

May 23, 2022

Joan McNamara, Board of Selectmen jmcnamara@natickma.org Natick Town Hall 13 East Central Street, Natick, MA 1760

Dear Joan:



I am writing to request your approval for the *2022 CF Cycle for Life* to travel through the town of Natick. The event is a single day fundraising cycle ride to benefit the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. Over the past 24 years, more than \$3.0 million have been raised by dedicated CF volunteers and participants to support the mission of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation and our progress toward the cure.

This year's 25th Anniversary ride is scheduled for Saturday, October 1, 2022. We offer three routes, 12, 30 and 65 miles. The format of the ride is a split start, approximately 50 65-mile riders will leave Holliston at 8:00 am traveling through 10 towns and back. This is the only route that travels through Hopkinton. 150 - 30/12-mile riders will leave Holliston at 10:00 am. The event starts and finishes at the Fatima Shrine on Summer Street in Holliston. The cue sheets are attached.

Please let me know if there are any town specific requirements or permits.

As always, our priority is making the ride as safe as possible by keeping to side roads when practical and providing support to all riders. We anticipate having 200 riders and 60 volunteers ensuring the safety of our riders this year.

The mission of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation is to cure cystic fibrosis and to provide all people with the disease the opportunity to lead full, productive lives by funding research and drug development, promoting individualized treatment, and ensuring access to high-quality, specialized care.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation in Natick at (800) 966-0444 or email us at <u>twaite@cff.org</u>. Thank you for your past support and willingness to help. Can you please let us know about any road closures or planned construction?

Sincerely,

Terry Waite

Associate Executive Director

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