

## BA20-007

(1.3 ± acres to Columbus from Westerville)

Status: Authorizing Ordinance (Anticipated 2nd reading 2/8/2021)

Committee: Economic Development

## Legislation

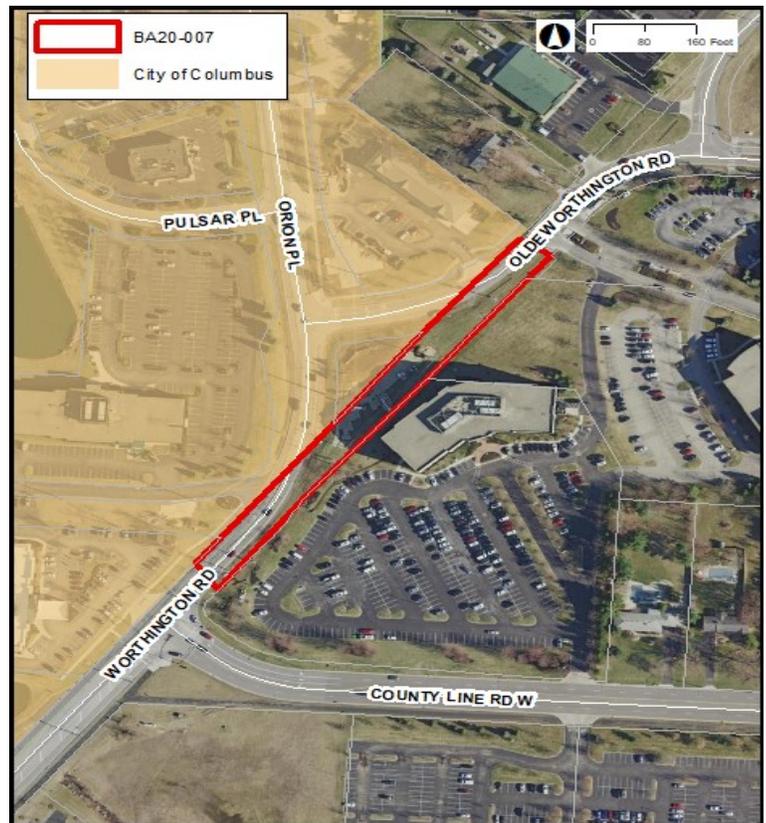
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## Principal Parties

Property owner: City of Westerville (Right of Way)

Westerville contact: Thomas F. Schmitt, Scott Tourville, Jeff Kessler

Staff: Marc Rostan (process)



## Site Information

- The site is south of a traffic circle converging at Worthington Road, Olde Worthington Road, and Orion Place, and consists of right of way, roadway and a shared use path, currently in Westerville. The proposed adjustment moves the Columbus corporate boundary slightly southward, to include the right of way.

## Key Issues

- Transferring this area to Columbus will unify the right of way in this convergence within one jurisdiction. The transfer is supported by city departments.
- This legislation is being filed in response to the provisions of the Ohio Revised Code - section 709.37 regarding municipal boundary adjustments. The process requires that both communities pass legislation approving the transfer, which will then be submitted for finalization by the Franklin County Commissioners.
- Westerville is proceeding with a similar ordinance addressing this transfer.