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RESOLUTION

concerning

CLOSING OF WELLS STREET

CENTRAL CONNECTICUT STATE COLLEGE

June 13, 1975

WHEREAS, In the City of New Britain, Wells Street bisects the campus of Central Connecticut State College creating hazards for students, faculty, and members of the College Staff, and

WHEREAS, The Trustees and civic leaders of New Britain reached a verbal agreement that upon the opening of the Northern Bypass the City would close Wells Street, and

WHEREAS, The Trustees did request funds in their Capital Budget to construct the Northern Bypass, and

WHEREAS, The requested funds were provided and the Northern Bypass now nears completion, and

WHEREAS, The Trustees acquired the necessary property on Stanley Street,
New Britain, Connecticut, in order to provide the necessary land
to permit the widening of Stanley Street at the intersection of
Stanley Street and the Northern Bypass road, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Trustees express appreciation to the people of New Britain for their patience in waiting for a solution to the traffic problems created by the growth of the College, and be it further

RESOLVED, That the City Council and the Mayor of New Britain be requested to take action at an early date to declare that Wells Street shall be closed as soon as the Northern Bypass is opened to traffic.

Certified True Copy:

James A. Frost

Executive Secretary

1974 Bond Authorizations

Project or Program	1974 Authorization	Prior Authorization	Total Project Cost
Central Connecticut State College - expansion and improvement of utilities - Sec. 2(s)(1)(A), SA 90	\$ 2,200,000	\$ 0	\$ 2,200,000
Central Connecticut State College - south perimeter road - Sec 2(s)(1)(B), SA 90	200,000	0	200,000
Western Connecticut State College - site development, utilities and construction on new campus - Sec. 2(s) (2), SA 90	26,500,000	10,750,000	37,250,000
Southern Connecticut State College - science and general classroom facilities - Sec. 2(s) (3) (A), SA 90	12,600,000	5,805,000	18,571,000
Southern Connecticut State College - modifications to power plant for air pollution control - Sec. 2(s)(3)(B), SA 90	110,000	0	110,000
Eastern Connecticut State College - installation of audio-visual cables and receivers - Sec. 2(s)(4), SA 90	175,000	0	175,000
Southern Connecticut State College - modification to dormitory incinerators for air pollution control - Sec. 13-14, SA 90	70,000(4))	70,000

COMMENT: This is the first year that the State Colleges have had only one budget; in prior years there was a separate budget for the Office of the Board.

⁽¹⁾ These federal contributions are derived primarily from the National Defense Student Loan Program, Title I of the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964, and the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 as amended in 1969. These funds provide for student financial aid and for education of teachers for handicapped students.

⁽²⁾ These special funds consist of: the Auxiliary Services Fund (\$8,014,794), which is derived from student fees and is used for student services such as dormitories and cafeterias; the Education Extension Fund (\$6,014,812), which is derived from summer school tuition and supports summer school sessions; funds from student fees used for refunds and remissions (\$230,000); and funds derived from the Auxiliary Services Fund and the Education Extension Fund and used for equipment at Western Connecticut State College (\$235,253).

⁽³⁾ These private contributions consist of loans repaid by college students which are reused for the same purpose.

⁽⁴⁾ These will be self-liquidating bonds.

The Honorable James Carey Mayor of New Britain City Hall New Britain, Connecticut

Dear Mayor Carey:

The Trustees deeply appreciate the strong support given to Central. Connecticut State College by the citizens of New Britain and by the city government. Some time ago an understanding was reached with the city's political leaders that the Trustees would sponsor the construction of the Northern Bypass and the Southern Perimeter Read and that, upon completion of the Northern Bypass, the sity would close Wells Street. The work on the Northern Bypass, the sity would close wells Street. The work on the Northern Bypass now nears completion and the General Assumbly has appropriated \$200,000 to plan the Southern Berimeter Road.

Anticipating that the Northern Bypass will soon be completed, the Trustees have passed the enclosed resolution asking the city to take legal action to close Wells Street at the time the Northern Bypase is opened for traffic. Presently Wells Street is a hazard to students walking across the campus and is an anneyance to drivers. The Trustees request that their resolution be brought to the attention of the City Council and that they be informed of the Council's reaction. Thank you for your consideration of the Trustees' request. The Trustees reaffirm their intent to carry out their part of the agreement.

Sincerely,

James A. Prost Executive Segretary

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ee: Mrs. Niejsälik Mr. McCreven President James