## AMENDED

## POLICY NO. 47

## BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF ST. CLAIR

**SUBJECT: Bridge Definitions** 

**AMENDED:** May 2, 2006

The following bridge definitions shall be used:

## **FEDERAL**

A bridge is defined as a structure including supports erected over a depression or an obstruction, such as water, highway, or railroad, and having a track or passageway for carrying traffic or other moving loads, and having an opening measured along the center of the roadway of more than 20 feet between undercopings of abutments or spring lines of arches, or extreme ends of openings for multiple boxes; it may also include multiple pipes, where the clear distance between openings is less than half of the smaller contiguous opening.

The Federal definition is used to compile our Bridge Inventory.

Timothy LaLonde, Chairman

Donald M. Maronde, Managing Director

Adopted: August 9, 1983