

A RESOLUTION TO REQUEST NCDOT INCLUDE SIDEWALKS AND ACCOMODATIONS FOR BICYCLES ON ALL STATE ROAD PROJECTS IN THE MECKLENBURG-UNION METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION

A motion was made by Tom Cox and seconded by MPO Member Tim Breslin for the adoption of the following resolution, and upon being put to a vote was duly adopted.

WHEREAS, by the authority of the Mecklenburg - Union MPO having the duty to direct transportation improvements within its planning area jurisdiction to the betterment of the community and the environment;

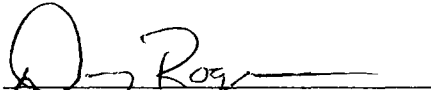
WHEREAS, citizens, the Technical Coordinating Committee, and the MUMPO have requested that sidewalks and on-street bicycle accommodations be included on all non-freeway transportation projects in the MPO;

WHEREAS, the MUMPO recognizes that sidewalks are as much a part of a roadway project as the vehicle travel lanes; and

WHEREAS, MUMPO is striving to become a truly multi-modal area, the accommodation for bicycles and pedestrians is essential in this effort,

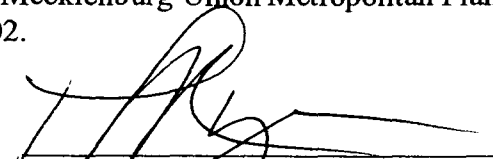
NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved that the Mecklenburg-Union Metropolitan Planning Organization hereby requests NCDOT include full funding for sidewalks and on-street accommodations for bicycles as essential elements of all State Transportation Improvement Projects in the MUMPO.

I, R. Lee Myers, MUMPO Chairman, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of an excerpt from the minutes of a meeting of the Mecklenburg-Union Metropolitan Planning Organization duly held on the 3rd day of April 2002.



Signature of MPO Secretary

Mecklenburg- Union MPO



Signature of MPO Chairman

Mecklenburg-Union MPO