

November 29, 2018

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

County Board Members:

Hendo Fun Friends is a social group that is composed of 1400+ members who enjoy the many and diverse activities in and around Hendersonville. I lead our popular "Amble & Ramble" walks along the Greenway. Most members of our group are senior citizens seeking low impact exercise, like a moderately paced group walk along the Greenway. Everyone looks forward to chatting with old and new friends while enjoying the fresh air, beautiful scenery and much needed exercise!

Hendo Fun Friends schedules our "Amble & Ramble" events three times a week – Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, year round. *(The public is always welcome to join us on our walks.)* We meet at the Patton Park pavilion at 10:00 and walk either toward Berkley or Jackson Park. Many members bring their canine friends to enjoy the socialization and exercise too. If the Greenway was extended from Jackson Park to the Blue Ridge Community College, I am sure that would be a very popular route as well. This extension would benefit many members, their friends and families who do not live close to Patton Park.

The Fun Friends also uses the greenway for benefit events to raise awareness and funds for local non profit organizations. This supports our group's motto: "Building COMMUNITY one friend at a time." Our group strongly supports the Greenway Master Plan. We encourage the Board of Commissioners to approve it, unanimously.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "John Evers". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

John Evers
Hendo Fun Friends