Representative Geraldine Thompson

1402 The Capitol
402 South Monroe Street
Tallahassee, FL 32399-1300

Dear Representative Thompson,

My name is (insert name). I am a resident of Windermere, FL. I am writing to state my support of House Bill HB 2579 Multi Modal Trail from North to WES, which you have co-sponsored with Senator Vic Torres.

The Town of Windermere submitted Appropriation request to the State/DOT for the partial funding of the Phase 1 Multi-Modal Pathway, extending from North Drive to Windermere Elementary School. The purpose of this request is to accelerate the implementation of projects that support walking, cycling, and golf cart travel within the Town, as well as to adjacent areas, while simultaneously improving multi-modal safety. This phase in particular will allow residents to utilize the pathways to get to civic, recreational, commercial, and educational facilities safely. Windermere Elementary School students also use this particular area for direct access to the school.

Passage of HB 2579 will ensure:

* **Safety:** Pedestrians and cyclists will have a safe, protected path to travel to and from civic, recreational, commercial, and educational facilities out of the line of traffic.
* **Environmental Protection:** By providing a safe walking/biking path to and from civic, recreational, commercial, and educational facilities, fewer cars will be on the road.
* **Health:** This project will improve physical and mental well-being by encouraging people to walk, bike, skate, etc.

I ask you to voice my support HB 2579. Please contact me with any additional questions you may have.

Respectfully Yours,

Your name

Your legal title

Your contact information