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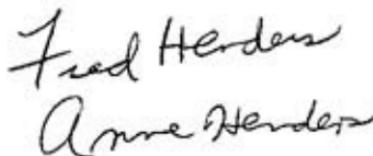
To whom it may Concern:

I am writing this letter to request that County Road 436 be considered for repaving as soon as funds are available. We live near the intersection of County Road 436 and County Road 813, and the truck traffic from various farms has caused many large potholes and a very bumpy surface that is almost impassable. The frequent attempts to patch these potholes have changed the holes into mounds, which has not improved the condition of the road at all.

Any assistance with this request is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Fred and Anne Henders
6167 County Road 436
Cullman AL 35057



Fred Henders
Anne Henders

To Whom it May Concern:

We live on County Road 1570 which has been in poor condition since the tornado on April 27th. The condition of the road has affected our vehicles and we are concerned about the pot holes ruining the tires on our farm vehicles. We have a cattle farm and will soon have a poultry farm. We need that road to be smooth for our equipment to travel on.

Janef Eddman
Baileyton President

To Whom it May Concern:

I own a cattle farm and hay business. The road I travel on a daily basis with my vehicles & equipment is county road 1570. It has been going downhill with it's condition since the April 27th tornadoes.

I have to avoid the major pot holes to avoid damaging my vehicles & equipment but by doing so, I constantly risk a collision by oncoming traffic. This road is in need of repair.

Josh Eddleman

Josh Eddleman
Baileyton, AL

To whom it may Concern:

I own some hay land on County Road 1589 in Barleyton. Since the April 27, 2011, tornadoes the road has suffered some major damage. I have to travel this road with my truck, trailer + tractors. The damaged roads are not good my ~~my~~ equipments tires & axels. The road is need of repair by the County.

Thanks
Billy Kelly

To whom it may concern:

My father-in-law owns a farm on County Road 1589. Since the April 27, 2011 tornadoes the road has had extensive damage. During hay season I travel this road with my truck + trailer. The road is not good on my truck or trailer tires. The County needs to re-pave this road.

Thanks,
and EHR

To whom it may concern;

I am writing in concern with the needed repairs to County Road 1589. After the 2011 tornado this road was used as a way to get to a dumping site for the clean up effort. This road was traveled by large dump trucks which put a lot of wear on this road.

I own approximately 129 acres of farm land on this road and have seen the road deteriorate to the point of being a safety concern for me when traveling this road with my farm equipment. Along with the safety concern the road is in such bad shape there is the problem with doing damage to the farm equipment while traveling on this road.

If there is anything that can be done to make the much needed repairs to County Road 1589 it would be greatly appreciated by not only myself but also everyone that travels this road on a daily bases.

Sincerity
Jason Smith

TO:
County Road Department
Cullman AL

I farm (lease land) on County Road 436 and move my farm equipment from my own farm to this leased land at least once a week. I also use this Road 436 to ship my crops to various customers.

Since the tornado in 2011, this road (in parts) has become increasingly difficult to navigate due to the large holes in the road. The equipment that was used to clean up the tornado aftermath also messed up the road.

Please do what you can to re-surface this road. It would be of great benefit to farmers in this area.

Thank you for your time.

Britt Hayes
90 City Rd 440
Cullman AL 35057

Cherrie Haney
Director of CCED
325 Second Street SE
Cullman, AL 35055

To Whom it may Concern:

We grow many fruits and vegetables on our farm and use County Road 436 to transport them to market. This road is in extremely bad condition due to damage from the 2011 tornado and from the large pieces of equipment that were needed to clean up the subsequent storm damage. The road definitely needs to be resurfaced as soon as possible.

Thank you for any consideration you could give to this request for improving the condition of County Road 436.

Sincerely,

The image shows two handwritten signatures in cursive. The first signature is 'Wade Hancock' and the second is 'Lynn Hancock'. They are written in black ink on a white background.

Wade and Lynn Hancock
6065 County Road 436
Cullman, AL 35057

TO THE CULLMAN COUNTY COMMISSION:

WE OWN A CHICKEN FARM OFF OF COUNTY ROAD 436 AND WOULD LIKE FOR THIS ROAD TO BE RE-SURFACED. WE HAVE FEED TRUCKS, CHICK BUSES , AND OTHER HEAVY EQUIPMENT THAT HAS TO USE THIS ROAD TO GAIN ACCESS TO OUR FARM.

THANK YOU,

PATTIE AND REX MOTES

Pattie Motes *Rex Motes*

I own a truck farm on county road
436. I would like to see it repaved
because of the poor condition.

Billy Bradford

I own a chicken farm on County Road
436 and I would like to see it re-surfaced.
Big trucks deliver feed, and pick up chickens
on my farm.

Sam Dingle

I Jason Hancock of Hancock Charles
Farm need a better road on County (436)
~~road~~ for my cattle farm. All help would
be greatly appreciated.

Jason Hancock



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The Honorable Anthony Foxx
Secretary
U. S. Department of Transportation
1200 New Jersey Avenue, S.E.
Washington, D.C. 20590

Dear Secretary Foxx:

As manager of the City of Cullman Festhalle Market Platz, I am writing to show my support for the application for the Transportation Investment Generating Economic Recovery (TIGER) Grant application submitted by Cullman County Commission.

Cullman County Commission is submitting an application under the road rehabilitation section of the TIGER competitive grant program. This application will address deteriorated road conditions on Farm-to-Market Roads devastated by the 2011 tornadoes and subsequent clean-up efforts. The Cullman Festhalle Market Platz's farmers depend on these roads to get their crops from the fields to our market. The rehabilitation of these farm-to-market roads ensures that our farmers' produce doesn't become bruised or destroyed before arriving at market. By providing quality, undamaged produce to our customers, we are encouraging healthy eating habits and promoting the "Buy Here, Buy Local" movement.

This grant will bring the roads up to standard so the farmers can get their products to market. Your thoughtful consideration of this grant will be greatly appreciated.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Ann Moore
Market Manager
City of Cullman Festhalle Market Platz

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Honorable Anthony Foxx
Secretary U.S. Department of Transportation
1200 New Jersey Avenue SE
Washington, D.C. 20590

Dear Secretary Foxx:

As President of Ingram Farms, I am writing in support of the application for a Transportation Investment Generating Economic Recovery Grant (TIGER) being made by the Cullman County Commission.

We have approximately 180 chicken growers that live on these farm to market roads. WE have to service approximately 575 chicken houses. WE need these roads to be in good working condition to travel with our trucks and trailers.

The chicken industry is the largest economic industry in Cullman County. There are several other companies that operate here as well.

These roads have a huge economic impact on the people of Cullman County. Your thoughtful consideration of this grant will be greatly appreciated.



Bill Ingram
Ingram Farms, Inc.

To whom it may concern:

I have a large vegetable farm and am located just off of county road 436. We sell our produce wholesale all over the southeast. One of our main buyers is Walmart. We usually ship out on any given week two plus trailer truck loads a week. Since the tornados of 2011 the road has steadily went downhill. Truck drivers have stated how rough the rough was and an alternate route must be found. My produce will be damaged from shipping on such rough roads. Having to find alternate routes for trucks cost me money by either have to carry my produce elsewhere to load or having to take time to meet them and bring them in alternate ways to avoid the rough roads. If anything can be done it would greatly help my profitability and ensure that the quality of produce I load into the truck arrives at its destination in the same way condition it was loaded.

Thanks

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Clark Haynes". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Clark Haynes

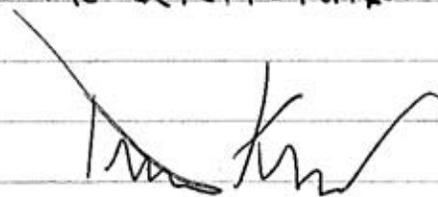
To whom it may concern,

I am writing in regards to Co Rd. 1564. I do custom grain harvest and hauling. And I also farm on and around 1564. Due to the extensive damage to Co Rd. 1564 cause by the tornado and damage clean up I have to make continious repairs to my equipment or Drive in a defensive manner. to prevent damage to my equipment. If anything can be done it would be greatly apperialled.

Jodd Scott

To whom it may concern:

I have a produce farm in Gullman and have to travel roads in Gullman to make deliveries. One of my deliveries requires me to use County Road 436. The condition of that road causes significant damage to my produce. In recent months I have all together avoided that road. This adds several miles, expense and time to my deliveries but must be done to insure that my produce is of the quality I demand. This road was used extensively during the tornados of 2011 clean up. This lead to the deterioration of County Road 436.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Tom Kn", written in a cursive style.

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing concerning the condition of our County roads. I own several acres of farm land on county road 1518 in Cullman County. It is difficult to travel county road 1518 due to large holes and pavement coming apart. Vehicles and farm equipment will be damaged when traveling this road due to the condition of the road.

Any help with the repair and paving of our road would be greatly appreciated.


Kevin Twilley

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing concerning the condition of County road 1518 in Cullman County. I own over 100 acres of farm land on this county road where I raise cattle. After the April 27, 2011 tornado and subsequent clean up, the road has been severely damaged. It is often difficult for tractors and farm equipment to travel this road due to the damage. I support the Cullman County Commission's TIGER grant application.

Thank you for your consideration of our Farm-to-Market roads.

Drennen Twilley

