

Resolution # TC-17-1-6

Updated Policy Directive 1602.0 "Elevating Bicycle and Pedestrian Opportunities in Colorado"

Approved by the Transportation Commission on Jan. 19, 2017.

WHEREAS, under § 43-1-106(8), C.R.S., the Transportation Commission of Colorado has the statutory responsibility to set policies for the Colorado Department of Transportation ("CDOT"); and

WHEREAS, § 43-1-120, C.R.S. requires the Department to include the needs of bicyclists and pedestrians in the planning, design, operation and maintenance of transportation facilities as a necessary component of all programs and activities; and

WHEREAS, the Transportation Commission has authority under § 43-1-120(2)(c), C.R.S. to set exemption criteria by which the Department will determine and document that the needs of bicyclists and pedestrians not be included in a given project; and

WHEREAS, in Policy Directive 1602.0 adopted on May 19, 2016, the Transportation Commission established three such exemption criteria; and

WHEREAS, two additional exemption criteria are needed to clarify whether bicycle and pedestrian needs can be included in resurfacing projects carried out by the Department; and

WHEREAS, updated Policy Directive 1602.0 includes the two additional exemption criteria set by the Transportation Commission under § 43-1-120(2)(c), C.R.S., thereby establishing a total of five exemption criteria;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Commission herein adopts updated Policy Directive 1602.0 "Elevating Bicycle and Pedestrian Opportunities in Colorado."



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Transportation Secretary



Date of Approval