

## **RESOLUTION 2023-19**

## A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE COMPLETE STREETS INITIATIVE

WHEREAS, the City of Powell recognizes the importance of accommodating all modes of transportation and providing for the safety and efficient operation of the roads, paths, sidewalks, shared-use paths, bike lanes, transit facilities, and other transportation facilities; and

WHEREAS, Complete Streets aims to enhance the quality of life through improvements to transportation safety, equity, mobility, accessibility, connectivity, sustainability, and resiliency as well as public health and economic vitality; and

WHEREAS, Complete Streets are roadways designed, implemented, operated, and maintained in an equitable and context-sensitive manner so that people of all ages, incomes, and abilities can use them safely; and

WHEREAS, it is desirable that, where practicable, the design and modification of streets should consider the needs of all people, including, but not limited to; walking, bicycling, using shared mobility devices and assistive devices, using transit and riding school buses, driving, and operating commercial and emergency vehicles; and

WHEREAS, providing multiple modes of transportation can reduce traffic congestion, encourage healthy activities, promote environmental sustainability, and can provide connections between neighborhoods and other destinations; NOW THEREFORE,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF POWELL, COUNTY OF DELAWARE, STATE OF OHIO AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1:

City Council expresses support for the objectives of the Complete Streets

initiative.

Section 2:

City staff will consider, where practicable, accommodating multiple modes of transportation when planning, designing, constructing, and maintaining

transportation facilities.

Section 3:

That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon

adoption.

Daniel Swartwout

Mayor

EFFECTIVE DATE: 7 , 2023

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Date

Jason Nahvi

Acting City Clerk

This legislation has been posted in accordance with

Heather Karr

the City Charter on this date