

RESOLUTION
NO. 2022-029

A RESOLUTION
TO BE ENTITLED:

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PENSACOLA, FLORIDA, EXPRESSING SUPPORT TO THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO INCORPORATE ADDITIONAL ROAD DIET DESIGN ON PALAFOX STREET, FROM SCOTT STREET SOUTH TO CERVANTES STREET, INTO THEIR PLANNED RESURFACING, RESTORATION, AND REHABILITATION PROJECT; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Pensacola looks for opportunities to become a more bicycle and pedestrian friendly community; and

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Transportation previously evaluated the section of Palafox Street from Scott Street to Cervantes Street and determined a Road Diet was acceptable; and

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Transportation currently has a Resurfacing, Restoration and Rehabilitation (RRR) project in design for Palafox Street from Brent Lane to Scott Street; and

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Transportation agrees to extend the limits of its RRR design project to include a Road Diet design from Scott Street south to Cervantes Street, specifically, a re-striping on Palafox Street to incorporate parking and bicycle elements; and

WHEREAS, the City of Pensacola agrees to enter into a Local Funding Agreement after the design completion, which would include the City of Pensacola contributing the funding necessary for the construction phase of the Road Diet design on Palafox Street from Scott Street south to Cervantes Street;

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Transportation's design project will only include re-striping on Palafox Street and will not include any other resurfacing, restoration, or rehabilitation in relation to the Road Diet contemplated herein;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PENSACOLA, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1. That the above-stated recitals are true and correct and incorporated herein by reference.

SECTION 2. That the Road Diet Project is endorsed by the City Council of the City of Pensacola as serving an unmet vital transportation need for the public health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Pensacola.

SECTION 3. This Resolution shall become effective on the fifth business day after adoption, unless otherwise provided pursuant to Section 4.03(d) of the City Charter of the City of Pensacola.

Adopted: _____

Approved: _____
President of City Council

Attest:

City Clerk