## RESOLUTION 2760

WHEREAS, Santiam Highway and Pacific Boulevard intersect at Geary Street in the City of Albany; and

WHEREAS, this intersection area is near capacity at this time; and

WHEREAS, traffic is projected to increase at this intersection due to growth in the community; and

WHEREAS, creation of a one-way couplet including Pacific Boulevard and Ninth Street between Chicago Street on the east and the railroad overpass on the west will reduce congestion in this corridor; and

WHEREAS, this concept is supported by the Oregon State Highway Division; and

WHEREAS, major highway improvements must be on the Oregon State Highway Division six-year plan before they are considered for implementation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the Albany City Council supports the concept of creating a one-way couplet consisting of Pacific Boulevard and Ninth Street between the limits of Chicago Street on the east and the railroad overpass onthe west; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED the City Council requests the Oregon State Highway Traffic Commission to approve this project in the 1989-94 Six-Year Highway Improvement Plan.

DATED this 24th day of February, 1988.

Jon Holma Mayor

ATTEST: City Recorder