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KEVIN PARRIES
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

TO: THE FRIENDS OF THE OKLAWAHA GREENWAY

Re: Oklawaha Greenway Support

**NOVEMBER 21, 2016** 

At Carolina Village, our mission for our residents is for each person to "Be alive as long as you live." We are engaged in active aging and have developed many programs for our residents to accomplish that end. Our growing walking/hiking group often uses the Oklawaha Greenway for outings. The greenway has paths that are good for residents who may have issues walking on uneven surfaces and it has conveniently located rest stations if needed.. We have especially enjoyed the new section of the greenway linking Berkley Park to Patton Park and Jackson Park. This greenway is conveniently located to our Village and offers an excellent outing for our residents to achieve outdoor exercise away from the Village itself.

That being said, we wish to offer our support for the extension of the greenway from Jackson Park to Blue Ridge Community College. We appreciate the efforts of the community and the Friends of the Oklawaha Greenway in working toward this goal and giving the Henderson County residents the extension of a beautiful trail from which to enjoy the beauty of this area.

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