

RESOLUTION / ORDINANCE EXECUTIVE SUMMARY ADDENDUM

Title

Approving an Amendment to the County of Kane - Blackberry Township Road District – Union Pacific Railroad Company Wayside Horn Agreement (Brundige Road)

Committee Flow:

Transportation Committee, Executive Committee, County Board

Contact:

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Budget Information:

Was this item budgeted? Yes	Appropriation Amount: \$16,875.00
If not budgeted, explain funding source: N/A	
Was this item passed through the appropriate committee? Yes	

Summary:

In 2015, the County Board approved an agreement with the UP RR for the original Wayside Horn System (WHS) installation project at Brundige Road for the Blackberry Township Highway Commissioner.

More recently, Blackberry Township's WSH stopped operating and could not be fixed. Since KDOT was constructing the Bunker Road Extension project and replacing our outdated (but functional) WHS on La Fox Road, we agreed to replace Blackberry Township's WHS on Brundige Road in exchange for the jurisdictional transfer of Old La Fox Road to Blackberry Township at the conclusion of the Bunker Road Extension project in late 2026.

UP RR is requiring that the original agreement be updated as shown in the attached, along with a payment estimated at \$12,500 for Railroad Force Account Work and \$1,000 for administrative handling fee for a total of \$13,500 that the County would pay. Staff recommends a contingency of 25% (\$3,375) be added for a total appropriation request of \$16,875.

Staff recommends approval.