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## A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF BARRINGTON IN SUPPORT OF SENATE BILL S-57 AND HOUSE BILL H-5393 REGARDING THE MAINTENANCE OF SIDEWALKS

WHEREAS, Rhode Island Senate Bill S-57 and House bill H-5393 will require that

maintenance of sidewalks along state highways be the responsibility of the

state; and

WHEREAS, The Rhode Island Department of Transportation (RIDOT) already has the

authority and funding to properly maintain sidewalks along State Rights of

Ways; and

WHEREAS, The Rhode Island League of Cities and Towns is supportive and advocating

for this bill; and

WHEREAS, The RI Public Works Association is supportive of this legislation; and

WHEREAS, The Barrington Town Council believes that this legislation is in the best

interest of the Town of Barrington; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Barrington Town Council, does hereby support Senate Bill S-57 and House Bill H-5393 and urges that the Rhode Island General Assembly approve and enact these bills submitted in the January 2025 session.

Adopted this 5th day of May 2025.

TOWN OF BARRINGTON

Braxton Howard Cloutier

Council President

ATTEST:

Meredith J. DeSisto/CMC

Town Clerk