

## RESOLUTION SUPPORTING SIDEWALKS AND OTHER PEDESTRIAN FACILITIES AT ALL NEW SCHOOL LOCATIONS WITHIN THE RFATS STUDY AREA

WHEREAS, the Policy Committee is the duly recognized decision making body of the 3-C transportation planning process for the Rock Hill-Fort Mill Area Transportation Study; and

WHEREAS, RFATS actively monitors the performance of the area's transportation system as well as tracks the nature of transportation needs and demands; and

WHEREAS, the RFATS 2045 Long Range Transportation Plan emphasizes the importance of planning for a multi-modal transportation network that can serve all system users in an efficient, connected and safe manner; and

WHEREAS, it is acknowledged that educational institutions represent an important center of activity requiring a thorough evaluation and proactive planning process in making an initial locational decision, and then effectively linking into the larger transportation network.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** that the RFATS Policy Committee finds that planning for, funding, and incorporating sidewalks and other pedestrian facilities at all new school locations should be completed by the sponsoring agency during initial construction of the school site in order to best ensure the safety, convenience, and range of mobility choices for all system users. This resolution was passed on this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of June, 2018.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the RFATS Policy Committee authorizes the Chairman to sign said Resolution on behalf of all the membership.

APPROVED:

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Brian Carnes, Chairman

ATTEST:

David F. Hooper, Secretary