

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL
FOR THE TOWN OF ABINGDON, VIRGINIA
TO REQUIRE USERS OF THE VIRGINIA CREEPER TRAIL
TO COME TO A COMPLETE STOP AT MEADE DRIVE**

WHEREAS, § 46.2-924 of the Code of Virginia 1950, as amended, grants the local governing body the authority where a shared-use path crosses a highway at a clearly marked crosswalk and there are no traffic control signals at such crossing, to require pedestrians, cyclists, and any other users of such shared-used path to come to a complete stop prior to entering such crosswalk; and

WHEREAS, where Meade Drive crosses the Virginia Creeper Trail, Town staff has determined that traffic signals controlling vehicular traffic on Meade Drive should be removed and there is a clearly marked crosswalk;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the council of the Town of Abingdon that:

Should any section or provision of this ordinance be decided to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of any other section or provision of this ordinance or the Code of the Town of Abingdon, Virginia; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that:

Following the removal of traffic control signals from Meade Drive, pedestrians, cyclists, and any other users of the Virginia Creeper Trail be required to come to a complete stop prior to entering the crosswalk at Meade Drive.

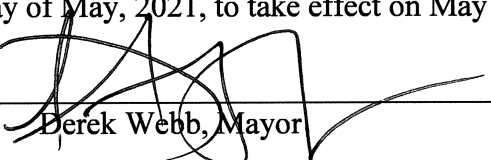
CERTIFICATE

Pursuant to Section 2-100 of the Code of the Town of Abingdon, Virginia, I hereby certify that I have reviewed the foregoing proposed ordinance to amend, and find it to be in correct form, as set forth above, this ____ day of _____, 2021.



Cameron Bell, Counsel

This ordinance was adopted on the 20th day of May, 2021, to take effect on May 20, 2021.



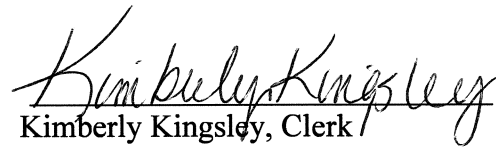
Derek Webb, Mayor

The undersigned Clerk of the Town of Abingdon, Virginia (the “Town”), hereby certifies that the foregoing constitutes a true and correct copy of an ordinance duly adopted at a meeting of the Council held on May 20, 2021. I hereby certify that such meeting was a regularly scheduled meeting and that, during the consideration of the foregoing ordinance, a quorum was present. I further certify that the minutes of meeting was a regularly scheduled meeting and that, during the consideration of the foregoing ordinance, a quorum was present. I further certify that the minutes of such meeting reflect the attendance of the members and the voting on the foregoing ordinance was as follows:

MEMBERS	ATTENDANCE	VOTE
Derek Webb, Mayor	Yes	Aye
Donna Quetsch, Vice Mayor	Yes	Aye
Amanda Pillion	Yes	Aye
James Anderson	Yes	Aye
Mike Owens	Yes	Aye

WITNESS MY HAND and the seal of the Town of Abingdon as of May 20, 2021.

(SEAL)


 Kimberly Kingsley, Clerk