CHAPTER 28
COUNTY URBAN ROAD SYSTEM

SCOPE

2800. Scope. The County Legislature may by resolution designate any road within Jackson County as part of the County Urban Road System without regard to any city or road district boundaries and without regard to the state highway system. (Ord. 480, Sec. 2, Eff. 3-28-77)

DEFINITIONS

2810. Definitions. The following terms as used in this chapter have the following meanings unless the context clearly indicates otherwise. (Ord. 480, Sec. 1, Eff. 3-28-77)

2811. City. City means any incorporated city, town or village wholly or partly within Jackson County. (Ord. 480, Sec. 1(1), Eff. 3-28-77)

2812. County. County means Jackson County, Missouri. (Ord. 480, Sec. 9(6), Eff. 3-28-77)

2813. CURS. CURS means County Urban Road System. (Ord. 480, Sec. 1(3), Eff. 3-28-77)

2814. Manager of the Division of Finance. Manager of the Division of Finance means the Manager of the Jackson County Division of Finance. (Ord. 480, Sec. 1(5), Eff. 3-28-77)

2815. Legislature. Legislature means the Jackson County Legislature. (Ord. 480, Sec. 1(7), Eff. 3-28-77)

2816. Public Works Director. Public Works Director means the director of the Jackson County Department of Public Works. (Ord. 480, Sec. 1(4), Eff. 3-28-77)

2817. Road. Road includes streets, bridges and highways. (Ord. 480, Sec. 1(2), Eff. 3-28-77)
2820. County Urban Road System Established.
There is established the Jackson County Urban Road System (CURS) pursuant to Section 137.557 RSMo 1978. (Ord. 480, Sec. 2.1, Eff. 3-28-77)

2821. Designate by Resolution.
The County Legislature may designate by resolution any road within the county as part of the County Urban Road System (CURS) without regard to any city or road district boundaries and without regard to the state highway system. (Ord. 480, Sec. 2.1, Eff. 3-15-78)

2822. Recommendations Considered.
The County Legislature shall consider the recommendation of the County Executive and the Director of Public Works in determining what roads shall be included in the County Urban Road System (CURS). (Ord. 480, Sec. 2.2, Eff. 3-28-78)

2823. Previous Designation.
Any road previously designated as part of the County Urban Road System (CURS) by the County Court or County Legislature prior to the effective date of this chapter shall remain part of the County Urban Road System (CURS) unless changed by resolution of the County Legislature. (Ord. 480, Sec. 2.3, Eff. 3-28-78)

CURS REFUND PLAN

2830. CURS Refund Plan Established.
There is established a CURS Refund Plan pursuant to Section 137.557, RSMo 1978. (Ord. 480, Sec. 3.1, Eff. 3-28-78)

2831. Credits to City CURS Refund Account.
The governing body of any city may request the county to credit the CURS account of the city an amount not to exceed twenty-five percent (25%) of the Special Road and Bridge Tax collected by the county from property situated within the corporate limits of the city. (Ord. 480, Sec. 3.2, Eff. 3-28-78)

2832. Annual Accounting.
The Manager of the Division of Finance shall provide all participating cities with an annual accounting of all credits to and expenditures from the CURS refund account of the city. (Ord. 480, Sec. 3.3, Eff. 3-28-78)

2833. Conditions on use of CURS Funds.
The tax monies credited to the CURS refund account of a city shall be subject to the following conditions: (Ord. 480, Sec. 4, Eff. 3-28-78)

   2833.1 Expenditures.
   All expenditures from the account shall only be used on roads which are part of or
contribute to the County Urban Road System (CURS). (Ord. 480, Sec. 4(1), Eff. 3-28-78)

2833.2 Project Approved.
Every project receiving CURS funds shall be designated by the city and approved by the County Legislature as proper to the development of the County Urban Road System (CURS). (Ord. 480, Sec. 4(2), Eff. 3-28-78)

2833.3 Use of County Equipment and Property.
At the option of the Director of Public Works, the county may use its own equipment and employees for any CURS project. (Ord. 480, Sec. 4(3), Eff. 3-28-78)

2833.4 Cost of Work Performed by County.
The cost of any work performed by the county, including but not limited to planning and engineering, on CURS roads within the city shall be a charge against the CURS refund account of the city. (Ord. 480, Sec. 4(3), Eff. 3-28-78)

2833.5 Bids and Awards on CURS Project.
Every CURS project involving private contractors shall be bid and awarded by the county in the same manner as other county road contracts. (Ord. 480, Sec. 4(4), Eff. 3-28-78)

The cost of projects commencing in one (1) city and terminating in an adjacent city shall be shared by both cities according to the amount expended within each city. The county shall make the appropriate charges against the refund accounts of each city. (Ord. 480, Sec. 5, Eff. 3-28-78)

2835. Credit for Reimbursement.
If the county receives reimbursement for any CURS project within a city from the State of Missouri or the federal government, the amount of the reimbursement shall be credited to the CURS refund account of the city. To the extent of the reimbursement, the Special Road and Bridge funds expended on the project shall not be a charge against the account of the city. (Ord. 480, Sec. 6, Eff. 3-28-78)

2836. Alternative Refund Procedure.
The County Legislature may authorize, by resolution, a cash payment to the City from the CURS refund account of that city under either of the following circumstances: (Ord. 1099, Sec. 7, Eff. 6-15-78)

2836.1 Determination by Director of Public Works.
A cash payment may be authorized when the Director of Public Works determines that CURS Roads within the corporate limits of a city are in no further need of improvement or maintenance. (Ord. 1099, Sec. 7.1, Eff. 6-15-83)
2836.2 **Determination by Legislature.**
A cash payment may be authorized when the County Legislature determines that, while there are current CURS projects in progress within the corporate limits of the city, there are sufficient funds in the CURS account of the city to meet all obligations of the current CURS project and the proposed use of the funds in the cash payment will benefit the citizens of the city involved and the citizens of Jackson County, Missouri. (Ord. 1099, Sec. 7.2, Eff. 6-15-83)

2837. **City Cash Advance Procedure, CURS.**
The following sections will apply to cash advances:

2837.1 **Advancement of Other City Funds to County.**
Any city may advance other city funds to the county to be credited to the CURS account of the city to provide the necessary funding for a specific CURS project. (Ord. 480, Sec. 8.1, Eff. 3-28-78)

2837.2 **Interest on Advances.**
The county shall credit any interest earned on the advance to the account of the city. (Ord. 480, Sec. 8.1, Eff. 3-28-78)

2837.3 **Where Costs Chargeable.**
The costs of the specified CURS project shall first be charged to the refund credit of the city and then to the cash advance. Any cost under-run or unanticipated savings from the project shall benefit the city. (Ord. 480, Sec. 8.2, Eff. 3-28-78)

2837.4 **Repayment of Cash Advance.**
The county shall repay the cash advance plus accrued interest to the city from the funds credited to the CURS account of that city in subsequent years. This repayment may be in cash or in county services; however, the money paid and the services provided by the county shall only be used for roads which are tributary to the CURS roads. (Ord. 480, Sec. 8.3, Eff. 3-28-78)

2838. **Continuation of CURS Refund Accounts.**
All CURS funds which have not been expended or encumbered at the end of a fiscal year shall be credited to the CURS accounts of the cities in the following year. (Ord. 480, Sec. 9, Eff. 3-28-78)

2839. **Continuation of CURS Agreement.**
Nothing in this chapter shall require new approval of CURS projects approved by the County Court or County Legislature prior to the effective date of this chapter. All CURS agreements between the county and the participating cities remain in full force and effect. (Ord. 480, Sec. 10, Eff. 3-28-78)