

# Agenda Abstract BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Meeting Date:Oct. 9, 2023Department:Community ServicesAgenda Section:DiscussionPublic hearing:NoDate of public hearing:N/A

## PRESENTER/INFORMATION CONTACT

Stephanie Trueblood, Public Space and Sustainability Manager

## **ITEM TO BE CONSIDERED**

Subject: Request from Forest Ridge residents regarding crosswalk safety improvements on U.S. 70A

#### Attachments:

E-Mail and Letter from Residents

#### Summary:

Town staff received the attached request from Forest Ridge residents regarding potential safety improvements to the crosswalks between the Forest Ridge neighborhood and the Sportsplex on U.S. 70A. The road is statemaintained, and most of the property surrounding the crosswalks is county-owned, so additional coordination will be required.

#### **Financial impacts:**

None at this time, as if approved, the only action will be for NCDOT to study the crosswalks for safety improvements.

## Staff recommendation and comments:

Staff recommends that the board discuss the request and provide direction to staff on how to proceed.

This request is consistent with Strategic Plan: Community Safety – Objective 1. This request is not specifically identified for action in the Comprehensive Sustainability Plan or the ongoing U.S. 70 corridor study.

## **Action requested:**

Board discussion and direction on how to proceed.