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Subject: Communication - Laurence Thompson - Neighbourhood Bikeways 30km-hr Speed Limit Policy - CK 6320-0 x 6000-5

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Submitted values are:

I have read and understand the above statements.: Yes

I do not want my comments placed on a public agenda. They will be shared with members of Council through their online repository.: No

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

Pronouns: He/him/his

First Name: Laurence

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Neighbourhood: [Exhibition](#)

City: Saskatoon

Province: Saskatchewan

Postal Code: [REDACTED]

What do you wish to do ?: Submit Comments

What meeting do you wish to speak/submit comments ? (if known):: Standing Policy Committee on Transportation, December 5, 2023

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

Comments:

I am writing to support the transportation report recommendation for a 30 km/hour speed limit for neighbourhood bikeway to make such bikeways safer and more welcoming for people on bicycles.

Such a speed limit would encourage and make biking safer by:

- reducing other-than-local vehicle traffic on such bikeways;
- giving bikes and vehicles more time to react to avoid crashes; and
- send a message that this is intended to a safer, bike-friendlier route for bicyclists to use.

As a senior biker I would welcome such routes, as I no longer bike on high-traffic streets, making it difficult to find a way to travel by bike to some destinations.

Laurence Thompson

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