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Date: Saturday, December 16, 2023

To: His Worship the Mayor and Members of City Council

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What do you wish to do ?: Submit Comments

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What agenda item do you wish to comment on ?: Agenda Item 8.2.1 Saskatoon Transit Long-Term Fleet Renewal and Funding Strategy Update

Comments:

To: Mayor and Council

From: Bus Riders of Saskatoon Date: December 16, 2023

Re: Agenda Item 8.2.1 Saskatoon Transit Long-Term Fleet Renewal and Funding Strategy Update

This is just a short communication in support of the strategy proposed by Administration . We hope that Council will approve the recommendation from the Standing Policy Committee on Transportation. We believe this initiative is essential if we are to restore and maintain reliable transit to the City of Saskatoon.

It is unfortunate that the previous fleet renewal strategy as adopted by Council in 2015 was discontinued. We have all seen the terrible results of not having a strategy in place to keep our bus fleet from falling into disrepair. Hopefully this essential service will not be neglected in the future.

Robert Clipperton, Steering Committee Bus Riders of Saskatoon

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