WILMAPCO Council Action Item Summary Sheet

Meeting Date: September 9, 2021

Action Item #10: To Endorse the Route 9 Paths Plan

Description/Summary of Item:

Staff will present the final report and recommendations of the Route 9 Paths Plan. The Plan was requested by and guided by the Route 9 Health Subcommittee of the Route 9 Monitoring Committee. The Plan is an expansion and enhancement of the bicycle and pedestrian recommendations that were proposed in the Route 9 Corridor Master Plan. The Plan proposes a network of paths and other recommendations that seek to improve the safety, connectivity, and accessibility of walking and biking throughout the Route 9 corridor.

Summary of Action Taken by PAC:

The PAC did not take action on this item but was supportive of the public outreach process for this project.

Summary of Action Taken by TAC:

The TAC recommended endorsement of the Route 9 Paths Plan at their August 19 meeting.

Summary of Action Taken by Subcommittee/Task Force (if applicable):

The Nonmotorized Transportation Working Group reviewed the draft report and recommended it for endorsement. The Route 9 Monitoring Committee and Route 9 Health Subcommittee also reviewed the draft report and were supportive but did not take action.

WILMAPCO Staff Recommendations:

The WILMAPCO staff recommends that Council endorse the Route 9 Paths Plan as presented.