

**City of Mount Hope**  
MOUNT HOPE, WEST VIRGINIA 25880

**A RESOLUTION ADOPTING COMPLETE STREETS GUIDING PRINCIPLES SO THAT TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENTS ARE PLANNED, FUNDED, DESIGNED, CONSTRUCTED, OPERATED, AND MAINTAINED TO INTEGRATE WALKING, BICYCLING, TRANSIT, AND MOTOR VEHICLE USE WHILE PROMOTING SAFE AND EFFICIENT OPERATIONS FOR ALL USERS.**

**WHEREAS**, streets constitute a large and valuable portion of public space; and

**WHEREAS**, streets need to be safe, convenient, and connected corridors for all transportation modes and users, with particular emphasis on the most vulnerable users; and

**WHEREAS**, Complete Streets Guiding Principles encourage planning, designing, constructing, operating and maintaining transportation systems that promote safe and convenient travel for people of all ages and abilities – pedestrians, bicyclists, transit riders, and motor vehicle drivers; and

**WHEREAS**, streets should be designed to complement and support the adjoining land uses, buildings, and community character, such that the resulting street environment is attractive and of appropriate scale; and

**WHEREAS**, streets that integrate and invite multiple transportation choices including pedestrians, bicycles, public transit, and motor vehicles – contribute to the public life of a community, sustainable economic development, and efficient movement of people and goods; and

**WHEREAS**, encouraging non-motorized transportation improves public health, advances environmental stewardship, reduces fuel consumption, and maximizes the use of roadway infrastructure; and

**WHEREAS**, other jurisdictions and agencies nationwide have adopted Complete Street policies or legislation, including the United States Department of Transportation, the West Virginia Department of Transportation and a growing number of municipalities; and

**WHEREAS**, Complete Streets principles are compatible with the existing transportation guidelines of the City of Mount Hope Comprehensive Plan (2013); and

**WHEREAS**, the Mount Hope City Council has determined that it is in the best interest of the City for this resolution to be APPROVED.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, be it resolved by the City Council:

**(I)**

**THAT** the City of Mount Hope adopts the Complete Streets Guiding Principles, as shown in Exhibit "A," attached hereto and made part of this Resolution, and that said exhibit is hereby approved and adopted.

**(II)**

**THAT** City staff is hereby authorized to do all deeds necessary in the accomplishment of the herein above.

**DONE** and **APPROVED** this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

APPROVED:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor Kessinger

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Recorder

Moved by: \_\_\_\_\_

Seconded by: \_\_\_\_\_

VOTE:

Councillor Barrett \_\_\_\_\_

Councillor Brown \_\_\_\_\_

Councillor Conelly \_\_\_\_\_

Councillor Kidd \_\_\_\_\_

Councillor Powell \_\_\_\_\_