**Active Mobility Commission Minutes**
**May 16th, 2023**

**I. Call to Order**
Julia Weatherford called the meeting to order at 6:00.

**II. Quorum**
Members Present: Cindy Costen, Kyle Cole, Julie White, Michelle Knight, Julia Weatherford, Lisa Raleigh
Staff Present: Russell Cate, Jennifer Tipton

**III. Public Comment**
*Public Comment will also be permitted after each discussion.*
*None*

**IV. Agenda –** review and modify
The agenda was reviewed, amended, and accepted.

**V. Adoption of Minutes**
The minutes of the March meeting were adopted by consensus.

**VI. Old Business**
**Welcome New Member**
Introductions were done around the table as we welcomed our new commissioner Lisa Raleigh.

**Review of Projects**
Julia reviewed current project in order to bring Lisa up to date. Projects described included our recommendation of a greenway through the Ventures Property and construction of a pedestrian bridge behind the Ingles property (formerly Bi-lo). Julia also shared that the town website had a good description of greenway projects. This can be found in the Transportation section under Transportation Projects. She also shared how to access the Greenway Master Plan, the Bike Plan, and the Pedestrian Plan.

**VII. New Business**
**How the Commission is Being Used by Town Council**
Julie brought up the issue that it seemed that the commission was not being used by town council to get input on active mobility issues. She referenced a town council meeting where the creation of a one way street was being discussed. Part of the discussion was around pedestrian and bicycle access. The commission was not aware of this issue and had not been asked for input. Julia informed the group that she had asked for maps related to active mobility issues that we had discussed at out last meeting. She was told we should not be looking into this because those issues are not being presented to the town council at this time.

A discussion followed about the commission's role as it related to active mobility and how we need better communication between the group and the town council in order to be effective. We decided to ask members of the town council and Josh Harrodl to attend our next meeting to discuss this issue.

**VIII. Discussion**
None

**IX. Adjournment**
Julia adjourned the meeting at 7:00 pm.