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**Subject:** FW: Email - Communication - Megan Reist - Councillor C Block - Cycling Safety - CK 6000-5

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**From:** Web NoReply <[web-noreply@Saskatoon.ca](mailto:web-noreply@Saskatoon.ca)>

**Sent:** Friday, June 23, 2023 10:03 AM

**To:** City Council <[City.Council@Saskatoon.ca](mailto:City.Council@Saskatoon.ca)>

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Submitted on Friday, June 23, 2023 - 10:02

Submitted by user: [REDACTED]

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:** Friday, June 23, 2023

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

**Pronouns:** She/her/hers

**First Name:** Megan

**Last Name:** Reist

**Phonetic spelling of first and/or last name:** REEST

**Email:** [REDACTED]

**Address:** [REDACTED] Lashyn Cove

**City:** Saskatoon

**Province:** Saskatchewan

**Postal Code:** [REDACTED]

**What do you wish to do ?:** Submit Comments

**Comments:**

The intersection of Wiggins and College Drive has been a concern for a number of years. I lived on the corner of

Wiggins and Osler Street from 2009-2019 and walked to Campus every day. I was also involved in an accident in 2013 while crossing Wiggins on a green light into the University. Luckily for me I was in a vehicle or I too would have been in critical condition. In 2018 I was the first one on-scene during an accident which involved a car flipping.

The College Drive- Wiggins intersection is incredibly busy and important. However, it is without question a safety issue. How many more incidents need to happen to claim the lives of Saskatoon residents before something is done.

The number of people who work on Campus, work at RUH, and work downtown is growing - with such limited and expensive parking options more people are choosing to bike year-round. The City should be encouraging people to bike by creating infrastructure in order to do so. The death of that young mother is unacceptable. Proper infrastructure would have meant a mother was still alive today. As a mother of a young daughter, myself, there is no greater pain than imagining what her children are going through right now.

Please do something about this.

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