



Development of Roadway Impact Fees For the City of Waxahachie, Texas

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Introduction

Shrinking funds available for transportation improvements on city thoroughfares have prohibited many cities from upgrading infrastructure to meet increasing travel demands resulting from new growth. As a result, many cities collect "impact fees" from new development to help fund transportation improvements necessitated by such development. What is unique and perhaps controversial about impact fees is that they often finance roadway improvements that are outside the development itself. However, when considering traffic implications created from a system standpoint, impact fees provide a means by which infrastructure may keep pace with such development.

Texas initially authorized the use of impact fees with the passage of Senate Bill 336 during the 1987 legislature. Now codified in Chapter 395 of the Texas Local Government Codes, the legislation authorizes cities to collect fees from new developments to finance new construction or expansion of capital improvements such as water treatment and distribution facilities, storm and wastewater facilities, and transportation facilities. The law stipulates that all fees collected from new development must not exceed the maximum amount calculated by the methodology described therein.

The law also mandates that impact fee systems be updated periodically to ensure that an appropriate cost per service unit is established. As new transportation improvements are completed, actual costs are inserted into the cost per service unit calculation to reflect a more accurate reading of service area costs as opposed to estimated costs that were established at the onset of the impact fee system. Additionally, new capital improvement projects can be added to the system.

In September 2001, Chapter 395 was amended, which called for several technical and administrative changes including the following:

- Expansion of the permissible service area structure for roadway facilities from three to six miles;
- A credit for the portion of ad valorem tax revenues generated by improvements over the program period, or the credit equal to 50% of the total projected cost of implementing the capital improvements plan;
- A city's share of costs on the federal or Texas highway system, including matching funds and costs related to utility line relocation, the establishment of curbs and gutters, sidewalks, drainage appurtenances, and rights-of-way;
- Increase in the time period of update of impact fee land use assumptions and capital improvements plan from a three to five year period;

- Changes in compliance requirements as they relate to annual reporting; and
- Consolidation of the land use assumptions and capital improvements plan hearings.

The implementation of a roadway impact fee system complying with Chapter 395 and offers several advantages. The advantages of such a system include: 1) a systematic, structured approach to assessment of fees, 2) a clear, equitable distribution of costs associated with the impact of new development, 3) the ability to pool funds for project initiation within a service area, 4) assurance that fees collected will be spent in the area where new development is occurring, 5) up-front knowledge of fees to be imposed, 6) credits for developer participation, and 7) ability for developers to demonstrate that, pursuant to city guidelines, specific unit equivalencies may be different from those presented in the land use equivalency table.

Recognizing the need to provide safe and adequate facilities and desiring to have equitable funding of transportation improvements, the City of Waxahachie retained Freese and Nichols, Inc./Sefko Planning Group (FNI/Sefko Planning Group) to assist in the development of a roadway impact fee system.

Study Methodology

To develop roadway impact fees, a series of work tasks were undertaken. These tasks are described below.

1. Meetings were held with the City of Waxahachie Staff and the Capital Improvement Advisory Committee to discuss the roadway methodology to be used in the study.
2. Appropriate data was collected to establish the basis for subsequent analyses.
3. Roadway impact fee service areas were established within the Waxahachie city limits.
4. Vehicle-miles of travel in the PM peak hour was recommended and used as the appropriate service unit for transportation impact fee calculations.
5. A roadway inventory was conducted on Waxahachie thoroughfares to determine lane geometries, roadway classifications and segment lengths. Arterial and/or collector streets from the City Thoroughfare Plan were selected for system analysis.
6. The existing roadway network was evaluated based on traffic volume counts, collected May 2008, to determine roadway capacity, current utilization, and if any capacity deficiencies exist within each impact fee service area.
7. New vehicle-miles of demand (over a 10-year planning period) were calculated for each service area based on the land use equivalency table supplemented with demographic data of population and employment growth from the Land Use Assumptions Report prepared by Sefko Planning Group on May 15, 2007. The Land Use Assumptions for Impact Fees report was publically heard and approved by the Waxahachie City Council on June 16, 2008.

8. A roadway impact fee capital improvements plan was developed based on projected growth, analysis of existing system deficiencies, the Waxahachie Comprehensive Plan, and City Staff.
9. Roadway costs associated with construction, engineering, right-of-way, and project financing for capital improvement projects were prepared by the Freese and Nichols, Inc. Costs for study updates are eligible for recovery and were included in the total project cost. Roadway cost data was compiled and tabulated by service area.
10. The cost of capacity supplied, cost attributable to new development and the maximum cost per service unit was calculated for each service area.
11. The maximum cost per roadway service unit was calculated for service areas. A discounted cost per service unit was also calculated to meet Chapter 395 requirements.
12. This report was prepared to document the procedures, findings, and conclusions of the study.

Organization of Report

This report describes the background information, analysis, and findings of the study in six parts, with a chapter devoted to each:

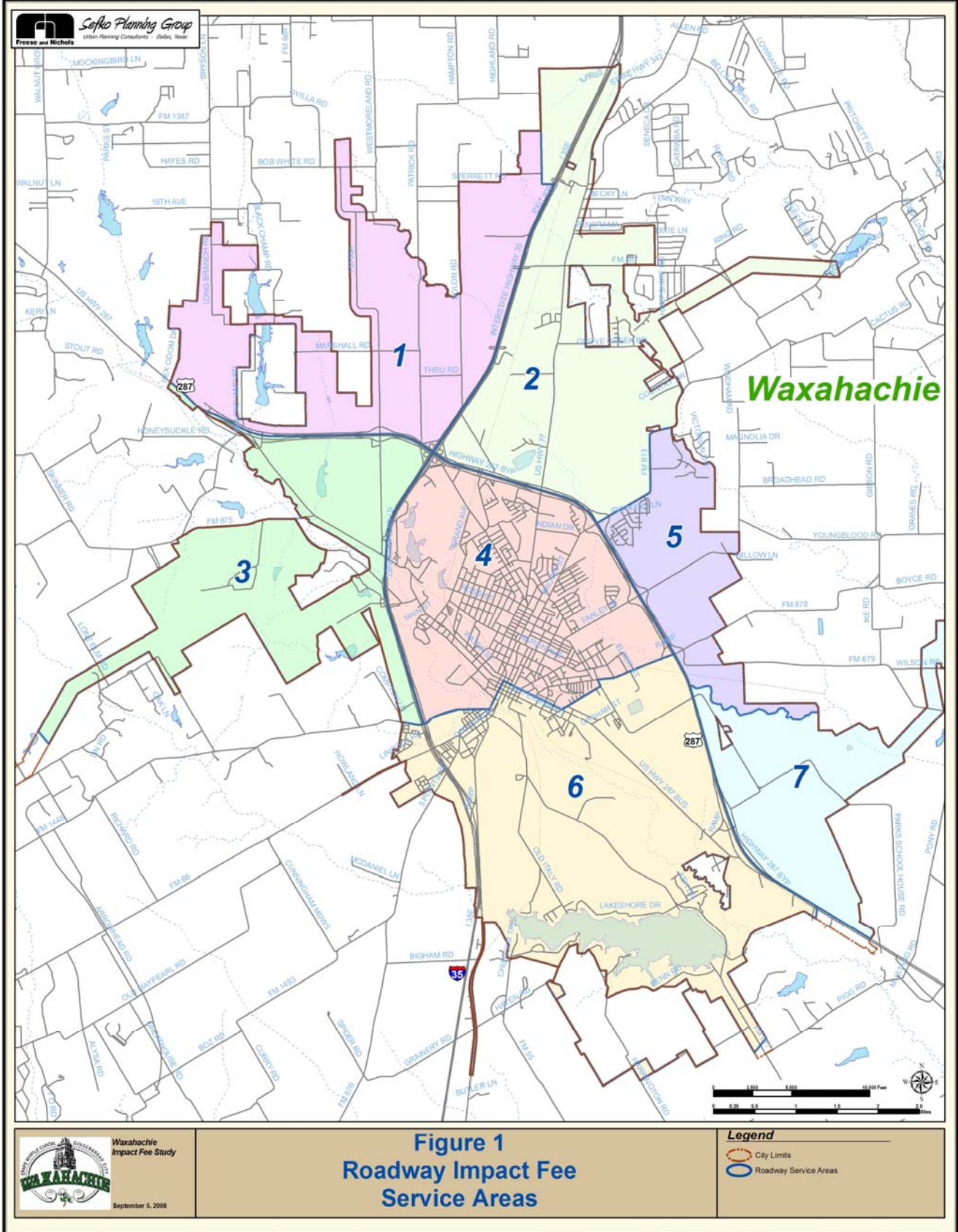
- Roadway Impact Fee Service Areas (Chapter 2)
- Roadway Impact Fee Service Units (Chapter 3)
- Existing Conditions Analysis (Chapter 4)
- Projected Conditions Analysis (Chapter 5)
- Calculation of Impact Fees (Chapter 6)
- Conclusion (Chapter 7)

2. Roadway Impact Fee Service Areas

Chapter 395 requires that service areas be defined for impact fees to ensure that facility improvements are located in proximity to the area that is generating the need. Legislation requires that roadway service areas be limited to a six-mile maximum and must be located within the current city limits. Transportation service areas are different from other impact fee service areas, which can include the city limits and Extra-Territorial Jurisdiction (ETJ). This is primarily because roadway systems are "open" to both local and regional use as opposed to a defined limit of service that is provided with water and wastewater systems. The result is that new development can only be assessed an impact fee based on the cost of necessary capital improvements within that service area.

A service area structure was developed using the criteria defined in Chapter 395 as it relates to conformance with city limits and the six-mile boundary limits. Other considerations included use of physical or natural features (i.e., major roadway facilities or creeks, etc.), potential roadway projects and their relation to undeveloped areas of the community, projected growth, census and other demographic boundaries, and long-range planning of service area expansion for municipal growth.

Seven (7) service areas have been created for the City and are illustrated in **Figure 1**.



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Roadway Impact Fee Service Units

An important aspect of the impact fee system is the determination of the proper service unit to be used to calculate and assess impact fees for new developments. As defined in Chapter 395, "Service unit means a standardized measure of consumption, use, generation, or discharge attributable to an individual unit of development in accordance with generally accepted engineering or planning standards for a particular category of capital improvements or facility expansions."

To determine the transportation impact fee for a particular development, the service unit must accurately identify the impact that the development will have on the transportation system serving the development. This impact is a combination of the number of new trips generated by the development, the particular peaking characteristics of the land-use(s) within the development, and the length of each new trip on the transportation system.

The correct service unit must also reflect the supply, which is provided by the roadway system, and the demand placed on the system during the time in which peak, or design, conditions are present on the system. Transportation facilities are designed and constructed to accommodate volumes expected to occur during the peak hours (design hours). These volumes typically occur during the morning (AM) and evening (PM) rush hours as motorists travel to and from work.

The vehicle-mile is recommended as the service unit for calculating and assessing transportation impact fees in Waxahachie. The vehicle-mile as a service unit establishes a way to relate the intensity of land development to the demand on the system through the use of published trip generation data. It also recognizes state legislation requirements with regards to trip length.

The PM peak hour is recommended as the time period for assessing impacts because the greatest demand for roadway capacity occurs during this hour. Roadways are sized to meet this demand, and roadway capacity can more easily be defined on an hourly basis. Traffic volume data collected in April and May 2006 at 25 locations throughout the city confirmed the PM peak (5-6pm) as the highest period of use.

Service Units

Service units create a link between supply (roadway projects) and demand (development). Both can be expressed as a combination of the number of vehicles traveling during the peak hour and the distance traveled by these vehicles in miles.

Service Unit Supply

For roadway capital projects improvement, the number of service units provided during the peak hour is simply the product of the capacity of the roadway in one hour and the length of the project. For example:

Given a four lane divided roadway project with a 600 vehicle per hour per lane capacity and a length of two miles, the number of service units provided is:

$$600 \text{ vehicles per hour per lane} \times 4 \text{ lanes} \times 2 \text{ miles} = 4,800 \text{ vehicle-miles}$$

Service Unit Demand

The demand placed on the system can be expressed in a similar manner. For example, a development generating 100 vehicle trips in the PM peak hour with an average trip length of two miles would generate:

$$100 \text{ vehicle-trips} \times 2 \text{ miles/trip} = 200 \text{ vehicle-miles}$$

Likewise, the existing demand placed on the roadway network is calculated in the same manner with a known traffic volume (peak hour roadway tube counts) on a street and a given segment length.

Service Units for New Development

An important objective in the development of the impact fee system is the development of a specific service unit equivalency for individual developments. The vehicle-miles generated by a new development are a function of the trip generation and average trip length characteristics of that development. The following describes the process used to develop the vehicle-equivalency table, which relates land use types and sizes to the resulting vehicle-miles of demand created by that development.

Trip Generation

Trip generation information for the PM peak hour was based on data published in the Seventh Edition of Trip Generation by the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE). Trip Generation is a reference publication that contains travel characteristics of over 100 land uses across the nation and is based on empirical data gathered from over 3,200 studies that were reported to the Institute by public agencies, developers and consulting firms. Data contained in this publication is universally accepted for use in studies by transportation engineers throughout the nation. Data not available was drawn from other published information. Rates were established for specific land use types within the broader categories of residential, office, commercial, industrial and institutional land uses. Within each of the land use categories, a rate was also established for any land uses not specifically identified.

Trip Generation contains both rates and equations for estimating trip generation. In some cases the rates and equations yield significantly different estimates. The following process was used as a basis

in selecting between trip generation rates and equations:

- Select most easily projected and verifiable development unit.
- Evaluate stability of rates and equations based on scattered diagrams shown in Trip Generation.
- Check of standard deviation and R^2 statistics. An R^2 above 0.9 is very good; R^2 below 0.7 is not acceptable. Standard deviations above 60% of the mean are poor, although the average for all uses shown in the report is approximately 90% of the mean.

Adjustments

The actual "traffic impact" of a specific site for impact fee purposes is based on the amount of traffic added to the street system. To accurately estimate new trips generated by a new development, adjustments must be made to trip generation rates and equations to account for pass-by and diverted trips. The added traffic is adjusted so that each development is assigned only for a portion of trips associated with that particular development and thus reducing the possibility of over-counting by counting only primary trips generated. Trip generation rates were reduced by the percentages presented in Table 1 in an effort to isolate the primary trip purpose.

Pass-by trips are those trips that are already on a particular route for a different purpose and simply stop at a particular development on that route. For example, a stop at a convenience store on the way home from the office is a pass-by trip for the convenience store. A pass-by trip does not create an additional burden on the street system and therefore should not be counted in the assessment of impact fees of a convenience store.

A diverted trip is a similar situation, except that a diversion is made from the regular route to make an interim stop. For example, a trip from work to home using Brown Street would be a diverted trip if the travel path were changed to Dallas Ave. for the purpose of stopping at a retail site. On a system-wide basis, this trip places a slightly additional burden on the street system but in many cases, this burden is minimal.

Table 1 contains the documented estimates of trip rate adjustments used in determining the appropriate rate to use in the impact fee calculation process. Adjustments were based on studies conducted by ITE and other published studies.

The resulting recommended trip rates are illustrated as part of Land Use/Vehicle Mile Equivalency Table illustrated later in this chapter. Rates were developed in lieu of equations to simplify the assessment of impact fees by the City and likewise, the estimation of impact fees by persons who may be required to pay an impact fee in conjunction with a development project.

Table 1
Trip Reduction Estimates (PM Peak Hour)*

ITE CODE	LAND USE CATEGORY	UNITS (x)	PERCENT OF PASS-BY TRIPS
110	GENERAL LIGHT INDUSTRIAL	1000 GFA	0
130	INDUSTRIAL PARK	1000 GFA	0
150	MANUFACTURING	1000 GFA	0
151	MINI-WAREHOUSING	1000 GFA	0
210	SINGLE FAMILY DETACHED HOUSING	DU	0
220	APARTMENT	DU	0
250	RETIREMENT COMMUNITY	DU	0
530	HIGH SCHOOL	STUDENT	0
540	JUNIOR/COMMUNITY COLLEGE	STUDENT	0
560	CHURCH/SYNAGOGUE	1000 GFA	0
565	DAY CARE CENTER	1000 GFA	76
610	HOSPITAL	BEDS	0
710	GENERAL OFFICE BUILDING	1000 GFA	0
750	OFFICE PARK	1000 GFA	0
760	RESEARCH CENTER	1000 GFA	0
815	DISCOUNT STORE	1000 GFA	52
820	SHOPPING CENTER	1000 GFA	52-73%
831	QUALITY RESTAURANT	1000 GFA	58
832	HIGH TURNOVER (SIT-DOWN)REST.	1000 GFA	60
834	FAST FOOD REST. W/ DRIVE-THRU	1000 GFA	59
843	AUTO PARTS SALES	1000 GFA	43
844	SERVICE STATION	1000 GFA	87
848	TIRE STORE	1000 GFA	32
850	GROCERY STORE/ SUPERMARKET	1000 GFA	61
851	CONVENIENCE MARKET	1000 GFA	88
862	HOME IMPROVEMENT STORE	1000 GFA	56
912	BANK W/ DRIVE THRU	1000 GFA	73

DU = DWELLING UNIT

GFA = GROSS FLOOR AREA

(*) Expressed as percent of total PM peak hour trips generated

Source: Trip Generation Handbook, Sixth Edition, October 1998

A local study may also be conducted to confirm rates in Trip Generation or change rates to reflect local conditions. In such cases, a minimum of three sites should be counted. Selected sites should be isolated in nature with driveways that specifically serve the development and not other land uses. The results should be plotted on the scatter diagram of the selected land use contained in Trip Generation for comparison purposes. It is recommended that no change be approved unless the results show a variation of at least fifteen percent across the range of sample sizes surveyed. Trip Generation was used as the primary source of information for this study.

Trip Length

Trip lengths (in miles) are used in conjunction with site trip generation to estimate vehicle-miles of travel. Trip length data was based on information generated in the 1994 North Central Texas Council of Governments (NCTCOG) Workplace Survey.

Table 2 summarizes the derived average trip lengths for major land use categories. These trip lengths represent the average distance that a vehicle will travel between an origin and destination of which either the origin or destination contains the land-use category identified below. Data compiled by the Workplace Survey represents the best available information on trip lengths for this area.

Table 2
Average Trip Lengths

Land Use Category	Average Trip Length (miles)
General Office	12.06
General Retail	4.12
Industrial	10.28
Residential	11.16
Warehousing	8.84
Drive-In Bank	2.62
Hospital	5.18
Medical Office/Clinic	9.63
School	4.12
Hotel	4.14
Restaurant	3.79

Source: NCTCOG.

Adjustments

The assessment of an individual development's impact fee is based on the premise that each vehicle-trip has an origin and a destination and that the development end should pay for one-half of the cost necessary to complete each trip. Thus, the development is charged only for a portion of the vehicle-trip associated with that development.

To prevent double charging, and to fairly attribute the demand placed on the system to each trip end location, the trip length was divided by two to reflect half of the vehicle trip to and from the development and is illustrated in Table 3. Where specific land uses were considered to exhibit different trip length characteristics than those identified in Table 3, engineering judgment was used to estimate the average trip length. Finally, as the service area structure was based on a six-mile boundary, those land uses that exhibited trip lengths greater than six miles would be capped to this threshold.

Service Unit Equivalency Table

The result of combining the trip generation and trip length information is an equivalency table which establishes the service unit rate for various land uses. These service unit rates are based on an appropriate development unit for each land use. For example, a dwelling unit is the basis for residential uses, while 1,000 gross square feet of floor area is the basis for office, commercial, and retail uses. Other less common land uses are based on appropriate independent variables.

Separate rates have been established for specific land uses within the broader categories of residential, commercial, industrial and institutional to reflect the differences between land uses within the categories. However, even with these specific land use types, information is not available for every conceivable land use; so limitations do exist. The recommended equivalency table is illustrated in **Table 3**.

Table 3
Land-Use Vehicle-Mile Equivalency Table

CATEGORY	LAND USE	DEVELOPMENT UNITS (X)	TRIP RATE	LOCAL TRIP LENGTH (mi.)	TOTAL SERVICE UNITS (VEH-MI / DEV UNIT)
RESIDENTIAL					
	SINGLE-FAMILY DETACHED	D.U.	1.01	2.70	2.73
	APARTMENT/TOWNHOUSE	D.U.	0.57	2.70	1.54
	RETIREMENT COMMUNITY	D.U.	0.29	2.41	0.70
	INDEPENDENT SR. LIVING FACILITY	D.U.	0.26	2.41	0.62
	OTHERS NOT SPECIFIED*	D.U.	1.01	2.70	2.73
OFFICE					
	GENERAL OFFICE BLDG	1000 GFA	1.49	2.84	4.24
	CORPORATE HEADQUARTERS BLDG	1000 GFA	1.40	2.84	3.98
	MEDICAL-DENTAL OFFICE BLDG	1000 GFA	3.55	2.31	8.19
	U.S. POST OFFICE	1000 GFA	3.26	1.92	6.25
	BUSINESS PARK	1000 GFA	1.29	2.84	3.67
	RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CENTER	1000 GFA	1.02	2.84	2.90
	OTHERS NOT SPECIFIED*	1000 GFA	1.49	2.85	4.24
COMMERCIAL					
	RETAIL/SHOPPING CENTER	1000 GLA	2.25	0.99	2.22
	QUALITY RESTAURANT	1000 GFA	3.15	0.90	2.82
	FAST FOOD RESTAURANT WITH DRIVE-THROUGH	1000 GFA	10.34	0.84	8.74
	HIGH TURNOVER RESTAURANT	1000 GFA	4.37	0.93	4.06
	GAS STATION w/CONVENIENCE MARKET	1000 GFA	11.85	0.42	5.03
	CONVENIENCE MARKET WITH GASOLINE PUMPS	1000 GFA	7.27	0.42	3.09
	GROCERY/SUPERMARKET	1000 GFA	4.08	0.44	1.80
	DISCOUNT CLUB	1000 GFA	2.02	0.95	1.92
	AUTO SALES	1000 GFA	1.58	1.07	1.70
	VIDEO RENTAL STORE	1000 GFA	3.67	0.68	2.52
	BANK	1000 GFA	12.35	0.63	7.77
	PHARMACY/DRUGSTORE WITH DRIVE-THROUGH	1000 GFA	3.28	0.46	1.51
	APPAREL STORE	1000 GFA	1.38	0.81	1.12
	MOVIE THEATER	SCREENS	11.59	0.79	9.17
	FURNITURE STORE	1000 GFA	0.17	1.12	0.19
	HOME IMPROVEMENT SUPERSTORE	1000 GFA	1.08	0.99	1.06
	HARDWARE/PAINT STORE	1000 GFA	2.13	0.38	0.82
	BUILDING MATERIALS/LUMBER STORE	1000 GFA	1.98	0.38	0.76
	NURSERY (GARDEN CENTER)	1000 GFA	1.67	0.63	1.05
	NURSERY (WHOLESALE)	1000 GFA	1.40	0.63	0.88
	HOTEL	ROOMS	0.59	0.99	0.59
	MOTEL	ROOMS	0.47	0.99	0.47
	ALL SUITES HOTEL	ROOMS	0.55	0.99	0.55
	AUTO CARE CENTER	1000 GFA	2.30	0.68	1.57
	QUICK LUBE SHOP	1000 GFA	2.28	0.68	1.56
	AUTO PARTS SALES	1000 GFA	2.63	0.68	1.80
	TIRE SUPERSTORE	1000 GFA	2.84	0.99	2.80
	WHOLESALE TIRE STORE	1000 GFA	2.16	0.99	2.13
	MINI-WAREHOUSE/SELF STORAGE	1000 GFA	0.26	1.52	0.39
	OTHERS NOT SPECIFIED*	1000 GFA	2.25	0.99	2.22
INDUSTRIAL					
	GENERAL LIGHT INDUSTRIAL	1000 GFA	0.71	2.38	1.69
	MANUFACTURING	1000 GFA	0.74	2.46	1.82
	INDUSTRIAL PARK	1000 GFA	0.79	2.39	1.89
	WAREHOUSING	1000 GFA	0.47	2.12	0.99
	OTHERS NOT SPECIFIED*	1000 GFA	0.71	2.38	1.69
INSTITUTIONAL					
	PRIVATE SCHOOL (K-12)	STUDENTS	0.170	0.99	0.17
	JUNIOR/COMMUNITY COLLEGE	STUDENTS	0.120	1.01	0.12
	UNIVERSITY/COLLEGE	STUDENTS	0.820	1.20	0.98
	DAY CARE CENTER	STUDENTS	0.206	0.39	0.08
	HOSPITAL	BEDS	1.300	1.24	1.61
	NURSING HOME	BEDS	0.220	1.24	0.27
	ASSISTED LIVING CENTER	BEDS	0.220	1.24	0.27
	PLACE OF WORSHIP	1000 GFA	0.660	0.59	0.39
* THIS REPRESENTS TOTAL SERVICE UNIT EQUIVALENCY FOR LAND USES NOT SPECIFIED IN THIS CATEGORY. ACTUAL EQUIVALENCY MAY VARY AND MAY BE DEMONSTRATED BY PROPERTY OWNER TO BE DIFFERENT.				DU = Dwelling Unit GFA = Gross Floor Area GLA = Gross Leasable Area	

4. Existing Conditions Analysis

Chapter 395 identifies specific requirements necessary in the capital improvements plan for impact fees. The existing conditions, including defining the existing roadway system, and analysis of the total capacity, the level of current usage, and commitments for usage of the existing roadway, are required as part of the capital improvements plan. This chapter discusses the existing conditions.

Existing Conditions

An inventory of the collector and arterial roadway facilities was conducted to determine existing conditions throughout Waxahachie. This analysis determines the capacity provided by the existing roadway system, the demand currently placed on the system, and the potential existence of deficiencies on the system. Data for the inventory was obtained from field reconnaissance, traffic volume counts, the City Thoroughfare Plan and City Staff.

The roadways were divided into segments based on volume changes, major intersections, service area boundaries, and capacity changes. For each roadway segment, the length, number of lanes, cross-section, and PM peak hour volume data were obtained. Lane capacities were assigned to each segment based on the type of cross-section and roadway lane capacities. Lane capacities used in the analysis are shown in **Table 4** and reflect hourly volume capacities for Level-of-Service “D” operations.

Table 4
Roadway Facility Vehicle-Mile Lane Capacities

Roadway Facility	Designation	Hourly Vehicle-mile Capacity per Lane Mile of Roadway Facility
Divided Arterial	DA	625
Divided Collector	DC	550
Undivided Arterial	UA	600
Undivided Collector	UC	500

Existing Volumes

Existing directional PM peak hour volumes were obtained from automated traffic counts conducted throughout the city. Automated traffic counts at 53 separate locations were initially collected in November 2006 and supplemented in May 2008 on major roadways (as identified in the Thoroughfare Plan as arterial or collector status) throughout Waxahachie. In an effort to minimize the total number of counts, data was collected at locations where traffic volumes would typify link volumes on the major segments within the immediate area. For segments not counted, existing volume estimates were developed based on data from adjoining roadway counts.

Supplemental counts conducted in May 2008 were collected at previous locations in order to measure relative growth and validate initial data collection efforts. Analysis of the data revealed volume increases that ranged from 3-15%. Where applicable, a growth rate of 5% was applied to 2006 data to yield an estimate of current conditions.

This data was compiled for roadway segments throughout the city and entered into the database for use in calculations. A summary of volumes by roadway segment is included in **Appendix C** as part of the existing capital improvements database.

Vehicle-Miles of Existing Capacity Supply

An analysis of the total capacity for each service area was performed. For each roadway segment, the existing vehicle-miles of capacity supplied were calculated using the following equation:

$$\text{Vehicle-Miles of Capacity} = \text{Link capacity per peak hour per lane} \times \text{No. of Lanes} \times \text{Length of segment (miles)}$$

A summary of the current capacity available on the roadway system is shown in **Table 5**. It is important to note that the roadway capacity depicted in Table 5 is system-wide for all roadways and not restricted to those roadways proposed in the impact fee capital improvements plan. For a detailed listing of vehicle-miles of capacity by roadway segment, refer to Appendix C.

Vehicle-Miles of Existing Demand

The level of current usage in terms of vehicle-miles was calculated for each roadway segment. The vehicle-miles of existing demand were calculated by the following equation:

$$\text{Vehicle-Miles of Demand} = \text{PM peak hour volume} \times \text{Length of segment (miles)}$$

Table 5 also lists total vehicle-miles of demand. Appendix C includes a detailed listing of vehicle-miles of demand by directional roadway segment.

Vehicle-Miles of Existing Excess Capacity and Deficiencies

For each roadway segment, the existing vehicle-miles of excess capacity and/or deficiencies were calculated. Each direction was evaluated to determine if vehicle demands exceeded the available capacity. If demand exceeded capacity in one or both directions, the deficiency is deducted from the

supply associated with the impact fee capital improvement plan. A summary of peak hour excess capacity and deficiencies are shown in **Table 6**. A detailed listing of the existing excess capacity and deficiencies by roadway segment is also located in Appendix C.

Table 5
Peak Hour Vehicle-Miles of Existing Capacity and Demand

Service Area	Capacity	Demand
1	10,926	2,182
2	21,884	14,651
3	3,336	1,371
4	25,934	11,953
5	3,252	1,359
6	23,838	5,723
7	<u>2,740</u>	<u>99</u>
Total	91,910	37,339

Table 6
Peak Hour Vehicle-Miles of Excess Capacity and Deficiencies

Service Area	Excess Capacity	Existing Deficiencies
1	8,744	0
2	7,262	30
3	2,091	126
4	14,448	468
5	1,893	0
6	18,115	0
7	<u>2,641</u>	<u>0</u>
Total	55,195	624

5. Projected Conditions Analysis

Chapter 395 requires a description of all capital improvements or facility expansions and their costs necessitated by and attributable to new development within the service area. This chapter describes the projected growth, vehicle-miles of new demand, capital improvements program, vehicle-miles of new capacity supplied, and costs of the roadway improvements.

Projected Growth

The projected growth for each transportation service area is represented by the increase in the number of new vehicle-miles generated over the 10-year planning period. The basis for the calculation of new demand is the population and employment projections that were prepared as part of the Waxahachie Land Use Assumptions Report for Impact Fees by Sefko Planning Group in May 2008. Estimates of population and employment were prepared for the years 2008 and 2018. The Land Use Assumptions for Impact Fees report was heard at a Public Hearing and approved by the Waxahachie City Council on June 16, 2008.

Population data was provided in terms of the number of dwelling units, households and persons. Employment data was broken into three classes of employees; basic, service and retail. These are the typical components used in the traffic forecast modeling process. Waxahachie is comprised of a variety of employment groupings, which have been classified by Standard Industry Classification (SIC) code.

Basic employment (SIC 1,000-5,199) generally encompasses the industrial and manufacturing uses; service employment (SIC 6,000-9,799) encompasses government and office uses; and retail employment (SIC 5,200-5,999) generally includes commercial and retail uses.

Projected Vehicle-Miles of New Demand

Projected vehicle-miles of demand were calculated based on the growth expected to occur during the 10-year planning period and the service unit generation for each of the population and employment data components (basic, service and retail). Separate calculations were performed for each data component and were then aggregated for the service area. Vehicle-miles of demand for population growth were based on dwelling units, and vehicle-miles of demand for employment were based on the number of employees and estimates of square footage per employee.

Table 7 lists the projected vehicle-miles of demand over the 10-year planning period for Waxahachie. **Appendix D** contains the projected demand calculation worksheet.

Table 7
Vehicle-Miles of New Demand

Service Area	Projected 10-Year Growth (Vehicle-Miles)
1	6,053
2	3,732
3	774
4	6,815
5	2,424
6	4,245
7	578
Total	24,620

Capital Improvements Program

The first step in the development of the roadway impact fee system is the determination of a Capital Improvements Program (CIP). FNI/Sefko Planning Group and City Staff identified the capital improvement program of roadway projects to be constructed based on growth projected to occur over the planning period. Based on the location and projection of growth activity, efforts were made to identify roadway projects that would help to facilitate and provide (access and circulation) for such development.

Thoroughfare Plan

Impact fees may only consider “arterial” or “collector” class facilities designated on the City’s Thoroughfare Plan. In Waxahachie, arterial class facilities are called “major thoroughfare” and “secondary thoroughfare”. A review of the Thoroughfare Plan (adopted October 2007 as part of the Comprehensive Plan Update) identified projects which were eligible for consideration by impact fees. Several types of roadways fell under the “arterial” and “collector” class facilities and are listed below.

Waxahachie Thoroughfare Plan Sections

Arterial	A-1	A-2	B	C-1	C-2	D-1	D-2	D-3	D-4
Right-of-Way	100'	120'	100'	90'	90'	80'	70'	74'	64'
Collector	E-1	E-2	E-3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Right-of-Way	60'	60'	60'	-	-	-	-	-	-

Roadway projects, which have been completed by the City and are classified as “arterial” or “collector” class facilities are also eligible for recoupment under the impact fee program. Only costs incurred by the City may be considered for impact fees. Roadways constructed with private funding cannot be included for impact fee consideration. Additionally, state facilities are also eligible for inclusion to the impact fee system however, only costs incurred by the City may be eligible for consideration.

Staff Input and Project Achievability

City Staff contributed to the identification of potential projects based on historic and projected growth, and known/anticipated development activity within the City. An initial project list was compiled and reviewed with Staff prior to presentation to the CIAC. While many projects were eligible for consideration, special consideration was given to the reasonableness and achievability of specific projects from a cost and timing perspective.

The proposed impact fee capital improvements plan was presented to the CIAC for discussion and consideration over the course of several meetings (May 28, June 11, and June 25, 2008). A Public Hearing on the capital improvements plan was held on August 18, 2008 and culminated with approval by the Waxahachie City Council.

Capital Improvements Plan

Figure 2 and **Table 8** illustrate and lists the proposed capital improvement projects for the impact fee system. The proposed CIP consists of 20 project segments covering all service areas. Of these, three are “recoupment” projects and include; Northgate Drive (existing roadway to Stadium Dr.), Stadium Drive (existing roadway to US 287) and Broadhead Road (US287 to April Lane).

Three projects are located on the state system and include; Ovilla Road (Service Area 1 and Service Area 3), Brown Road (FM 813 in Service Area 2/5), and interchange at US287 (Service Area 6). For these projects, it was assumed that there would be 50% funding participation by the State.

Cost of CIP

The cost of the proposed impact fee CIP is \$110.5M, and is comprised of \$103.1M in new projects and \$7.3M recoupment projects. Cost components considered in the derivation of the estimated program cost include; construction, engineering, right-of-way, and debt service. Any previous assessments collected by the city from development (for any of the impact fee projects identified) were netted out of the cost of the program. The cost for impact fee study updates were also included in the program. **Appendix E** details the development of individual cost components of the impact fee CIP.

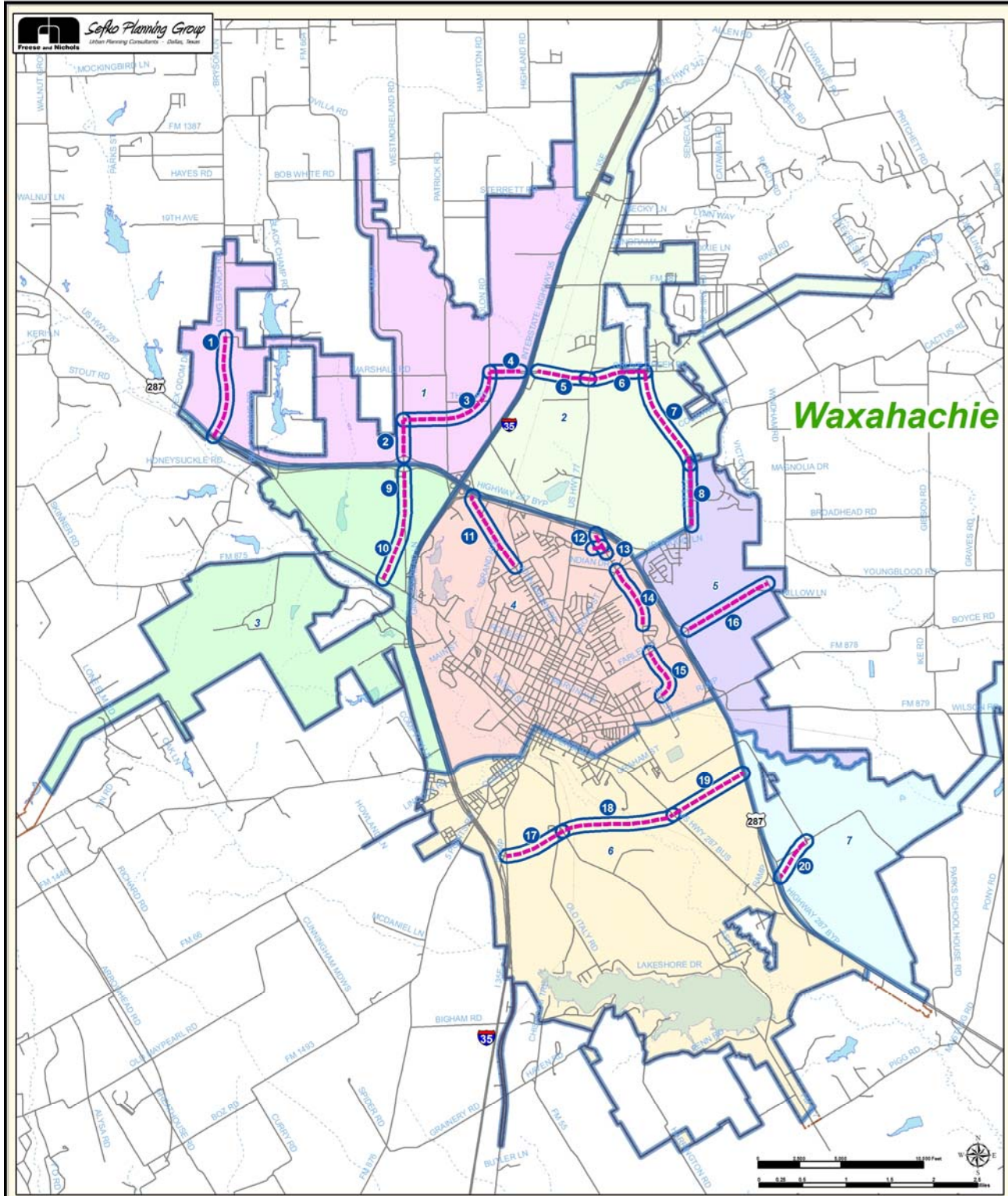


Figure 2
Roadway Impact Fee
Capital Improvements Plan

Legend
 Impact Fee CIP Project
 City Limits

Waxahachie
 Impact Fee Study
 September 5, 2008

Table 8
2008 Waxahachie Roadway Impact Fee Study
Roadway Capital Improvements Plan

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Serv Area	Reference CIP No.	Roadway	From	To	Length (mi)	No. of Lanes	Type	Tfare Plan Type	Pct. in Serv. Area	Roadway Project Costs						Total Project Cost
										Engineering*	ROW	Construction	Finance*	Prev. Assmt.	Signal	
1	1	Longbranch Rd	US 287	Longbranch Rd	1.18	4	DA	A-2	100%	\$313,930	\$298,476	\$4,484,719	\$2,675,991	\$0	\$0	\$7,773,116
1	2	Ovilla Rd***	US 287	New Road A (S. of Oregon)	0.42	4	DA	A-2	100%	\$56,304	\$89,220	\$804,344	\$498,681	\$0	\$0	\$1,448,550
1	3	New Road A	Ovilla Rd.	Loftland	1.30	4	DA	B	100%	\$311,866	\$275,584	\$4,455,222	\$2,647,402	\$0	\$0	\$7,690,073
1	4	Lofland	Solon	IH 35	0.35	4	UA	B	100%	\$84,107	\$55,742	\$1,201,527	\$704,222	\$0	\$0	\$2,045,597
Sub-total SA 1					3.26					\$766,207	\$719,021	\$10,945,812	\$6,526,296	\$0	\$0	\$18,957,336
2	5	Lofland/Cardinal	IH-35	US 77	0.60	4	DA	B	100%	\$646,034	\$316,275	\$9,229,050	\$5,350,463	\$0	\$0	\$15,541,822
2	6	Grove Creek Ext	US 77	New Road B (W. of Brookstone)	0.69	4	DA	B	100%	\$164,152	\$126,923	\$2,345,035	\$1,383,958	\$0	\$80,000	\$4,100,069
2	7	New Road B	Grove Creek Ext	Brown Rd (FM 813)	1.20	4	DA	C	100%	\$232,825	\$200,274	\$3,326,077	\$1,973,568	\$0	\$0	\$5,732,745
2/5	8	Brown Rd FM 813	Brown Rd (FM 813)	Brown Rd (FM 813)	0.68	4	DA	C	50%	\$32,870	\$18,849	\$469,565	\$273,674	\$0	\$0	\$794,958
Sub-total SA 2					3.17					\$1,075,881	\$662,322	\$15,369,727	\$8,981,663	\$0	\$80,000	\$26,169,593
3	9	Ovilla Rd***	US 287	Mid-Project	0.47	4	DA	B	100%	\$56,410	\$99,694	\$805,852	\$505,026	\$0	\$0	\$1,466,981
3	10	Ovilla Rd***	Mid-Project	Bus 287	0.80	4	DA	B	100%	\$95,931	\$59,340	\$1,370,447	\$801,002	\$0	\$0	\$2,326,720
Sub-total SA 3					1.27					\$152,341	\$159,034	\$2,176,299	\$1,306,028	\$0	\$0	\$3,793,701
4	11	John Arden	US 287	Solon	0.96	4	DA	C	100%	\$186,511	\$381,988	\$2,664,441	\$1,697,293	\$0	\$0	\$4,930,233
4	12	Northgate	Existing	Stadium Dr.	0.11	2	UC	D	100%	\$13,914	\$0	\$139,140	\$80,353	\$0	\$0	\$233,407
4	13	Stadium Dr.	Stadium Dr.	US 287	0.26	2	UC	D	100%	\$30,834	\$0	\$308,336	\$178,064	\$0	\$0	\$517,233
4	14	River Oaks	Brown	River Oaks	0.71	2	UC	D	100%	\$187,950	\$138,297	\$1,879,502	\$1,158,018	\$0	\$0	\$3,363,767
4	15	River Oaks/Marvin Connection	Farley	Marvin Ave.	0.60	2	UC	D	100%	\$179,684	\$81,980	\$1,796,836	\$1,080,712	\$0	\$0	\$3,139,212
Sub-total SA 4					3.24					\$598,892	\$602,265	\$6,788,254	\$4,194,440	\$0	\$0	\$12,183,851
5/2	8	Brown Rd (FM 813) ***	Brown Rd (FM 813)	Brown Rd (FM 813)	0.68	4	DA	C	50%	\$32,870	\$18,849	\$469,565	\$273,674	\$0	\$0	\$794,958
5	16	Broadhead	US 287	April Lane	1.02	4	DA	C	100%	\$320,000	\$750	\$3,980,138	\$2,257,966	(\$50,111)	\$80,000	\$6,588,743
Sub-total SA 5					1.70					\$352,870	\$19,599	\$4,449,703	\$2,531,640	(\$50,111)	\$80,000	\$7,383,701
6	17	New Road C - Segment 1	US 77	Howard	0.71	4	DA	C	100%	\$137,146	\$117,972	\$1,959,233	\$1,162,534	\$0	\$80,000	\$3,456,885
6	18	New Road C - Segment 2	Howard	Bus 287	1.29	4	DA	C	100%	\$995,668	\$214,948	\$14,223,824	\$8,103,081	\$0	\$0	\$23,537,520
6	19	New Road C - Segment 3 ***	Bus 287	US 287	0.93	4	DA	C	100%	\$482,752	\$154,400	\$6,896,461	\$3,955,147	\$0	\$0	\$11,488,760
Sub-total SA 6					2.93					\$1,615,566	\$487,319	\$23,079,517	\$13,220,762	\$0	\$80,000	\$38,483,165
7	20	New Road D	US 287	Park School House	0.52	4	DA	A	100%	\$137,325	\$163,205	\$1,961,783	\$1,187,715	\$0	\$0	\$3,450,029
Sub-total SA 6					0.52					\$1,752,891	\$650,525	\$1,961,783	\$1,187,715	\$0	\$0	\$3,450,029
Totals:					15.41					\$6,314,648	\$3,300,085	\$64,771,096	\$37,948,544	(\$50,111)	\$240,000	\$110,421,376

Engineering Cost	\$6,314,648
Right-of-Way Cost	\$3,300,085
Construction Cost	\$64,771,096
Traffic Signals	\$240,000
Finance Cost	\$37,948,544
Previous Assessments	(\$50,111)
TOTAL NET COST	\$110,421,376
Future Impact Fee Update Cost **	\$70,000
TOTAL IMPLEMENTATION COST	\$110,491,376

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Notes:

* Assumes 7% cost of construction, interest rate for debt service @ 5% over 20 years.

** Assumes two 5-year updates at \$35,000 each; cost spread over service areas.

*** TXDOT Participation at 50%.

DA- Divided arterial

N - New Project

DC- Divided collector

R - Recoupment project

UC- Undivided collector

Projected Vehicle-Miles Capacity Available for New Growth

The vehicle-miles of new capacity supply were calculated similar to the vehicle-miles of existing capacity supplied. The equation used was:

$$\text{Vehicle-Miles of New Capacity Supplied} = \text{Link capacity per peak hour per lane} \\ \times \text{Num. of lanes within Service Area} \times \text{Length of segment (miles)}$$

Vehicle-miles of new supply provided by the CIP are listed in **Table 9**. While the project has not been built, there are system deficiencies (by service area) that have been removed from the total supply to properly account for new “net” availability. Table 9 depicts net availability of supply by the CIP. **Appendix F** details capacity calculations provided by the CIP program.

Table 9
Vehicle-Miles of New Capacity Supplied

Service Area	Vehicle-Miles of New Capacity Supplied	Vehicle-Miles of Net Capacity Supplied
1	8,107	7,795
2	7,075	6,878
3	3,187	2,988
4	4,085	3,203
5	4,262	3,451
6	7,325	7,325
7	1,288	1,288
Totals	35,328	32,928

Cost of Roadway Improvements

The total and net cost to implement the roadway improvements plan projects by service area is shown in **Table 10**. If traffic exists on proposed CIP project roadways or there are any deficiencies present in each respective service area, the total system cost is adjusted to reflect the net capacity being made available by the impact fee program. In other words, only the unused portion of the CIP and its associated costs are considered eligible. A detailed listing by project segment in each service area can be found in **Appendix G**. **Appendix H** details system costs by service area.

Table 10
Summary of Roadway Improvements Plan Cost Analysis

Service Area	Actual Cost of Proposed IFCIP Projects	Adjusted Cost (50% credit) of Proposed IFCIP Projects
1	\$18,973,399	\$9,486,700
2	\$26,183,611	\$13,091,806
3	\$3,800,016	\$1,900,008
4	\$12,191,945	\$6,095,972
5	\$7,392,146	\$3,696,073
6	\$38,497,679	\$19,248,839
7	\$3,452,580	\$1,726,290
Totals	\$110,491,376	\$55,245,688

State law is specific in identifying that only the portion of the CIP necessitated and attributable to new development is eligible for cost recovery. For example, if only 60% of the net service units supplied by the CIP are needed in the next 10 years, only 60% of the cost (credited at 50% per legislative requirements) may be considered in the calculation of fees. All of the capacity being made available by the impact fee CIP will be necessitated to address future growth over the 10-year planning period. The cost attributable to new growth is \$38.5 million and represents the cost attributable to new growth to implement projects on the impact fee program. **Table 11** depicts CIP costs attributable to new growth by service area.

Table 11
Capital Improvements Plan Costs Attributable to New Development

Service Area	Actual Cost Attributable to New Growth	Adjusted Cost (50% credit) Attributable to New Growth
1	\$14,165,319	\$7,082,659
2	\$13,812,128	\$6,906,064
3	\$922,493	\$461,246
4	\$9,561,722	\$4,780,861
5	\$4,203,920	\$2,101,960
6	\$22,307,602	\$11,153,801
7	\$1,549,466	\$774,733
Totals	76,999,514	\$38,499,757

6. Calculation of Impact Fees

This chapter discusses the calculation of the cost per service unit and the calculation of roadway impact fees. The transportation impact fee will vary by the particular land use, service area, and size of the development. Examples are included to better illustrate the method by which the transportation impact fees are calculated.

Cost Per Service Unit

The cost per service unit is calculated by dividing the cost of the CIP necessitated and attributable to new demand (net cost) by the projected service units of growth over the 10-year planning period.

Generally, the cost per service unit varies by service area because of; the net capacity being provided by the proposed projects, variations in cost of CIP and, the number of service units necessitated by new growth in each impact fee service area. Where net capacity supplied is greater than demand, the cost per service unit is simply the cost of the net capacity divided by the number of service units provided. In this case, only the portion of the CIP necessitated by new development is used in the calculation. If net capacity supplied is *less* than projected new demand, then the cost per service unit is calculated by dividing the total cost of net supply by the portion of new demand attributable and necessary by development. The result is generally a decrease in the cost per service unit, because such cost is spread over the larger number of service units of growth.

Table 12 lists the results of the cost per service unit calculation by service area. The actual cost per service unit reflects the true burden to the City for the implementation of the roadway capital improvements program. As per state law, a credit for the portion of ad-valorem tax revenues generated by improvements over the program period, or a credit equal to 50% of the total projected cost of implementing the capital improvements plan must be given. Based on this analysis, the maximum collection rate reflects the maximum amount per service unit that can be charged to be in compliance with the state statute. **Appendix H** details the maximum fee per service unit calculation for each service area.

Table 12
Cost Per Service Unit Summary

Service Area	Actual Cost Per Service Unit	Maximum Allowable (50%) Cost per Service Unit
1	\$2,340.00	\$1,170.00
2	\$3,700.00	\$1,850.00
3	\$1,192.00	\$596.00
4	\$1,402.00	\$701.00
5	\$1,734.00	\$867.00
6	\$5,254.00	\$2,627.00
7	\$2,680.00	\$1,340.00
Average	\$3,126.00	\$1,563.00

Calculation of Roadway Impact Fees

The calculation of roadway impact fees for new development involves a two-step process. *Step One* is the calculation of the total number of service units that will be generated by the development. *Step Two* is the calculation of the impact fee due by the new development.

Step 1: Determine number of service units (vehicle-miles) generated by the development using the equivalency table.

$$\begin{matrix} \text{No. of Development} \\ \text{Units} \end{matrix} \times \begin{matrix} \text{Vehicle-miles} \\ \text{per development unit} \end{matrix} = \begin{matrix} \text{Development's} \\ \text{Vehicle-miles} \end{matrix}$$

Step 2: Calculate the impact fee based on the fee per service unit for the service area where the development is located.

$$\begin{matrix} \text{Development's} \\ \text{Vehicle-miles} \end{matrix} \times \begin{matrix} \text{Fee per} \\ \text{vehicle-mile} \end{matrix} = \begin{matrix} \text{Impact Fee due} \\ \text{from Development} \end{matrix}$$

Examples: The following fees would be assessed to new developments in Waxahachie if the cost per service unit in Service Area 4 were \$701.00 (assumed adoption of 50%).

Single-Family Dwelling

$$\begin{aligned} 1 \text{ dwelling unit} \times 2.73 \text{ vehicle-miles/dwelling unit} &= 2.73 \text{ vehicle-miles} \\ 2.73 \text{ vehicle-miles} \times \$701.00/\text{vehicle-mile} &= \$1,488.24 \end{aligned}$$

20,000 square foot (s.f.) Office Building

$$\begin{aligned} 20 \text{ (1,000 s.f. units)} \times 4.24 \text{ vehicle-miles/1,000 s.f. units} &= 84.80 \text{ vehicle-miles} \\ 84.80 \text{ vehicle-miles} \times \$701.00/\text{vehicle-mile} &= \$59,444.80 \end{aligned}$$

100,000 s.f. Retail Center

$$\begin{aligned} 100 \text{ (1,000 s.f. units)} \times 2.22 \text{ vehicle-miles/1,000 s.f. units} &= 222.00 \text{ vehicle-miles} \\ 222.00 \text{ vehicle-miles} \times \$701.00/\text{vehicle-mile} &= \$155,622.00 \end{aligned}$$

7. Conclusions

Chapter 395 authorizes the assessment and collection of impact fees in Texas for transportation related capital improvements that must be met in order to assess and collect impact fees. This study was conducted to fulfill the requirements of Chapter 395 in developing a transportation-related impact fee for the City of Waxahachie.

Seven service areas were created for Waxahachie. This service area structure was configured so that no point is greater than the six-mile maximum set forth by law. The six-mile limit ensures that roadway improvements are in close proximity to the development paying the fees that it serves.

Vehicle-miles of travel in the PM peak hour are used as the service unit for calculating and assessing impact fees. Vehicle-miles establish a relationship between the intensity of land development and the demand on the roadway system through the use of published trip generation data and average trip length. The PM peak hour is used as the time period for assessment because typically the greatest demand for roadway capacity occurs during this hour. Additionally, roadways are sized to meet this demand and roadway capacity can more accurately be defined on an hourly basis.

The service units (vehicle-miles) for new development are a function of trip generation and the average trip length for specific land uses. Trip generation information was based on data published by the Institute of Transportation Engineers as reported in the initial study. Where appropriate, trip generation rates were adjusted to reflect the primary trip purpose. This ensures that new development is assigned for the portion of trips associated with that specific development. Average trip length data was based on information compiled by NCTCOG and based on data from the 1994 NCTCOG Workplace Survey.

The result of combining trip generation and trip length information is an equivalency table that establishes a service unit rate for various land uses. Separate rates were established for specific land uses within the broader categories of residential, community, industrial and institutional uses.

An analysis of existing conditions revealed that the current roadway system provides over 91,910 vehicle-miles of capacity. The existing demand placed on the system was determined to be 37,339 vehicle-miles. Evaluation of the existing roadway system found 624 vehicle-miles of deficiencies on the existing roadway network.

Projected growth, in terms of vehicle-miles over the 10-year planning period, was based on population

and employment data that was prepared in the Land Use Assumptions for Impact Fees report dated May 15, 2008. Based on this growth, the projected vehicle-miles of demand calculated to be 24,620.

FNI/Sefko Planning Group and Waxahachie City Staff developed the roadway impact fee capital improvements program for the 10-year planning period. Projects eligible for this CIP include arterial and collector streets that have been designated on the officially adopted Thoroughfare Plan of the City. Developer funded roadways are not eligible for inclusion in calculating impact fees. Twenty project segments, totaling \$100.5 million, was identified for impact fee consideration based on need, projected growth, project affordability and achievability, financial considerations, jurisdictional issues, the Thoroughfare Plan, and staff recommendation. The credited (50%) cost attributable to new growth is \$55.2 million and represents 100% of the net capacity made available for development by impact fee roadway projects. The recommended CIP program will provide 32,928 vehicle-miles of new net capacity.

The *actual* cost per service unit was calculated to be between \$1,192.00 and \$5,254.00 and was based on the total cost of net capacity supplied by the CIP and the demand attributable to new development over the 10-year planning period. State legislation requires that a credit for the portion of ad-valorem tax revenues generated by improvements over the program period, or a credit equal to 50% of the total projected cost of implementing a roadway impact fee capital improvements program be given. Based on a 50% credit, the cost per service unit ranges between \$596.00 and \$2,627.00.

The determination of fees due from new development is based upon the size of development, its associated service unit generation (equivalency table) and the cost per service unit derived or adopted for each service area.

APPENDICES

A. Roadway Impact Fee Definitions

ROADWAY IMPACT FEE DEFINITIONS

Average Trip Length - the average actual travel distance between two points. The average trip length by specific land use varies.

Diverted Trip - similar to pass-by trip, but a diversion is made from the regular route to make an interim stop.

Impact Fee - a charge or assessment imposed by a city against new development to generate revenue for funding or recouping roadway improvements necessitated and attributable to new development.

Maximum Fee Per Service Unit - the highest impact fee that may be collected by the City per vehicle-mile of supply. Calculated by dividing the costs of the capital improvements by the total number of vehicle-miles of demand expected in the 10-year planning period.

Pass-by Trip - a trip made as an intermediate stop on the way from an origin to a primary trip destination. For example, a stop at a convenience store on the way to office from home.

PM Peak Hour - the hour when the highest volume of traffic typically occurs. Data collection (September 2001) revealed the peak hour of travel between 5:00 and 6:00 pm for Waxahachie.

PM Peak Hour Traffic Counts - the number of vehicles passing a certain point during the peak hours of travel. Traffic counts are conducted during the PM peak hour because the greatest demand for roadway capacity occurs during this hour.

Primary Trip - a trip made for the specific purpose of visiting a destination; for example, from home to office.

Roadway Demand - the demand placed on the roadway network as a result of development. Determined by multiplying the trip generation of a specific land use by the average trip length.

Roadway Supply (or Capacity) - the number of service units provided by a segment of roadway over a period of time. Determined by multiplying the lane capacity by the roadway length.

Service Area - the area within the city boundaries to be served by capital improvements. Criteria for developing the service area structure include; 1) restricted to six-mile limit by legislation (to ensure proximity of roadway improvements to development), 2) conforms to census or forecast model boundaries, 3) projects on CIP as boundaries, 4) effort to match roadway supply with projected demand, or 5) city limit boundaries.

Service Unit - a measure of use or generation attributable to new development for roadway improvements. Also used to measure supply provided by existing and proposed roadway improvements.

Trip - a single, one-direction vehicle movement from an origin to a destination.

Trip Generation - the total trip ends for a land use over a given period of time or the total of all trips entering and exiting a site during that designated time. Used in the development of 10-year traffic demand projections and the equivalency table for Waxahachie. Based primarily on data prepared by the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE).

Vehicle - for impact fee purposes, any motorized appurtenance that carries passengers and/or goods on the roadway system during peak periods of travel.

Vehicle-mile - a unit used to express both supply and demand provided by, and placed on, the roadway system. A combination of a number of vehicles traveling during a given time period and the distance in which these vehicles travel in miles.

B. Land Use Definitions

LAND USE DEFINITIONS

Residential

Single-Family Detached - Any single-family detached home on an individual lot is included in this category. A typical example of this land use is a home in a suburban subdivision. Also included are duplex residential units and manufactured homes and other residential land uses not specified above.

Multi-Family - This land use includes both low-rise ("walk-up" dwellings) and high-rise multi-family apartments. An apartment is defined as a dwelling unit that is located within the same building with three or more dwelling units. Also included in this land use are residential condominiums, townhomes, triplex and quadplex units. Residential condominiums and townhomes are defined as single-family units that have at least one other single-family unit within the same building structure.

Independent Senior Living Facility - Retirement communities - restricted to adults or senior citizens - contain residential units similar to apartments or condominiums, and are usually self-contained villages. They may also contain special services such as medical facilities, dining facilities, and some limited supporting retail facilities.

Office

General Office Building - A general office building houses one or more tenants and is the location where affairs of a business, commercial or industrial organization, and professional activity are conducted. The building or buildings may be limited to one tenant or contain a mixture of tenants including professional services, insurance companies, investment brokers, company headquarters, and services for the tenants such as a bank or savings and loan, a restaurant or cafeteria, and several retail facilities. Also included in this category are office parks, and other office uses not specified above.

Medical Office Building – A building that provides diagnoses and outpatient care on a routine basis but is unable to provide prolonged in-house medical and surgical care. One or more private physicians or dentists generally operate this type of facility.

Commercial/Retail

General Retail – General retail includes a variety of land uses that include shopping centers, home improvement stores, hardware stores selling a complete assortment of food, household goods and materials, apparel, servicing items. A shopping center is an integrated group of commercial establishments that is planned, developed, owned, and managed as a unit. It is related to its market area in terms of size, location, and type of store. Shopping centers provide on-site parking facilities. Some centers may include non-merchandising uses such as small office professional services, post offices, banks, health clubs, video rentals, and recreational facilities such as ice-skating rinks or video arcades.

Restaurant - This land use consists of sit-down eating establishments. Quality and high-turnover (sit-down) restaurants are included in this category. Quality restaurants usually have a turnover

rate of at least one hour or longer. The turnover rate for a high-turnover (sit-down) restaurant is usually less than one hour.

Fast Food Restaurant - This category includes fast food restaurants with or without drive-through windows, such as McDonalds, Burger King, Dunkin Donuts, and Taco Bell. Some establishments may include an indoor or outdoor playground.

Convenience Store/Gas Station - Any convenience market that sell convenience foods, newspapers, magazines, and often, beer and wine and may have gasoline pumps. Gas stations generally are located at intersections or freeway interchanges and may include facilities for servicing, repairing, fueling motor vehicles and also may have convenience stores. Convenience stores/gas stations that have a fast-food restaurant contained within should be calculated on a separate basis based on the appropriate independent variable.

Bank - This land use includes walk-in and drive-in banks. Walk-in banks are generally free-standing buildings with their own parking lots. These banks do not have drive-in windows. Drive-in banks provide banking facilities for the motorist while in a vehicle; many also serve patrons who walk into the building. Savings and loan companies should also be included in this category.

Hotel/Motel – A place of lodging that provides sleeping accommodations, small restaurants, lounges, and meeting spaces. Some hotels or motels may provide banquet rooms or other retail and service shops.

Furniture and Appliance Sales - A store specializing in the sale of furniture, household appliances and goods and often, carpeting.

Theater – This land use consists of a movie or live theater and contains audience seating, single or multiple auditoriums, lobby, offices and refreshment stands.

Self-Storage Facilities - A self serve storage unit or vault that is rented for the storage of goods. Each unit is physically separated from other units and access is usually provided through an overhead door or other common access point.

Industrial

General Industrial – General industrial includes a variety of land uses such as light industrial, manufacturing, salvage, facilities for preparation/assembly and warehouse/distribution of goods. Other uses include materials testing laboratories, high-tech facilities and assemblers of technical equipment. Most facilities are free standing and devoted to a single use. Also included in this category are any other industrial uses not specified above.

Manufacturing – Facilities where the primary activity is the conversion or fabrication of raw materials to finished products. In addition to production of goods, manufacturing facilities may also have ancillary office, warehouse and associated functions.

Warehousing – These facilities are primarily devoted to the storage of materials. These facilities differ from mini-warehouse in that they are generally not self-service in nature.

Institutional

Private School - Private schools serve students between the kindergarten and middle school or high school levels. Private schools are usually centrally located in residential communities in order to facilitate student access and have no student drivers.

Community College - Community college provides two and four year advanced degrees. Vocational and technical schools are other uses that may fall under this category.

Day Care Center - A day care center is a facility where care for pre-school age children is provided, normally during the daytime hours. Day care facilities generally include classrooms, offices, eating areas, and playgrounds. Some centers also provide after-school care for older children.

Hospital - A hospital is any institution where medical or surgical care is given to non-ambulatory and ambulatory patients, and overnight accommodations are provided.

Nursing Home - A nursing home is any facility whose primary purpose is to care for persons who are unable to care for themselves. The term applies to rest homes, chronic care, and convalescent homes.

Religious Facilities – Churches, synagogues or houses of worship that provide public worship services, and generally houses an assembly hall or sanctuary, meeting rooms, classrooms, and occasionally dining, catering, or party facilities.

Activity Centers – A recreational center or private club such as a YMCA that may offer classes and clubs for adults and children; a day care or a nursery school, meeting rooms, swimming pools and whirlpools; saunas, tennis, racquetball and handball courts, exercise classes, weightlifting equipment and locker rooms. Some may offer a small restaurant or snack bar within.

U.S. Post Office – A building that contains service windows for mailing packages and letters, post office boxes, offices, sorting and distributing facilities for mail and vehicle storage areas.

C. Existing Capital Improvements

EXISTING CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS

Definitions

LANES	The total number of lanes in both directions available for travel.
TYPE	The type of roadway (used in determining capacity): DA = divided arterial UA = undivided arterial UC = undivided collector
PK-HR VOLUME	The existing volume of cars on the roadway segment traveling during the afternoon (P.M.) peak hour of travel. A and B indicate the two directions of travel. Direction A is a northbound or eastbound and direction B is southbound or westbound. If only one half of the roadway is located within the service area (see % in service area), the opposing direction will have no volume in the service area.
% IN SERVICE AREA	If the roadway is located on the boundary of the service area (with the city limits running along the centerline of the roadway), then half of the roadway is inventoried in the service area and the other half is not. This value is either 50% or 100%.
VEH-MI SUPPLY PK-HR	The number of total service units (vehicle-miles) supplied within the service area, based on the length and established capacity of the roadway type.
VEH-MI TOTAL DEMAND PK-HR	The total service unit (vehicle-mile) demand created by existing traffic on the roadway segment in the afternoon peak hour.
EXCESS CAPACITY PK-HR VEH-MI	The number of service units supplied but unused by existing traffic in the afternoon peak hour.
EXISTING DEFICIENCIES PK-HR VEH-MI	The number of service units of demand in excess of the service units supplied.

NOTE: Excess capacity and existing deficiencies are calculated separately for each direction. It is possible to have excess capacity in one direction and an existing deficiency in the other. When both directions have excess capacity or deficiencies, the total for both directions are presented.

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Serv Area	Shared Svc Area	Roadway	From	To	Length (mi)	No. of Lanes	Type	Capacity	Pct. in Serv. Area	Peak Hour Volume			VMT Supply		VMT Supply Pk Hr Total	VMT Demand Pk Hr Total	Total VMT Excess Capacity	Total VMT Deficiency
										A	B	Total	A Dir Pk Dir	B Dir Pk Dir				
1		PATRICK	US 287	MARSHALL	1.12	2 UC	500	100%	106	11	117	560	560	1120	131	989	0	
1		PATRICK	MARSHALL	N CITY LIMIT	1.14	2 UC	500	100%	106	11	117	570	570	1140	133	1007	0	
1	2	HIGHLAND	US 287	N CITY LIMIT	0.74	2 UC	500	50%	0	75	75	0	370	370	55	315	0	
1		OVILLA (FM 664)	US 287	MARSHALL	0.93	2 UA	600	100%	229	208	438	558	558	1116	407	709	0	
1		OVILLA (FM 664)	MARSHALL	BOB WHITE	2.60	2 UA	600	100%	229	208	438	1560	1560	3120	1138	1982	0	
1		MARSHALL	PATRICK	OVILLA (FM 664)	0.50	2 UC	500	100%	15	12	26	250	250	500	13	487	0	
1		MARSHALL	OVILLA (FM 664)	BLACK CHAMP	1.34	2 UC	500	100%	36	22	58	670	670	1340	78	1262	0	
1		LONGBRANCH	BLACK CHAMP	N CITY LIMIT	1.85	2 UA	600	100%	67	55	122	1110	1110	2220	226	1994	0	
Sub-Total					10.22									10,926	2,182	8,744	0	
2	1	HIGHLAND	IH 35	N CITY LIMIT	1.17	2 UC	500	50%	33	0	33	585	0	585	38	547	0	
2		W. STERRETT	IH 35	US 77	0.33	2 UC	500	50%	99	63	162	165	165	330	53	277	0	
2		BUTCHER (FM 387)	IH 35	US 77	0.43	2 UA	600	100%	185	243	428	258	258	516	184	332	0	
2		BUTCHER (FM 387)	US 77	COVENTRY	0.71	2 UA	600	100%	497	275	772	426	426	852	548	304	0	
2		GROVE CREEK	US 77	BROOKBEND DR	0.82	2 UA	600	100%	127	80	207	492	492	984	170	814	0	
2	5	BROWN	US 287	SPRING CREEK	0.80	2 UA	600	50%	0	259	259	0	480	480	207	273	0	
2	5	BROWN	SPRING CREEK	E CITY LIMIT	0.69	2 UA	600	50%	0	211	211	0	414	414	145	269	0	
2		US 77	IH 35	SH 342	1.02	4 UA	600	100%	406	701	1107	1224	1224	2448	1129	1319	0	
2		US 77	SH 342	STERRETT	0.97	5 SA	625	100%	406	701	1107	1213	1213	2425	1074	1351	0	
2		US 77	STERRETT	BUTCHER (FM 387)	0.97	5 SA	625	100%	549	905	1455	1213	1213	2425	1411	1014	0	
2		US 77	BUTCHER (FM 387)	GROVE CREEK	1.50	5 SA	625	100%	992	1214	2205	1875	1875	3750	3308	442	0	
2		US 77	GROVE CREEK	YMCA	0.68	5 SA	625	100%	1119	1294	2413	850	850	1700	1641	89	30	
2	3	US 77	YMCA	US 287	1.99	5 SA	625	100%	1195	1188	2383	2488	2488	4975	4742	233	0	
Sub-Total					12.08									21,884	14,651	7,262	30	
3		OVILLA (FM 664)	US 287	Bus 287	1.38	2 UA	600	100%	76	86	162	828	828	1656	224	1432	0	
3		Bus 287	OVILLA (FM 664)	FM 875 (LONE ELM)	0.91	2 UA	600	100%	316	369	685	546	546	1092	624	468	0	
3		Bus 287	FM 875 (LONE ELM)	US 287	0.37	2 UA	600	100%	316	369	685	222	222	444	254	190	0	
3	6	FM 1446 (CANTRELL)	IH 35 SBFR	W. CITY LIMITS	0.24	2 UA	600	50%	1126	0	1126	144	0	144	270	0	126	
Sub-Total					2.90									3,336	1,371	2,091	126	
4		US 77 (Dallas Hwy)	US 287	MARK TRAIL	0.18	5 SA	625	100%	1429	1285	2715	225	225	450	489	0	39	
4		US 77 (Dallas Hwy)	MARK TRAIL	NORTHGATE	0.05	5 SA	625	100%	1417	1194	2610	63	63	125	131	3	8	
4		US 77 (Dallas Hwy)	NORTHGATE	INDIAN	0.20	4 SA	625	100%	1387	1353	2740	188	188	375	548	0	173	
4		US 77 (Dallas Hwy)	INDIAN	E. UNIVERSITY	0.41	4 SA	625	100%	1266	1202	2468	384	384	769	1012	0	243	
4		US 77 (Dallas Hwy)	E. UNIVERSITY	LA VISTA	0.21	4 DA	625	100%	1205	1055	2260	263	263	525	475	50	0	
4		US 77 (Dallas Hwy)	LA VISTA	JOHN ARDEN	0.26	4 UA	600	100%	1102	984	2086	312	312	624	542	82	0	
4		US 77 (Dallas Hwy)	JOHN ARDEN	SYCAMORE	0.11	4 UA	600	100%	1118	872	1989	132	132	264	219	45	0	
4		US77 (Ferris Ave.)	SYCAMORE	ROSS	0.10	4 UA	600	100%	986	893	1879	120	120	240	188	52	0	
4		US77 (Ferris Ave.)	ROSS	MARVIN	0.26	4 UA	600	100%	949	725	1675	312	312	624	435	189	0	
4		US 77 (Elm St.)	MARVIN	SP RR	0.42	4 UA	600	100%	686	701	1387	504	504	1008	583	425	0	
4		US 77 (Elm St.)	SP RR	MAIN	0.13	2 UA	600	100%	614	611	1224	78	78	156	159	0	3	
4		US 77 (Elm St.)	MAIN	JEFFERSON	0.10	2 UA	600	100%	584	597	1181	60	60	120	118	2	0	
4		US 77 (Elm St.)	JEFFERSON	MADISON	0.05	2 UA	600	100%	542	627	1169	30	30	60	58	3	1	
4		NORTHGATE	HIGHSCHOOL	US 77 (Dallas Hwy)	0.40	2 UC	500	100%	341	229	571	200	200	400	228	172	0	
4		NORTHGATE	US 77 (Dallas Hwy)	SOLO	0.67	2 UC	500	100%	309	352	661	335	335	670	443	227	0	
4		HIGH SCHOOL	US 287	BROWN	0.49	2 UC	500	100%	124	179	303	245	245	490	149	341	0	
4		BROWN	US 287	INDIAN	0.12	4 UA	600	100%	537	528	1065	144	144	288	128	160	0	
4		BROWN	INDIAN	KIRKSY	0.80	4 UA	600	100%	379	353	732	960	960	1920	585	1335	0	
4		BROWN	KIRKSY	ROSS	0.40	2 UA	600	100%	337	366	703	240	240	480	281	199	0	
4		BROWN	ROSS	MARVIN	0.26	2 UA	600	100%	228	260	488	156	156	312	127	185	0	
4		JOHN ARDEN	US 77 (Dallas Hwy)	E. UNIVERSITY	0.49	2 UC	500	100%	94	86	180	245	245	490	88	402	0	
4		JOHN ARDEN	E. UNIVERSITY	SOLO	0.48	2 UC	500	100%	106	128	235	240	240	480	113	367	0	
4		JOHN ARDEN	SOLO	SAM GEORGE	0.90	2 UC	500	100%	119	139	258	450	450	900	232	668	0	
4		SOLO	US 287	JOHN ARDEN	0.70	2 UA	600	100%	78	76	154	420	420	840	108	732	0	
4		SOLO	JOHN ARDEN	GRAND	0.37	2 UA	600	100%	206	211	417	222	222	444	154	290	0	
4		GRAND	SOLO	MARVIN	0.50	2 UA	600	100%	208	213	421	300	300	600	211	389	0	
4		GRAND	MARVIN	MAIN	0.30	2 UA	600	100%	197	247	444	180	180	360	133	229	0	
4		E. UNIVERSITY	US 77 (Dallas Hwy)	JOHN ARDEN	0.33	2 UC	500	100%	184	168	353	165	165	330	116	214	0	
4		E. UNIVERSITY	JOHN ARDEN	ROSS	0.39	2 UC	500	100%	146	139	285	195	195	390	111	279	0	
4		E. UNIVERSITY	ROSS	MARVIN	0.38	2 UC	500	100%	105	105	211	190	190	380	80	300	0	
4		FARLEY	US 287	ROSS	0.91	2 UC	500	100%	168	158	326	455	455	910	297	613	0	
4		FARLEY	ROSS	MARVIN	0.28	2 UC	500	100%	168	100	268	140	140	280	75	205	0	
4		SYCAMORE	GRAND	E. UNIVERSITY	0.36	2 UC	500	100%	136	94	229	180	180	360	83	277	0	
4		SYCAMORE	E. UNIVERSITY	BRYSON	0.47	2 UC	500	100%	104	136	240	235	235	470	113	357	0	
4		SYCAMORE	BRYSON	US 77 (Dallas Hwy)	0.10	2 UC	500	100%	85	180	265	50	50	100	27	73	0	
4		ROSS	GRAND	E. UNIVERSITY	0.36	2 UC	500	100%	11	13	23	180	180	360	8	352	0	
4		ROSS	E. UNIVERSITY	BRYSON	0.45	2 UC	500	100%	13	15	27	225	225	450	12	438	0	
4		ROSS	BRYSON	US77 (Ferris Ave.)	0.10	2 UC	500	100%	85	180	265	50	50	100	27	73	0	
4		ROSS	US77 (Ferris Ave.)	BROWN	0.19	2 UC	500	100%	73	53	125	95	95	190	24	166	0	
4		ROSS	BROWN	FARLEY	0.39	2 UC	500	100%	72	73	144	195	195	390	56	334	0	
4		ROSS	FARLEY	WYATT	0.46	2 UC	500	100%	53	95	147	230	230	460	68	392	0	
4		MARVIN	GRAND	E. UNIVERSITY	0.43	2 UC	500	100%	105	105	211	215	215	430	91	339	0	
4		MARVIN	E. UNIVERSITY	BRYSON	0.43	2 UC	500	100%	316	278	594	215	215	430	255	175	0	
4		MARVIN	BRYSON	US77 (Ferris Ave.)	0.10	2 UC	500	100%	179	268	447	50	50	100	45	55	0	
4		MARVIN																

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Serv Area	Shared Svc Area	Roadway	From	To	Length (mi)	No. of Lanes	Lane Type	Capacity	Pct. in Serv. Area	Peak Hour Volume			VMT Supply		VMT Supply Pk Hr Total	VMT Demand Pk Hr Total	Total VMT Excess Capacity	Total VMT Deficiency
										A	B	Total	A Dir Pk Dir	B Dir Pk Dir				
6	3	FM 1446 (CANTRELL)	IH 35 SBFR	W. CITY LIMITS	0.24	2	UA	600	50%	0	124	124	0	144	144	30	114	0
6	4	FM 1446 (CANTRELL)	IH 35 NBFR	S. ELM	0.79	2	UC	500	50%	93	0	93	395	0	395	73	322	0
6	4	S ELM	FM 1446 (CANTRELL)	MADISON	0.30	2	UC	500	50%	469	0	469	150	0	150	141	9	0
6		S ELM	MADISON	MAIN	0.15	2	UC	500	50%	469	0	469	75	0	75	70	5	0
6	4	MAIN	S ELM	KAUFMAN	0.23	2	UC	500	50%	262	0	262	115	0	115	60	55	0
6	4	MAIN	KAUFMAN	WYATT	0.21	2	UC	500	50%	159	0	159	105	0	105	33	72	0
6		MAIN	WYATT	GETZENDANER	0.36	2	UC	500	100%	177	0	177	180	0	180	64	116	0
6	4	GETZENDANER	MAIN	PETERS	0.55	2	UC	500	50%	26	0	26	275	0	275	14	261	0
6	4	PETERS	GETZENDANER	WYATT	0.09	2	UC	500	100%	0	53	53	0	45	45	5	40	0
6	4	WYATT	PETERS	US 287 SB FR	0.83	2	UA	600	100%	113	0	113	498	0	498	93	405	0
6		S RODGERS (FM 66)	W. CITY LIMIT	IH35 SB FR	1.20	2	UA	600	100%	259	384	643	720	720	1440	772	668	0
6		S RODGERS (FM 66)	IH 35 NB FR	HOWARD	0.74	2	UA	600	100%	169	307	477	444	444	888	353	535	0
6		FIVE POINTS	W CITY LIMIT	IH35 SB FR	0.28	2	UA	600	100%	391	587	978	168	168	336	274	62	0
6		FIVE POINTS	IH35 NB FR	RODGERS	0.45	2	UC	500	100%	37	77	114	225	225	450	51	399	0
6		US 77	RODGERS	HILLTOP	0.57	2	UA	600	100%	217	293	509	342	342	684	290	394	0
6		US 77	HILLTOP	IH35 NB FR	0.44	2	UA	600	100%	238	293	531	264	264	528	233	295	0
6		PARKS SCHOOL HOUSE	GETZENDANER	US 287	1.55	2	UA	600	100%	38	59	97	930	930	1860	150	1710	0
6		GRAHAM	PARKS SCHOOL	S. MAIN	0.33	2	UA	600	100%	26	35	61	198	198	396	20	376	0
6		S MAIN	GETZENDANER	GRAHAM	0.41	2	UA	600	100%	154	177	331	246	246	492	136	356	0
6		S MAIN	GRAHAM	US 287 SB FR	2.01	2	UA	600	100%	127	140	267	1206	1206	2412	537	1875	0
6		S MAIN	US 287 SB FR	US 287	0.44	2	UA	600	100%	11	95	105	264	264	528	46	482	0
6		HOWARD	RODGERS	OLD ITALY	0.99	2	UA	600	100%	280	180	460	594	594	1188	455	733	0
6		HOWARD	OLD ITALY	LAKE SHORE	2.42	2	UA	600	100%	210	148	358	1452	1452	2904	867	2037	0
6		HOWARD	LAKE SHORE	HUNTER PASS	1.23	2	UC	500	100%	65	120	185	615	615	1230	228	1002	0
6		HOWARD	PENN RD	SERVICE AREA	0.95	2	UC	500	100%	80	35	115	475	475	950	109	841	0
6		OLD ITALY	HOWARD	LAKESHORE	1.75	2	UC	500	100%	47	70	117	875	875	1750	205	1545	0
6		LAKESHORE	OLD ITALY	HOWARD	1.58	2	UC	500	100%	80	90	170	790	790	1580	269	1311	0
6		PENN RD	HOWARD	CITY LIMITS	1.28	2	UC	500	100%	31	41	72	640	640	1280	92	1188	0
6		LAKE WOOD	CITY LIMITS	CITY LIMITS	0.96	2	UC	500	100%	20	34	54	480	480	960	52	908	0
Sub-Total					23.33										23,838	5,723	18,115	0
7		PARKS SCHOOL HOUSE	US 287	CURVE	1.41	2	UC	500	100%	16	26	42	705	705	1410	59	1351	0
7		PARKS SCHOOL HOUSE	CURVE	S. CITY LIMITS	1.33	2	UC	500	100%	15	15	30	665	665	1330	40	1290	0
Sub-Total					2.74										2,740	99	2,641	0
Total					77.14										91,910	37,339	55,195	624

DA- Divided arterial
 UA- Undivided arterial
 SA- Special arterial with dual-left turn lane
 DC- Divided collector
 UC- Undivided collector

D. Calculation of Vehicle-Miles of New Demand

Vehicle-Mile Trip Generation by Service Area, Waxahachie Impact Fee Study

Based on May 15, 2008 Land Use Assumptions by Sefko Planning Group/FNI.

Estimated Residential Growth Vehicle-Mile Trip Generation

Service Area	Added Dwelling Units	Vehicle-Miles per DU	Total Vehicle-Miles
1	789	2.73	2152
2	266	2.73	725
3	240	2.73	654
4	150	2.73	409
5	861	2.73	2348
6	1153	2.73	3144
7	210	2.73	573

SU Equivalency

SF Res	2.73
Basic Employ	1.69
Service Employ	4.24
Retail Employ	2.22

Estimated Basic Employment Growth Vehicle-Mile Generation

Service Area	Added Employees	Square Feet per emp.	Total Square Feet	Vehicle-Miles Per 1000/SF	Total Vehicle-Miles
1	509	1205	613,345	1.69	1,036
2	847	1205	1,020,635	1.69	1,725
3	30	1205	36,150	1.69	61
4	1384	1205	1,667,720	1.69	2,818
5	25	1205	30,125	1.69	51
6	265	1205	319,325	1.69	540
7	0	1205	0	1.69	0

Estimated Service Employment Growth Vehicle-Mile Generation

Service Area	Added Employees	Square Feet per emp.	Total Square Feet	Vehicle-Miles Per 1000/SF	Total Vehicle-Miles
1	1275	350	446,250	4.24	1,891
2	644	350	225,400	4.24	955
3	26	350	9,100	4.24	39
4	1722	350	602,700	4.24	2,554
5	6	350	2,100	4.24	9
6	287	350	100,450	4.24	426
7	0	350	0	4.24	0

Estimated Retail Employment Growth Vehicle-Mile Generation

Service Area	Added Employees	Square Feet per emp.	Total Square Feet	Vehicle-Miles Per 1000/SF	Total Vehicle-Miles
1	548	800	438,400	2.22	974
2	184	800	147,200	2.22	327
3	11	800	8,800	2.22	20
4	582	800	465,600	2.22	1,034
5	9	800	7,200	2.22	16
6	76	800	60,800	2.22	135
7	3	800	2,400	2.22	5

Vehicle-mile Generation Summary

Service Area	Residential Growth Vehicle-Miles	Basic Growth Vehicle-Miles	Service Growth Vehicle-Miles	Retail Growth Vehicle-Miles	Total Growth Vehicle-Miles
1	2152	1036	1891	974	6053
2	725	1725	955	327	3732
3	654	61	39	20	774
4	409	2818	2554	1034	6815
5	2348	51	9	16	2424
6	3144	540	426	135	4245
7	573	0	0	5	578
Totals	10,005	6,231	5,873	2,510	24,620

**E. Roadway Impact Fee
Capital Improvement Plan Memorandum**

F. Roadway Improvement Plan Projects

ROADWAY IMPROVEMENTS PLAN PROJECTS

Definitions

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TYPE	The type of roadway (used in determining capacity): DA = divided arterial
PK-HR VOLUME	the existing volumes of cars on the roadway segment traveling during the afternoon (P.M.) peak hour of travel.
% IN SERVICE AREA	If the roadway is located on the boundary of the service area (with the city limits running along the centerline of the roadway), then half of the roadway is inventoried in the service area and the other half is not. This value is either 50% or 100%.
VEH-MI SUPPLY TOTAL	The number of total service units (vehicle-miles) supplied within the service area, based on the length and established capacity of the roadway type.
VEH-MI TOTAL DEMAND PK-HR	The total service unit (vehicle-mile) demand created by existing traffic on the roadway segment in the afternoon peak hour.
EXCESS CAPACITY PK-HR VEH-MI	The number of service units supplied but unused by existing traffic in the afternoon peak hour.

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Serv Area	Reference CIP No.	Roadway	From	To	Project Status	Length (mi)	No. of Lanes	Type	T'fare Plan Type	Pct. in Serv. Area	Peak Hour Volume			VMT Supply Pk Hr Total	VMT Demand Pk Hr Total	Excess VMT Capacity	CIP VMT Deficiency
											A	B	Total				
1	1	Longbranch Rd	US 287	Longbranch Rd	New	1.18	4	DA	A-2	100%	64	52	116	2944	137	2808	0
1	2	Ovilla Rd***	US 287	New Road A (S. of Oregon)	New	0.42	4	DA	A-2	TXDOT Part. 100%	218	198	416	1056	176	880	0
1	3	New Road A	Ovilla Rd.	Lofland	New	1.30	4	DA	B	100%	0	0	0	3262	0	3262	0
1	4	Lofland	Solon	IH 35	New	0.35	4	UA	B	100%	0	0	0	845	0	845	0
Sub-total SA 1						3.26							532	8107	312	7795	0
2	5	Lofland/Cardinal	IH-35	US 77	New	0.60	4	DA	B	100%	0	0	0	1498	0	1498	0
2	6	Grove Creek Ext	US 77	New Road B (W. of Brookstone)	New	0.69	4	DA	B	100%	0	0	0	1717	0	1717	0
2	7	New Road B	Grove Creek Ext	Brown Rd (FM 813)	New	1.20	4	DA	C	100%	0	0	0	3010	0	3010	0
2/5	8	Brown Rd FM 813	Brown Rd (FM 813)	Brown Rd (FM 813)	New	0.68	4	DA	C	TXDOT Part. 50%	0	246	246	850	167	683	0
Sub-total SA 2						3.17							246	7075	167	6908	0
3	9	Ovilla Rd***	US 287	Mid-Project	New	0.47	4	DA	B	TXDOT Part. 100%	72	82	154	1180	73	1107	0
3	10	Ovilla Rd***	Mid-Project	Bus 287	New	0.80	4	DA	B	TXDOT Part. 100%	0	0	0	2007	0	2007	0
Sub-total SA 3						1.27							154	3187	73	3114	0
4	11	John Arden	US 287	Solon	New	0.96	4	DA	C	100%	132	113	245	2412	236	2175	0
4	12	Northgate	Existing	Stadium Dr.	Recoup.	0.11	2	UC	D	100%	420	339	759	110	84	27	0
4	13	Stadium Dr.	Stadium Dr.	US 287	Recoup.	0.26	2	UC	D	100%	190	176	366	256	94	162	0
4	14	River Oaks	Brown	River Oaks	New	0.71	2	UC	D	100%	0	0	0	708	0	708	0
4	15	River Oaks/Marvin Connection	Farley	Marvin Ave.	New	0.60	2	UC	D	100%	0	0	0	599	0	599	0
Sub-total SA 4						3.24							1370	4085	413	3671	0
5/2	8	Brown Rd (FM 813) ***	Brown Rd (FM 813)	Brown Rd (FM 813)	New	0.68	4	DA	C	TXDOT Part. 50%	376	0	376	1700	256	1444	0
5	16	Broadhead	US 287	April Lane	Recoup.	1.02	4	DA	C	100%	272	270	542	2562	555	2006	0
Sub-total SA 5						1.70							918	4262	811	3451	0
6	17	New Road C - Segment 1	US 77	Howard	New	0.71	4	DA	C	100%	0	0	0	1773	0	1773	0
6	18	New Road C - Segment 2	Howard	Bus 287	New	1.29	4	DA	C	100%	0	0	0	3231	0	3231	0
6	19	New Road C - Segment 3 ** Bus 287	US 287	US 287	New	0.93	4	DA	C	TXDOT Part. 100%	0	0	0	2321	0	2321	0
Sub-total SA 6						2.93							0	7325	0	7325	0
7	20	New Road D	US 287	Park School House	New	0.52	4	DA	A	100%	0	0	0	1288	0	1288	0
Sub-total SA 6						0.52							0	1288	0	1288	0
						15.41							3,220	35,328	1,777	33,551	0

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G. Roadway Improvements Plan Cost Analysis

ROADWAY IMPROVEMENTS PLAN COST ANALYSIS

Definitions

LANES	The total number of lanes in both directions available for travel.
TYPE	The type of roadway (used in determining capacity): DA = divided arterial
% IN SERVICE AREA	If the roadway is located on the boundary of the service area (with the city limits running along the centerline of the roadway), then half of the roadway is inventoried in the service area and the other half is not. This value is either 50% or 100%.
TOTAL SEGMENT COST	The estimated cost (in dollars) of the entire segment of the proposed improvement.
TOTAL COST IN SERVICE AREA	The estimated cost (in dollars) of the portion of the proposed roadway improvement within the service area.

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Serv Area	Reference CIP No.	Roadway	From	To	Length (mi)	No. of Lanes	Type	Pct. in Serv. Area	Actual Project Cost	Project Cost 50% Credit	Study Update Cost	Service Area Total Cost
1	1	Longbranch Rd	US 287	Longbranch Rd	1.18	4	DA	100%	\$7,773,116	\$3,883,641	\$5,834	\$3,889,475
1	2	Ovilla Rd***	US 287	New Road A (S. of Oregon)	0.42	4	DA	100%	\$1,448,550	\$723,229	\$2,093	\$725,321
1	3	New Road A	Ovilla Rd.	Loftland	1.30	4	DA	100%	\$7,690,073	\$3,841,805	\$6,464	\$3,848,269
1	4	Lofland	Solon	IH 35	0.35	4	UA	100%	\$2,045,597	\$1,021,962	\$1,673	\$1,023,635
Sub-total SA 1					3.26				\$18,957,336	\$9,470,636	\$16,063	\$9,486,700
2	5	Lofland/Cardinal	IH-35	US 77	0.60	4	DA	100%	\$15,541,822	\$7,769,427	\$2,967	\$7,772,394
2	6	Grove Creek Ext	US 77	New Road B (W. of Brookstone)	0.69	4	DA	100%	\$4,100,069	\$2,048,333	\$3,402	\$2,051,735
2	7	New Road B	Grove Creek Ext	Brown Rd (FM 813)	1.20	4	DA	100%	\$5,732,745	\$2,863,390	\$5,965	\$2,869,355
2/5	8	Brown Rd FM 813	Brown Rd (FM 813)	Brown Rd (FM 813)	0.68	4	DA	50%	\$794,958	\$396,637	\$1,684	\$398,321
Sub-total SA 2					3.17				\$26,169,593	\$13,077,787	\$14,018	\$13,091,806
3	9	Ovilla Rd***	US 287	Mid-Project	0.47	4	DA	100%	\$1,466,981	\$732,321	\$2,338	\$734,660
3	10	Ovilla Rd***	Mid-Project	Bus 287	0.80	4	DA	100%	\$2,326,720	\$1,161,372	\$3,976	\$1,165,348
Sub-total SA 3					1.27				\$3,793,701	\$1,893,693	\$6,315	\$1,900,008
4	11	John Arden	US 287	Solon	0.96	4	DA	100%	\$4,930,233	\$2,462,727	\$4,778	\$2,467,505
4	12	Northgate	Existing	Stadium Dr.	0.11	2	UC	100%	\$233,407	\$116,594	\$218	\$116,812
4	13	Stadium Dr.	US 287	US 287	0.26	2	UC	100%	\$517,233	\$258,363	\$507	\$258,870
4	14	River Oaks	Brown	River Oaks	0.71	2	UC	100%	\$3,363,767	\$1,681,182	\$1,403	\$1,682,585
4	15	River Oaks/Marvin Connection	Farley	Marvin Ave.	0.60	2	UC	100%	\$3,139,212	\$1,569,012	\$1,188	\$1,570,200
Sub-total SA 4					3.24				\$12,183,851	\$6,087,879	\$8,093	\$6,095,972
5/2	8	Brown Rd (FM 813) ***	Brown Rd (FM 813)	Brown Rd (FM 813)	0.68	4	DA	50%	\$794,958	\$395,795	\$3,368	\$399,163
5	16	Broadhead	US 287	April Lane	1.02	4	DA	100%	\$6,588,743	\$3,291,833	\$5,076	\$3,296,910
Sub-total SA 5					1.70				\$7,383,701	\$3,687,628	\$8,445	\$3,696,073
6	17	New Road C - Segment 1	US 77	Howard	0.71	4	DA	100%	\$3,456,885	\$1,726,686	\$3,514	\$1,730,199
6	18	New Road C - Segment 2	Howard	Bus 287	1.29	4	DA	100%	\$23,537,520	\$11,765,559	\$6,402	\$11,771,961
6	19	New Road C - Segment 3 ***	Bus 287	US 287	0.93	4	DA	100%	\$11,488,760	\$5,742,081	\$4,598	\$5,746,679
Sub-total SA 6					2.93				\$38,483,165	\$19,234,325	\$14,514	\$19,248,839
7	20	New Road D	US 287	Park School House	0.52	4	DA	100%	\$3,450,029	\$1,723,738	\$2,552	\$1,726,290
Sub-total SA 6					0.52				\$3,450,029	\$1,723,738	\$2,552	\$1,726,290
Totals:					15.41				110,421,376	55,175,688	\$70,000	55,245,688

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H. Service Area Analysis Summary

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Service Area Analysis Summary

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Service Area	Capacity Supplied by CIP (veh-mi)	Existing Utilization (veh-mi)	Existing Deficiencies (veh-mi)	Net Capacity Supplied by CIP (veh-mi)	Total Project Cost of CIP	Project Cost of CIP with 50% Credit	Cost of Net Capacity Supplied	Cost to Meet Existing Utilization	Projected 10yr Demand (veh-miles)	Pcnt. of CIP Attributable to New Dev. (10-yr)	Cost Attributable to New Dev.	Cost per Service Unit w/ 50% Credit	Actual Cost per Service Unit (veh-mi)
1	8,107	312	0	7,795	\$18,973,399	\$9,486,700	\$9,121,155	\$365,545	6,053	77.7	\$7,082,659.33	\$1,170.00	\$2,340.00
2	7,075	167	30	6,878	\$26,183,611	\$13,091,806	\$12,727,254	\$364,552	3,732	54.3	\$6,906,064.21	\$1,850.00	\$3,700.00
3	3,187	73	126	2,988	\$3,800,016	\$1,900,008	\$1,781,358	\$118,650	774	25.9	\$461,246.37	\$596.00	\$1,192.00
4	4,085	413	468	3,203	\$12,191,945	\$6,095,972	\$4,780,861	\$1,315,111	6,815	100.0	\$4,780,861.01	\$701.00	\$1,402.00
5	4,262	811	0	3,451	\$7,392,146	\$3,696,073	\$2,992,651	\$703,422	2,424	70.2	\$2,101,960.20	\$867.00	\$1,734.00
6	7,325	0	0	7,325	\$38,497,679	\$19,248,839	\$19,248,685	\$154	4,245	57.9	\$11,153,800.83	\$2,627.00	\$5,254.00
7	1,288	0	0	1,288	\$3,452,580	\$1,726,290	\$1,726,276	\$14	578	44.9	\$774,733.15	\$1,340.00	\$2,680.00
Totals	35,328	1,777	624	32,928	110,491,376	55,245,688	\$51,491,407	\$3,754,281	24,620	74.8	\$38,499,757.03	\$1,563.00	\$3,126.00

1. TOTAL VEH-MI OF CAPACITY SUPPLIED BY CIP (TVMCAP)

2. TOTAL VEH-MI OF EXISTING DEMAND (VMEXT)

3. TOTAL VEH-MI OF EXISTING DEFICIENCIES (VMDEF)

4. NET AMOUNT OF ROADWAY CAPACITY SUPPLIED (NVMCAP) =
NVMCAP = TVMCAP - VMEXT - VMDEF

5. TOTAL COST OF CIP WITHIN STUDY AREA

6. TOTAL COST OF CIP IN SERVICE AREA w/50% CREDIT (TVMCOST)

7. COST OF NET CAPACITY SUPPLIED (NCVMCAP) =
NCVMCAP = (NVMCAP / TVMCAP) * TVMCOST

8. COST TO MEET EXISTING NEEDS AND USAGE (EXCOST) =
EXCOST = TVMCOST - NCVMCAP

9. TOTAL VEH-MI OF NEW DEMAND OVER TEN YEARS (TNEWDEM)

10. PERCENT OF CIP ATTRIBUTABLE TO NEW DEVELOPMENT (NPCNT) =
IF TNEWDEM > NVMCAP, NPCNT = 100%

IF TNEWDEM < NVMCAP, NPCNT = (TNEWDEM / NVMCAP) * 100

11. COST OF CIP ATTRIBUTABLE TO NEW DEVELOPMENT (NCVMDDEM) =
NCVMDDEM = (TNEWDEM / NVMCAP) * NVMCAP

12. COST PER SERVICE UNIT = (MAX FEE)

MAX FEE = NCVMDDEM / TNEWDEM

13. ACTUAL COST PER SERVICE UNIT