**Administrative Resolution AR-2-16**

**Title: Control City Request from Alabama Department of Transportation**

**WHEREAS**, The State of Alabama in response to the provisions of the AASHTO Guidelines for Listing Control Cities for Use in Guide Signs on Interstate Highways has requested that the City of Birmingham be established as the control city destination along the interchange of Interstate Route I-22, and

**WHEREAS**, The City of Birmingham lies at the interchange with Interstate 65 and the official designation of Interstate 22 within the State of Mississippi; and

**WHEREAS,** Birmingham is the largest city in Alabama and is already listed as a control city for Interstates 20, 59, and 65, and

**WHEREAS,** Motorists destined for the interchange of Interstate 22 would benefit by signing the city at this location as a Control City, and

**WHEREAS,** Most states use this criteria when determining Control Cities in an effort to provide good directional guidance to the motorist, and

**WHEREAS,** The request of this designation has been reviewed and determined to meet the requirements of the AASHTO guidelines, now therefore be it

**RESOLVED**, It is recommended that the request of the State of Alabama to designate Birmingham, as the control city destination along the interchange of Interstate Route I-22 be approved by the AASHTO Board of Directors.