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Submitted by user: Anonymous

Submitted values are:

I have read and understand the above statements.: Yes

Date: Saturday, February 18, 2023

To: His Worship the Mayor and Members of City Council

First Name: Darcy

Last Name: Maatman

Phone Number:

Email:

Address: Po box

City: Meota

Province: Saskatchewan

Postal Code: S0m

What do you wish to do ?: Submit Comments

What meeting do you wish to speak/submit comments ? (if known):: Freeway expansion

What agenda item do you wish to comment on ?: Freeway expansion - swales

Comments:

I support swale watchers boundaries of the new freeway. City Council has repeatedly acknowledged the value of the

Swales and promised to protect them, now and in the future. Yet both the City and the Province are planning developments that will cause irreversible harm to these irreplaceable natural treasures. The proposals Fail to provide optimal protection for the sharp-tailed grouse dancing ground in the Northeast Swale. Fail to safeguard the wetlands in the hydrologically sensitive Small Swale, and

Fail to provide viable habitat linkages between the Small and Northeast Swales and between the Northeast Swale and the river valley. Providing these connections is absolutely crucial to maintaining the health of the Swales and the species

Will you be submitting a video to be vetted prior to council meeting?: No