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Ms. Michelle Morgan, Chairman

Carroll County Board of Commissioners  
323 Newnan Street  
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Dear Chairman Morgan:

Members of the Temple City Council on March 7 unanimously voted to “authorize the Mayor to sign an intergovernmental agreement with the Carroll County Board of Commissioners pertaining to the proposed closure of two dirt sections of Oak Shade Road...and to plan and hold a public hearing regarding the proposed closing of these two dirt sections of Oak Shade Road due to littering and other law enforcement issues.”

Also, we have reviewed the Resolution adopted by the Carroll County Board of Commissioners on May 3, 2022, to allow notice be issued to property owners and to hold a public hearing on this issue. We agree with the wording of the Board’s resolution and the content of the attached drawing showing the two sections of Oak Shade Road to be closed. The City of Temple looks forward to working with the Board of Commissioners in planning and holding a public hearing regarding said proposed closing.

I would point out that the property on both sides of Oak Shade Road between Bar J Road on the east and Etheridge Road on the west are owned by the City of Temple, being the site of the City’s Sewer Treatment Plant facilities and grounds. With this section of Oak Shade Road being abandoned as a public street, it is the City’s intention to erect a gate across this current dirt street at both its intersection with Bar J Road and with Etheridge Road and then to have limited access on this “driveway” to the City Sewer Treatment Plant buildings and facilities.

Certainly, the City of Temple agrees with the abandonment of these two current dirt sections of Oak Shade Road.

Sincerely,

  
Michael Johnson, Mayor