RESOLUTION NO. 2110-12

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF WINTER PARK, FLORIDA SUPPORTING THE CONSTRUCTION OF QUIET ZONES THROUGHOUT THE RAIL CORRIDOR IN CENTRAL FLORIDA AS PART OF THE SUNRAIL PROJECT.

WHEREAS, Federal regulations permit the silencing of train horns at intersections if certain safety parameters are in place (quiet zones), and

WHEREAS, the City of Winter Park City Commission has long supported the construction of quiet zones through the City, and

WHEREAS, quiet zones would improve the quality of life for residents and visitors as well as improve the redevelopment opportunities along the corridor, and

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Transportation is in the process of modifying the rail corridor through Central Florida to accommodate SunRail, and

WHEREAS, it would be more efficient and less expensive to include the needed upgrades for quiet zones as part of the SunRail project instead of through a retrofit after SunRail is constructed.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the City Commission of the City of Winter Park, Florida that:

Section 1. The City Commission of the City of Winter Park hereby supports the construction of quiet zones throughout the SunRail corridor.

Section 2. The City Commission calls upon the Federal Transit Administration, the Florida Department of Transportation, MetroPlan Orlando and the cities and counties along the SunRail corridor to work together to bring the quiet zones project to fruition as part of the SunRail project.

Adopted at a regular meeting of the City Commission of the City of Winter Park, Florida, held at City Hall, Winter Park, Florida on the 23rd day of July, 2012.

Kenneth W. Bradley
Mayor, Kenneth W. Bradley

Attest: Cynthia S. Bonham
City Clerk, Cynthia S. Bonham, MMC