Resolution to amend the 2024 Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the City of La Crosse Common Council adopted the 2012 Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan via Ordinance 4716 which provided a vision for a transportation network that supports users of all ages and abilities and promotes Green Complete Streets; and

WHEREAS, the City of La Crosse Common Council committed to accepting the Wisconsin Department of Transportation – Transportation Alternatives Program funding for an update to the Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan via Resolution 22-0903; and

WHEREAS, the City of La Crosse Common Council approved a State/Municipal Grant Agreement with the Wisconsin Department of Transportation to update the Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan via Resolution 22-1076; and

WHEREAS, the City of La Crosse Common Council entered into a Professional Services Agreement with Alta Planning + Design, Inc. to complete the Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan via Resolution 24-0491; and

WHEREAS, the City of La Crosse Common Council adopted the 2024 Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan via Resolution 24-0957; and

WHEREAS, it is best practice to continually monitor opportunities for updates to planning documents and amend when necessary; and

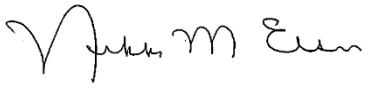
WHEREAS, additional public opinion and changes to transportation networks have brought about further discussions for amendments; and

WHEREAS, the City wishes to amend the Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan to reflect those changes by including the Goose Green trail, Vine St Greenway, 10th Street Greenway extension, and Redfield Street Greenway; and

WHEREAS, additional public input was gathered through an open house format for the public to provide input; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of La Crosse that it hereby adopts the amendments to the 2024 Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan and directs the Planning and Development Department to work with other applicable municipal departments and organizations to implement the plan's recommendations.

I, Nikki M. Elsen, certify that this resolution was duly and officially adopted by the Common Council of the City of La Crosse on August 13, 2026.



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Nikki M. Elsen, WCMC, City Clerk
City of La Crosse, Wisconsin