



## Takoma Park City Council Meeting – March 15, 2017 Agenda Item 2B

### **Voting Session (Consent Agenda)**

Resolution Providing for an Appointment to the Safe Roadways Committee

### **Recommended Council Action**

Adopt the resolution as part of the consent agenda.

### **Context with Key Issues**

The City Council re-established the Safe Roadways Committee in 2012 to serve in an official advisory and coordination role to the City Council on all matters related to transportation, including, but not limited to, pedestrian and bicycle facilities and safety, traffic issues, and transit services. The Committee is to have up to 11 residents appointed to two-year staggered terms. Members may not serve more than six years continuously. Current members of the Committee are Joe Edgell (Ward 2), Katherine Kostiuk (Ward 3), Frank Demarais (Ward 5), Katheryn Phillips (Ward 4), John Gorman (Ward 1), Mark Sherman (Ward 3), and Michael Moore (Ward 6). There are four vacancies on the Committee. Ms. Stephanie Kaufman (Ward 3) has applied to serve. The Council has reviewed her application and considers Ms. Kaufman to be a qualified candidate for service on the Safe Roadways Committee.

### **Council Priority**

Engaged, Responsive, and Service-Oriented Government; Livable Community for All

### **Environmental Impact of Action**

N/A

### **Fiscal Impact of Action**

N/A

### **Attachments and Links**

Draft Resolution Providing for an Appointment to the Safe Roadways Committee

Introduced by:

**CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND**

**RESOLUTION 2017-  
PROVIDING FOR AN APPOINTMENT TO THE SAFE ROADWAYS COMMITTEE**

WHEREAS, the City Council is committed to the goal of creating a sustainable, pedestrian-friendly and walkable community; and

WHEREAS, the Safe Roadways Committee was re-established by Ordinance 2012-38 to serve in an official advisory and coordination role to the City Council on all matters related to transportation, including, but not limited to, pedestrian and bicycle facilities and safety, traffic issues, and transit services; and

WHEREAS, up to 11 residents may be appointed to the Committee; and

WHEREAS, members serve staggered two-year terms that expire on June 30, but may serve no more than six years continuously; and

WHEREAS, at the present time there are four vacancies on the Committee; and

WHEREAS, Stephanie Kaufman has applied for appointment; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has considered the application and finds Ms. Kaufman to be a qualified candidate for service on the Safe Roadways Committee.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND THAT Stephanie Kaufman, a resident of Ward 3, is hereby appointed to the Safe Roadways Committee for a term to expire June 30, 2019.

Adopted this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2017

Attest:

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Jessie Carpenter, CMC  
City Clerk