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FW: Email - Communication - Noel Kramer - 17th Street Extension Project - File CK 6000-1

From: Web NoReply <web-noreply@Saskatoon.ca>

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Submitted by user:

Submitted values are:

I have read and understand the above statements.: Yes

Date: Sunday, March 26, 2023

To: His Worship the Mayor and Members of City Council

Pronouns: She/her/hers

First Name: Noel

Last Name: Kramer

Email:

Address: Avenue J South

City: Saskatoon

Province: Saskatchewan

Postal Code:

What do you wish to do ?: Submit Comments

What agenda item do you wish to comment on ?: 17th street extension

Comments:

I am writing to ask you to cancel plans to extend 17th Steet to 11th Street.

I am dismayed that the City plans to go ahead with this project even though studies show that it may no longer be needed. I am dismayed that the City failed to consult with, has no plans to consult with, the residents that live on or near 17 street west, that will be directly affected by this expanded roadway. They have failed to consult with the residents of West Industrial and Riversdale.

West Industrial is a neighbourhood in transition, from industrial to increasing residential.

I am concerned about the increased traffic which will result in an increase in pollution – air pollution, noise pollution, particulate pollution. I am concerned about the health and safety of the people that live in this neighbourhood. I am concerned that the City is prepared to spend 7 – 10 million dollars that it may not need to spend. Times are tight for everyone in this city and the funds could be used elsewhere to create a safer, healthier community for all (planting more large trees on the 17 street boulevard, more appropriate traffic calming measures on 17th street, homelessness, etc).

I respectfully request that the ill conceived and unnecessary 17th Street extension be cancelled and replaced with a park and multipurpose trail. This decision, I believe will be visionary and will support the well-being of all Saskatoon residents, especially those residing in our core neighbourhoods.

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