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IN YOUR REPLY PLEASE
REFER TO FILE NO. _____
DESK NO. _____

PERSONAL

Mr. Amon G. Carter,
Star Telegram,
Ft. Worth, Texas.

Dear Mr. Carter:

I have a letter from Mr. M. C. Welborn, Engineer, in regard to widening Highway 2 from Ft. Worth to the air port. Mr. Welborn states that about seventy five per cent of the stretch of road is within the city limits and is fairly closely built up.

I am wondering if we could get the City and County interested with us to move the houses back on that part of the highway that is in the city limits and make the project a three way undertaking between the City, County and State Highway Department. I had thought that the street section reached almost to the city limits but it now appears from Mr. Welborn's letter that the worst part of the road is in the city.

We will improve that part out of the city in any event but it would be a more desirable undertaking if all of it could be improved at the same time.

I know that you are too busy to be bothered with this matter but you might get the County Commissioner and your Street Commissioner to give some active attention to it.

With kindest regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,

W. R. ELY

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