

CITY OF HYATTSVILLE

RESOLUTION 2025-03

A Resolution Whereby the City Council Authorizes the City Administrator to Execute the Roadway Transfer Agreement for a segment of MD 208 (Hamilton Street).

WHEREAS, a segment of State Highway MD 208 (Hamilton Street) is located within the incorporated City limits of the City of Hyattsville;

WHEREAS, the segment of MD 208, between Queens Chapel Road and 38th Avenue has been identified as a major arterial road for the City of Hyattsville that hosts critical City infrastructure and assets including the Police and Public Safety Building, and Hyatt Park;

WHEREAS, the City of Hyattsville Council and staff members have worked with State representatives for many years to identify areas of safe crossing, improved lighting, sidewalks, and bike lane infrastructure on MD 208;

WHEREAS, on November 1, 2021, the Hyattsville City Council authorized via Council Motion #HCC-149-FY22, for the City Administrator to begin negotiations for the roadway transfer for the segment of the road located within the incorporated limits of the City of Hyattsville;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 8-304 of the Transportation Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland, SHA and a political subdivision may, from one to the other, transfer title to, jurisdiction over, and responsibility for the maintenance of any State highway or county road, or portion of either;

WHEREAS, SHA has agreed to transfer the following section of MD 208 to the City of Hyattsville: MD 208 (Hamilton Street): From the intersection with MD 500 (Queen's Chapel Road) to the intersection with 38th Ave (MD 208). The intersection/traffic signals would not be included;

WHEREAS, the City of Hyattsville will accept jurisdiction over and responsibility for the maintenance of this segment of MD 208 on the effective date of transfer in the Roadway Transfer Agreement; and

WHEREAS, SHA will prepare a deed conveying and releasing all of its rights, title, and interests in ownership of the SHA Roadways, subject to the approval of the Board of Public Works; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Hyattsville in regular session assembled, that the City Administrator is authorized to execute the Roadway Transfer Agreement of MD 208 (Hamilton Street) with State Highway Administration.

INTRODUCED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Hyattsville, Maryland at a regular meeting on May 5, 2025, at which meeting copies were available to the public for inspection.

ADOPTED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Hyattsville, Maryland at a regular meeting on May 5, 2025.

APPROVED:

City of Hyattsville, Maryland:

Date

Robert S. Croslin
Mayor

ATTEST/WITNESS:

City of Hyattsville, Maryland:

Date

Nate Groenendyk
City Clerk