

## **BALDWIN COUNTY**

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Mr. Bradley Lindsey, P.E. State Local Transportation Engineer Alabama Department of Transportation 1409 Coliseum Boulevard Room D 101 Montgomery, Alabama 36110

Re: Letter of Justification

Saint Michael Way from State Route 104 to State Route 181

Dear Mr. Lindsey:

The Baldwin County Commission is requesting that Saint Michael Way be reclassified from a Local Road to a Major Collector. Our office has gathered the following data to support the request.

## Average Daily Traffic (ADT) and Percent Truck Volume:

The 2021 ADT volume range is 1045 - 1298 vehicles per day. The truck volume for 2021 is 2.0% - 2.2%

There are several residential neighborhoods and a High School.

## Connecting Roads and Nearby Collectors or Higher

Saint Michael Way begins at State Route 104 which is a Minor Arterial, and runs easterly to State Route 181, which is also a Minor Arterial. The length of the entire road is approximately 2.5 miles.

Functionally classified roads in the area include:

Principal Arterial – US Hwy 98 Minor Arterials - State Route 104, State Route 181, Scenic Hwy 98, US Hwy 98A Collectors – County Road 13, County Road 30, County Road 40

Thank you for your consideration of this request. If you need any additional information, please contact Mr. Seth Peterson, P.E. at 251-970-4055, or at <a href="mailto:speterson@baldwincountyal.gov">speterson@baldwincountyal.gov</a>
Sincerely,
Joey Nunnally, P.E. County Engineer