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I only want my comments shared with the Mayor or my Ward Councillor.: No

Date: Monday, December 04, 2023

To: His Worship the Mayor and Members of City Council

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What agenda item do you wish to comment on ?: 7.2.3 Neighbourhood Bikeways 30km/h Speed Limit Policy

Comments:

Hello,

I am writing to add my support to the Neighbourhood Bikeways 30 Km/h speed limit policy. As a cyclist myself and mother of cyclists and grandmother of cyclists in this city, I am constantly concerned for our safety! To me this is a "no-brainer", low cost, very effective method of improving safety and not just for cyclists on the bikeways. Those using any other active transportation method will also be safer. Several years ago, my mother was hit by a motor vehicle while she was in a pedestrian crosswalk. Although she survived, her injuries were serious to need an 8 month recovery. Had the speed limit been 30km/h, she would have fared much better, I believe.

Lowering the speed limit as well as increasing safety, sends a message to motorists to be more respectful of non-motorists! This respect is lacking and improvement is much needed in the city of Saskatoon.

Thank you for considering my comments,

Shirley Barlow

Saskatoon resident (North Park)

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