ORDINANCE NO. 805

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 11.06 OF THE ALEXANDRIA CITY CODE BY ADDING SUBD. 10 FOR THE PURPOSES OF REQUIRING SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL INFRASTRUCTURE

WHEREAS, the City of Alexandria, Minnesota ("City") may from time to time have the opportunity to apply for and receive from the State of Minnesota grants or other funding under the State's Safe Routes to School Program as set forth in Minnesota Statutes § 174.40; and

WHEREAS, to be eligible for said funding, Minnesota Statutes § 174.40, Subd. 4a requires the City to adopt subdivision regulations that require safe routes to school infrastructure in developments authorized on or after June 1, 2016; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 11 of the Alexandria City Code includes subdivision regulations which do not presently require safe routes to school infrastructure in developments authorized by the City; and

WHEREAS, the City has not authorized any subdivision development since June 1, 2016 but may do so in the future; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that requiring safe routes to school infrastructure in developments authorized by the City would not only serve public health, safety and general welfare but would also allow the City to be eligible for the State's Safe Routes to School funding;

The City Council of the City of Alexandria does ORDAIN:

SECTION I. That City Code Section 11.06, be hereby amended by the addition of a Subdivision 10 which shall read as follows:

Subd. 10. Safe Routes to School. Any subdivision authorized by the City shall include safe routes to schools infrastructure pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, § 174.40, Subdivision 4a, as the same may be amended from time to time.

SECTION II. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication.

ADOPTED by the city Council of the City of Alexandria this 13th day of May, 2019, by the following vote:

YES: Franzen, Thalman, Osterberg, Benson, Jensen

NO: None

ABSENT: None

Sara Carlson, Mayor

ATTEST:

Martin D. Schultz, City Administrator