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**Date:** Monday, March 04, 2024

**To:** His Worship the Mayor and Members of City Council

**Pronouns:** She/her/hers

**First Name:** Mary Carroll

**Last Name:** Chubb

**Email:** [REDACTED]

**I live outside of Saskatoon:** No

**Saskatoon Address and Ward:**

**Address:** [REDACTED] Ling Street

**Ward:** Ward 8

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

**What agenda item do you wish to comment on?: 7.2.1**

**Comments:**

To: Standing Policy Committee on Transportation, City of Saskatoon

Date: March 4, 2024

Dear Committee Members,

I am very concerned about the wonderful native plants and animals associated with Saskatoon's Swales that are threatened by freeway development. The proposed freeway would cause severe damage to the Northeast Swale and the Small Swale.

I support the Swale Watchers recommendations that Saskatoon City Council not endorse the study (Saskatoon Freeway Functional Planning Study - Phase 2).

I ask you to urge the Government of Saskatchewan to choose a route for the Saskatoon Freeway that does not intrude on the Swales and valuable natural areas near them, and "to guarantee that the project will be subject to a thorough, impartial Environmental Impact Assessment."

The proposed freeway would be very expensive and would result in terrible loss to a very valuable natural area. The proposed development would also result in loss of ecosystem services. It seems to me that the money designated for the freeway could better be spent on other things, such as education, housing, health care, public transportation, and active transportation (such as walking and bicycling).

I would like to see the whole of the Northeast Swale protected, including the parts outside Saskatoon. Of course, the Small Swale should also be protected.

Please protect this wonderful natural area.

Sincerely,  
Carroll Chubb

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

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