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Date: 9/16/19

**RECOMMENDATION OF THE**  
**URBAN COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION**  
**OF LEXINGTON AND FAYETTE COUNTY, KENTUCKY**

**IN RE: SRA 2019-1: UPDATE ARTICLE 6 FOR SIDEWALKS AND SHARE-USE PATHS –**  
petition for a Subdivision Regulation Amendment to Article 6 to update the requirements for  
sidewalks and shared-use paths.

Having considered the above matter on August 22, 2019, at a Public Hearing and having voted 9-0 that this  
Recommendation be submitted to the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Council, the Urban County Planning  
Commission does hereby recommend **APPROVAL** of alternate text for this matter for the following reasons:

1. The proposed amendment to Article 6 of the Land Subdivision Regulations to update the requirements for  
sidewalks and shared-use paths will provide a more diverse transportation network with options for  
residents and visitors to our community, while also promoting economic growth, public health, and the  
quality of life of the Lexington's current and future residents.
2. The proposed text amendment will work to achieve an effective and comprehensive transportation  
network (Theme D, Goal #1), by supporting the Complete Streets concept, prioritizing a pedestrian-first  
design that also accommodates the needs of bicycle, transit and other vehicles (Theme D, Goal #1.a).
3. The proposed text amendment meets the minimum design standards established by the Kentucky  
Transportation Cabinet, the United States Access Board, and the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA).

**ATTEST:** This 16<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2019.

  
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Secretary, Jim Duncan

MIKE OWENS  
CHAIR

At the Public Hearing before the Urban County Planning Commission, this petition was represented by **Hal  
Baillie, Senior Planner, Division of Planning, Planning Services Section.**

OBJECTIONS  
● None

OBJECTORS  
● None