

# REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

## HENDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

**MEETING DATE:** October 20, 2010

**SUBJECT:** Petition for abandonment of a portion of Glover Street (SR 1924)

**ATTACHMENTS:** 1. Petition for the abandonment of a portion of Glover Street (SR 1924)  
2. Map of Glover Street and Jackson Park

### SUMMARY OF REQUEST:

At North Carolina Department of Transportation's request, staff initiated a petition to abandon the state maintenance for the portion of Glover Street (SR 1924) that runs through Jackson Park (see attached map). According to NCDOT files, the North Carolina Department of Transportation agreed to add the portion of Glover Street located in Jackson Park to the state road system when the area was considered for a landfill in 1973. It is NCDOT policy to build and maintain streets that access landfills.

NCDOT staff indicates they have not maintained the portion of Glover Street located inside of Jackson Park since the park was developed. According to NCDOT staff, they discovered that this road segment was within their system when preparing for improvements (re-surfacing, curb & gutter) to Glover Street as part of the "Secondary Roads Program." Those NCDOT improvements would be at least 2 years from now. The current road condition, within Jackson Park, is poor and delaying any improvements by 2 years or more could require additional maintenance efforts in the interim. The County has done minor maintenance in recent years, such as pothole repairs.

If NCDOT agreed to maintain this road segment, NCDOT would require the removal of the speed bumps and park gate as a condition of maintaining the road. Vehicle speed and volume continues to represent a safety concern for the Park users and operations as vehicles use the route as a short cut from 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue to Glover Street. This section of Glover Street is not within the Hendersonville City limits and therefore City maintenance is not an option currently.

### BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:

Staff recommends the Board consider the petition to abandon NCDOT maintenance.

### Suggested Motion:



*I move that the Board approve the petition and forward it to NCDOT for action.*





# Glover Street State Road Abandonment

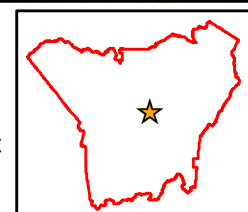


-  Requested road segment to be abandoned
-  City limits of Hendersonville

0 162.5 325 650 975 1,300 Feet

1 inch = 545 feet

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