



Pedestrian Trails Resolution

March 21, 2007

Whereas, the Oak Hill Association of Neighborhoods (OHAN), an organization composed of 20 Homeowners Associations more or less in the Oak Hill Area, supports a dynamic, healthy, vibrant, and planned community that unites citizens by promoting connectivity, including non-vehicular access, between its neighborhoods and destinations such as "The Y", and,

Whereas, the CAMPO has directed CAMPO staff to work with TXDOT to prepare a comparison of Highway 290 West/Highway 71 West roadway alternatives; and

Whereas, this information will compare alternative transportation scenarios as prescribed by CAMPO Chairman Kirk Watson; and,

Whereas, the Oak Hill Trails committee, a stakeholder group of the City of Austin Planning Neighborhood Process for the Oak Hill area, will develop a proposal for Hike and Bike trails throughout the Oak Hill area, and,

Whereas such trails will require seven primary points for pedestrian crossings of Highway 290 and Highway 71, along with a system of trails along public easements, with a master plan vision toward regional mobility and connectivity, off-set with vegetative buffered sidewalks, and pedestrian trails; coupled with facilitating local transportation, health, exercise, protection of environment, security, safety, mobility for children, while networking regional pedestrian destinations, and,

Whereas, the Oak Hill Trails committee desires CAMPO to incorporate the committee's concept of critical pedestrian and bicycle crossings at vital transportation interchanges into their transportation analysis and implementation; and,

Whereas, OHAN supports Transit Oriented Development, and pedestrian Mobility,

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, THAT OHAN encourages CAMPO, TXDOT, the City of Austin, and Capital Metro to incorporate pedestrian components in conjunction with alternative roadway initiatives; and

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, THAT OHAN supports the implementation of Highway pedestrian crossings as a part of Hike and Bike trail construction, for the creation, and preservation of community vitality.

Adopted this ____ day of _____, 2007

Dwain Rogers OHAN President