RESOLUTION NO. 16-1

WHEREAS, Sangamon/Menard Area Regional Transit (SMART) currently provides services to the residents of Menard County with the County of Sangamon acting as lead agency, as SMART; and

WHEREAS, Sangamon/ Menard Area Regional Transit (SMART) has a need for transportation to be expanded and provided to rural and small urbanized areas of Sangamon County; and

WHEREAS, rural Sangamon and Menard Counties have funding provided through Federal 5311 money and Illinois Downstate Operating Assistance Program (DOAP); and

WHEREAS, Small Urban areas of Sangamon County having funding provided through Federal 5307 money and Illinois Downstate Operating Assistance Program (DOAP); and

WHEREAS, 5307 money is provided to Mass Transits; and

WHEREAS, Sangamon Mass Transit District is restricted from providing rides to some small urbanized areas of Sangamon County; and

WHEREAS, the Sangamon/Menard Area Regional Transit Ad Hoc Committee (the "Committee"), which includes Sangamon and Menard County Board members, wishes for services to be provide by Sangamon/Menard Area Regional Transit (SMART) to these areas; and

WHEREAS, Sangamon Mass Transit District will submit reports for reimburse to the Illinois Department of Transportation for these services, and;

WHEREAS, after careful review individually of the urban budget submitted to IDOT for services provided for the small Urban area, and rural budget submitted to IDOT for services provided for rural area the Committee has recommended that the County accept as a whole the budget of \$1,560,938.00.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Members of the Sangamon County Board, in session this 8th day of August, 2017, as follows:

A. Sun Huther

County Board Chairman

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Andy Goleman
SANGAMON COUNTY AUDITOR

Finance Committee