

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION



JEFF BRILLHART, P.E. ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER

CHRISTOPHER D. CLEMENT, SR. COMMISSIONER

Her Excellency, Governor Margaret Wood Hassan and the Honorable Council State House Concord, New Hampshire 03301 Bureau of Right-of-Way June 5, 2014

REQUESTED ACTION

Pursuant to RSA 4:39-c and 228:31, AUTHORIZE the Department of Transportation to sell two (2) portions of the Limited Access Right-of-Way consisting of 4,320 +/- square feet and 23, 315 +/- square feet located at the southwest corner of Interstate 293 and South Willow Street in the City of Manchester directly to AutoFair Realty, LP for \$351,100.00 which includes an \$1,100.00 Administrative Fee, subject to the conditions as specified in this request.

It has been determined by the Division of Finance that this Right-of-Way was originally purchased with 10% Highway Funds and 90% Federal Funds.

| 04-096-096-960015-0000-UUU-402156 Administrative Fee | <u>FY 2015</u> \$ 1,100.00 |
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| 04-096-096-960015-0000-UUU-409279 Sale of Parcel (10% of \$350,000.00) | <u>FY 2015</u> \$ 35,000.00 |
| 04-096-096-963515-3054-401771 Consolidated Federal Aid (90% of \$350,000,00) | <u>FY 2015</u> \$ 315,000.00 |

EXPLANATION

The Department of Transportation has received a request from an abutter, AutoFair Realty, LP, for the opportunity to acquire two (2) contiguous portions of State owned Interstate 293 Limited Access Right-of-Way consisting of 4,320 +/- square feet and 23,315 +/- square feet located at the southwest corner of Interstate 293 and South Willow Street in the City of Manchester.

These areas were acquired in 1958 as part of the Manchester I- A93-1(12)20,P-5373-C project and is a portion of the Interstate 293 Limited Access Right-of-Way for the Interstate 293/South Willow Street intersection that was constructed as part of the project.

Conditions of this sale would include:

- No access will be allowed through this parcel to South Willow Street or Interstate 293.
- The purchaser of this parcel would, at their expense, have a survey plan prepared by a NH Licensed Land Surveyor describing the parcel being sold, and record this plan in the Hillsborough County Registry of Deeds. The Department will use this plan to prepare deeds for the sale of this parcel.

- o The purchaser of this parcel will, at their expense, erect a six (6) foot chain link fence around the perimeter of the parcel as well as install concrete bounds at boundary corners, both in accordance with State specifications.
- The transfer deed(s) would have a deed restriction that these areas could only be used as green space. Proposed deed language in the transfer language for this condition would be:
 - This area will be used for green space only. No permanent structures can be constructed on the above-described area by the Grantee, their successors or assigns, including but not limited to buildings, signs, lighting, or parking areas. This area will remain as green space only and cannot be used for commercial purposes including but not limited to the display, storage, or maintenance of any products in connection with the abutting property use.

This request has been reviewed by this Department and it has been determined that these areas are surplus to our operational needs and interest.

Approval of the sale of this property by the Council of Resources and Development is no longer necessary per RSA 4:39-c whereas the parcel to be sold was purchased with Highway funds.

The Long Range Capital Planning and Utilization Committee at their April 21, 2014 meeting approved this request that the Department should enter into a direct sale with AutoFair Realty, LP, and sell this portion of the Limited Access Right-of-Way for \$351,100.00 which includes an Administrative Fee of \$1,100.00.

In accordance with RSA 4:39-c, the City of Manchester has been offered this property at the approved purchase price and responded to the Department that they are not interested in purchasing the property.

Authorization is respectfully requested to sell this portion of the Limited Access Right-of-Way to AutoFair Realty, LP as outlined above.

Respectfully,

Christopher D. Clement, S

Commissioner .

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State of New Hampshire

OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE BUDGET ASSISTANT State House, Room 102 Concord, New Hampshire 03301 RICHARD J. MAHONEY, CPA Director, Audit Division (603) 271-2785

April 21, 2014

Charles R. Schmidt, P.E., Administrator Department of Transportation Bureau of Right-of-Way John O. Morton Building Concord, New Hampshire 03301

Dear Mr. Schmidt,

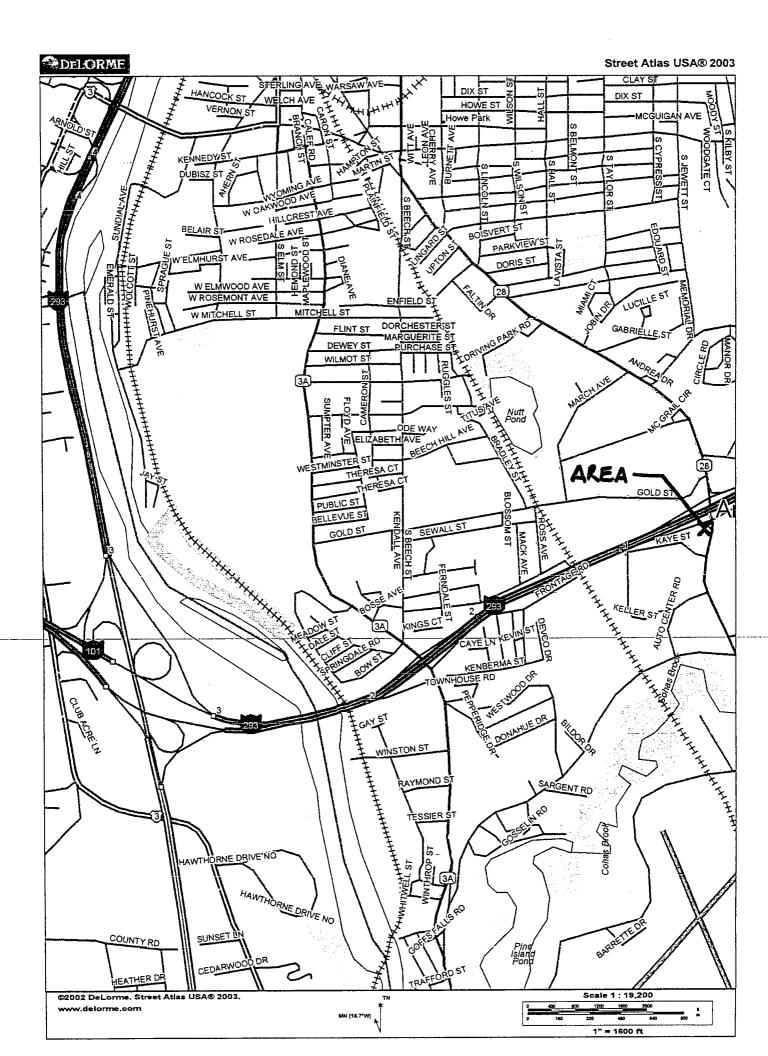
The Long Range Capital Planning and Utilization Committee, pursuant to the provisions of RSA 4:39-c, on April 21, 2014, approved the request of the Department of Transportation, Bureau of Right-of-Way, to sell two (2) portions of the Limited Access Right-of-Way consisting of 4,320 +/- square feet and 23,315 +/- square feet located at the southwest corner of Interstate 293 and South Willow Street in the City of Manchester directly to AutoFair Realty, LP for \$351,100, which includes an \$1,100 Administrative Fee, subject to the conditions as specified in the request dated April 1, 2014.

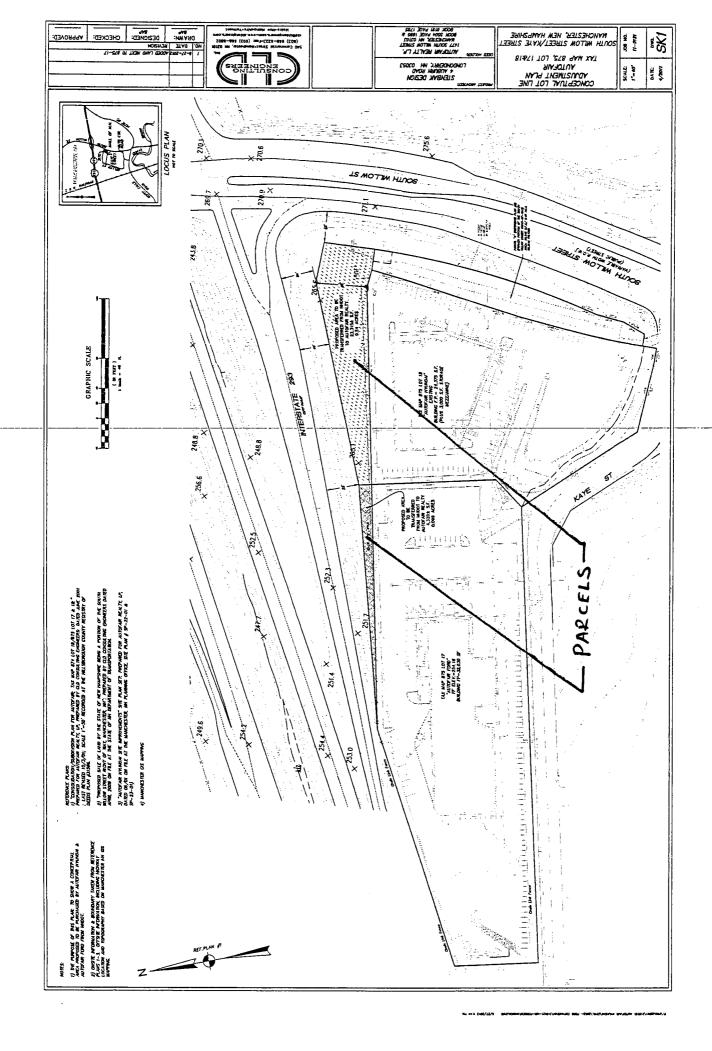
Sincerely,

Jeffry A. Pattison

Legislative Budget Assistant

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CITY OF MANCHESTER

Theodore L. Gatsas Mayor

April 29, 2014

Mr. Charles R. Schmidt, PE NH Department of Transportation 7 Hazen Drive P.O. Box 483 Concord, NH 03302-0483

RE: City of Manchester response to sale of state owned land in Manchester (Manchester, I-A93-1 (12) 20, P-5373-C, Parcel 1024, 1026

Dear Mr. Schmidt,

Thank you for contacting the City of Manchester regarding the sale of the above reference parcel. After conferring with the appropriate city department heads the City of Manchester <u>does</u> <u>not have an interest</u> in purchasing this property.

Regards,

Theodore L. Gatsas

Mayor

Enclosures

cc: Nicholas J. Lazos, Esquire, Stebbins, Lazos & Van Der Beken, P.A., Suite 301, 66 Hanover Street, Manchester, NH 03101



TOWN OF WINDHAM, NEW HAMPSHIRE

OFFICE OF THE SELECTMEN AND TOWN ADMINISTRATOR POST OFFICE BOX 120, 4 NORTH LOWELL ROAD, WINDHAM NH 03087-0120

March 25, 2014

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Mr. Charles Schmidt, PE Administrator NH Department of Transportation John O. Morton Building 7 Hazen Drive, P.O. Box 483 Concord, NH 03302-0483

Re: Sale of State Owned Land - Windham-Salem 10075, Parcels 139 and 142 (Lamson and Roulston Road)

Dear Mr. Schmidt:

On behalf of the Board of Selectmen, I extend our thanks to the State for offering the Town of Windham the opportunity to purchase the surplus property located at corner of Lamson and Roulston Road (13-B-102 and 196B). I send this to advise you that, after review and discussion regarding this parcel, the Board of Selectmen found there to be no interest in obtaining the property and, as such, has voted to respectfully decline the State's offer.

Should you have any questions or require further information regarding the Board's decision, please feel free to contact me.

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David Sullivan
Town Administrator



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March 26, 2014

Charles R. Schmidt, PE Administrator New Hampshire Department of Transportation Bureau of Right-of-Way JO Morton Building, Room 100 7 Hazen Drive P.O. Box 483 Concord, NH 03302-0483

RE: Windham Property

Dear Mr. Schmidt:

The New Hampshire Housing Finance Authority is not interested in purchasing the property in Windham described in your letter of March 7, 2014.

Thank you for giving us the opportunity to review this parcel.

Sincerely

Executive Director

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