

TOWN COUNCIL RESOLUTION

June 5, 2023

RESOLUTION ADOPTING A COMPLETE STREETS POLICY

WHEREAS, Complete Streets is a nationally recognized road design strategy to minimize conflicts between users, improve safety within the public right of way, and provide adequate infrastructure to all modes of transportation including pedestrians; and

WHEREAS, Complete Streets are defined as roadways that enable safe and convenient access for all users, including pedestrians, bicyclists, transit riders, and motor vehicle drivers of all ages and abilities including children, seniors and individuals with disabilities and should be part of a multi-modal transportation system; and

WHEREAS, the 2015 Town Plan of Conservation Development provides roadway strategies to provide for safer roadways for motorists, pedestrians of all abilities, bicyclists and transportation modes of all types; and

WHEREAS the Plan Implementation Committee has prepared a Complete Streets Policy draft (Exhibit A) for the Town Council to review and consider for adoption, to be utilized as a guiding principle for public and private development projects, road construction/repair and for paving projects.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Rocky Hill Town Council hereby adopts a Complete Streets Policy (Exhibit A) reinforcing the Town's commitment to the development of Complete Streets where practical and feasible and shall approach every transportation project and program as an opportunity to improve streets and the transportation network for all users, and shall work in coordination with other departments, agencies, and jurisdictions to achieve Complete Streets.

