

Complete Street Resolution City of Americus

RESOLUTION

COMPLETE STREETS

RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING AND ADOPTING A "COMPLETE STREETS" POLICY AND INCORPORATING SAME AS AN INTEGRAL COMPONENT OF ALL OF THE CITY'S FUTURE TRANSPORTATION PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

WHEREAS; "Complete Streets" is a national initiative intended to extend full benefits of the public transportation system and services beyond the motorist to include all users; bicyclists, riders of public transit, and pedestrians of all ages and abilities, and

WHEREAS; the U. S. Department of Transportation, in 2010, and the Georgia Department of Transportation, in 2012, have subscribed to the "Complete Streets" initiative and have incorporated "Complete Streets" precepts into their respective transportation planning and development , and

WHEREAS; it is the desire of Mayor and Council of the City of Americus to incorporate "Complete Streets" precepts into all of the city's future transportation planning and development, and

NOW, BE IT RESOLVED, and it is hereby resolved by the Mayor and Council of the City of Americus, that "Complete Streets" precepts be institutionalized into all transportation planning and development of the City, and

BE IT RESOLVED FURTHER, that facilities, features and structures of the City of Americus affecting the transportation needs of all motorists, bicyclists, riders of public transit, and pedestrians of all ages and abilities be planned and developed as integral elements of all future improvements of Americus city streets, and

BE IT RESOLVED FURTHER, that the Georgia Department of Transportation be requested to incorporate "Complete Streets" into all proposed road and street improvements along state routes in the City of Americus.

This 21st day of April, 2016.



Barry Blount, Mayor



Paula Martin, City Clerk