

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF RACINE PLAN COMMISSION

November 13, 2019

ADOPTION OF AN AMENDMENT TO THE DOCUMENT TITLED “A COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FOR THE CITY OF RACINE: 2035” AS AN AMENDMENT THERETO, THE DOCUMENT TITLED “CITY OF RACINE BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN MASTER PLAN 2019”

Whereas, pursuant to Section 62.23 of the Wisconsin Statutes, the City of Racine is authorized to prepare and adopt certain amendments to the document titled “A Comprehensive Plan For The City Of Racine: 2035” (Comp. Plan 2035) as defined in Sections 66.1001(1)(a) and 66.1001(2) of the Wisconsin Statutes; and

Whereas, “City Of Racine Bicycle And Pedestrian Master Plan 2019” (Bike Ped Plan 2019) provides an analysis of existing conditions, facilities and plans of the City of Racine, and an examination of the community benefits derived from bicycling and walking. The Bike Ped Plan 2019 puts forth recommendations for selecting bicycle facilities, on-street and shared facilities, pedestrian and “complete Street” policies, and prioritizes them with short, medium and long terms implementation periods. Cost estimates and potential funding mechanisms are outlined; and

Whereas, on September 20, 2019 copies of the Bike Ped Plan 2019 were distributed to the Clerks of adjacent municipalities, of Racine County, and the Racine Public Library; and

Whereas, on September 23, 2019 a notice of a Plan Commission Public Hearing related to the Comp. Plan 2035 amendment and proposed incorporation of the Bike Ped Plan 2019, as an amendment there, to was published in the Journal times; and

Whereas, during the meeting of September 25, 2019 the Plan Commission of the City of Racine receive a presentation on the Bike Ped Plan 2019 from representatives of the Bike Federation of Wisconsin; and

Whereas, following a 30 day notice and public comment period on October 23, 2019, a public hearing was conducted to formerly solicit public comments and recommendation for an amendment to the document titled “A Comprehensive Plan for the City of Racine: 2035” incorporate, as an amendment thereto, the document titled “City of Racine Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan 2019”.

Whereas, Ordinance 0029 -19 was hereby prepared for the amendment to Comp. Plan 2035, reviewed by the Plan Commission during a meeting of November 13, 2019 and the Commission’s recommendation transmitted to the Common Council

Now therefore, the Plan Commission herewith approves of the document titled “City of Racine Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan 2019”, and also through this resolution, recommends to the Common Council of the City of Racine the adoption of Ordinance 0029-19, that the document titled “City of Racine Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan 2019” be adopted as an amendment to the document titled “A Comprehensive Plan for the City of Racine: 2035”, pursuant to Section 62.23 and Section 66.1001(4)(c) of the Wisconsin Statutes.

This resolution approved by the City of Racine Plan Commission on this day of November 13, 2019:

Mayor

Attest:

Secretary of the Plan Commission

Fiscal Note: Implementation the Bike Ped Plan 2019 will be accomplished as resources become available.