



November 29, 2018

Henderson County Board of Commissioners
100 N King Street
Hendersonville, NC 28792

RE: Greenway Master Plan: 30 Year Vision

To the Board of Commissioners,

Conserving Carolina heartily endorses the Greenway Master Plan currently being considered by the Board of Commissioners as a 30 Year Vision for Henderson County. We commend the Board for their leadership and recommendation to create a comprehensive feasibility study of greenways and their benefits for this community.

Greenways connect people, communities, businesses, and the natural world. We believe greenways are a resource for all ages and abilities. The environmental, safety, mobility, economic, and educational benefits of greenways are well documented. These routes offer a vital resource for people to experience the outdoors and gain a deeper appreciation for their community and environment. Conserving Carolina supports the sustainable infrastructure greenways provide as they enhance transportation, improve safety, support healthy living, and promote economic benefits.

Once again, we are very grateful for the existing greenways and blue ways throughout Henderson County and we endorse the proposed Greenway Master Plan to create more greenways for a better future.

Sincerely,

Kieran Roe
Executive Director

For Nature and People. Forever.

