

STATE OF GEORGIA
FULTON COUNTY

September 14, 2020

A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF WALKING AND PEDESTRIAN SAFETY

WHEREAS, Roswell is a walkable city that prides itself as a safe and accessible community for children, families, seniors, and individuals with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, Roswell schools actively promote physical activity and walking or biking to school; and

WHEREAS, Roswell is a community that actively promotes sustainable practices, in which walking and biking are two of the most sustainable modes of transit; and

WHEREAS, numerous studies have found that communities that are walkable tend to be safer, have higher quality of life satisfaction, promote community, and have higher property values; and

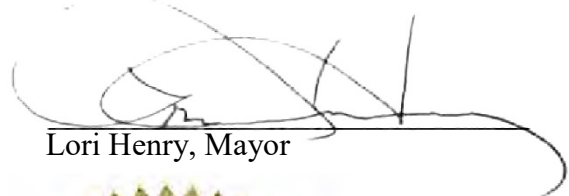
WHEREAS, walking reduces traffic congestion, air pollution, demand on natural resources, demand for parking, and contributes to physical fitness while reducing stress and obesity; and

WHEREAS, the City of Roswell has continued to support pedestrian and bicycle safety through the recent adoption of the Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan, and upgrades in infrastructure and urban design developments that promote pedestrian safety and access; and

WHEREAS, Roswell markets itself as a walkable community and seeks to promote support for local businesses along its business corridors, as well as attract new residents, businesses, and developments; and


NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Roswell that the City of Roswell officially encourages walking and pedestrian safety to ensure the health, welfare and convenience of the citizens of Roswell, and hereby instruct staff to pursue signing the International Charter for Walking initiative on behalf of the City of Roswell.

The above resolution was read and approved by the Mayor and Council of the City of Roswell, Georgia on the 14th day of September, 2020.



Lori Henry, Mayor

Attest:


Marlee Press, City Clerk
(Seal)



Regular Meeting

Monday, September 14, 2020

7:00 PM

3. Approval of a Resolution of Support for the City of Roswell as a Walkable Community.*Resolution No. 2020-09-40*

This resolution supports walking and pedestrian safety to ensure the health, welfare and convenience of the citizens of Roswell, and instructs staff to pursue signing the International Charter for Walking initiative on behalf of the City of Roswell.

RESULT:	APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Marie Willsey, Councilmember
SECONDER:	Matt Judy, Councilmember
IN FAVOR:	Hall, Judy, Palermo, Tyser, Willsey, Zapata

Community Development Department - Councilmember Marcelo Zapata**4. Approval of PV 20202161/ CV 20202162 - 10875 and 10901 Crabapple Road - Small Tract Status Request for a Daycare facility. (This item was deferred from the August 10, 2020 Mayor and Council meeting).***Resolution No. 2020-09-41*

The Parkway Village Small Tract Status was approved with the following conditions:

1. The property is developed in substantial accordance with the site plan submitted on September 1, 2020 to the City of Roswell Planning and Zoning Division.
2. A combination plat must be approved and recorded prior to the issuance of the land disturbance permit for the new building.
3. Current owner and future owners of this daycare facility are 100% responsible for all measures necessary to prevent queuing onto Crabapple Road from the business during AM and PM peak activity.
4. The owner/developer shall begin operations with a police officer at the Crabapple Road driveway to provide assistance with traffic until such time the Roswell Department of Transportation deems it is unnecessary.

The motion was approved by Councilmembers Judy, Willsey and Tyser. It was opposed by Councilmembers Palermo, Hall and Zapata. Mayor Henry broke the tie in favor of the motion.

RESULT:	APPROVED WITH CONDITIONS [4 TO 3]
MOVER:	Matt Judy, Councilmember
SECONDER:	Marie Willsey, Councilmember
IN FAVOR:	Lori Henry, Matt Judy, Matthew Tyser, Marie Willsey
OPPOSED:	Christine Hall, Michael Palermo, Marcelo Zapata