

MEMORANDUM

October 14, 2022

TO: Mayor Jeni Arndt and City Council Members

FROM: Planning and Zoning Commission

RE: Proposed Active Modes Plan, City of Fort Collins

The Planning and Zoning Commission (Commission) has reviewed the recommendations contained in the proposed City of Fort Collins Active Modes Plan. Overall, we believe the plan achieves its goal of promoting significant improvement and expansion of the City's existing active modes network, support facilities, and community connectivity.

While supportive of the recommendations, the Commission recognizes that current sources of revenue will not be sufficient to cover the expected annual costs of near and mid-term projects. For that reason, the Commission encourages the Council to consider the trade-offs that would be required to execute the plan, as proposed, or seek alternative sources of funding. As a substitute, Council could adjust the timing or amount of the capital infused into the project. A plan with realistic deliverables sets expectations appropriately among all stakeholders.

Cc: Kelly DiMartino, City Manager