway are reviewed and recommended by the TAC Planning Committee, approved by TAC, and received as information by TAB.

STAFF ANALYSIS: Staff comments, if any, are included on the attached functional classification change request form. This change is virtually a 'swap' of one roadway segment for another and has no measurable impact on the region's classification mileage. The intent of the county and the city are to redesign the existing connections of West River Rd to redirect drivers to follow the new county roadway. The city's future plans are to redesign West River Road to be more of a parkway facility.

COMMITTEE COMMENTS AND ACTION: TAC-Planning approved the changes as recommended.

ROUTING

TO	ACTION REQUESTED	DATE COMPLETED
TAC Planning Committee	Review & Recommend	Oct 9, 2014
Technical Advisory Committee	Review & Approve	
Transportation Advisory Board	Information	