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From: City Council

Subject: FW: Email - Communication - Rahatjan Judge - Connecting 2nd Avenue-3rd Avenue - Walking

Cycling and Driving Improvements and Opportunities for Rapid Deployment of Safety Improvements

on Active Transportation Routes - May 2024 Update - CK 6330-1

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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, May 24, 2024

To: His Worship the Mayor and Members of City Council

Pronouns: She/her/hers

First Name: rahatjan

Last Name: judge

Phone Number :

Email:

I live outside of Saskatoon: No

Saskatoon Address and Ward:

Address: Ave K South

Ward: Ward 2

Name of the organization or agency you are representing (if applicable): n/a

What do you wish to do ?: Submit Comments

What meeting do you wish to speak/submit comments? (if known):: REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL, Wednesday, May 29, 2024

What agenda item do you wish to comment on ?: 8.2.1 – Connecting 2nd Avenue/3rd Avenue and 8.2.2 – Opportunities for Rapid Deployment

Comments:

To City Council,

Great cities are designed so all citizens to move safely from neighborhood to neighborhood regardless of their mode of transportation. Every step that the City of Saskatoon can make toward expanding a baseline network of safer routes, where people can get around in a safer manner, is a good step.

Before you are two items of business that I believe represent these kinds of good steps.

Regarding item:

Connecting 2nd Avenue/3rd Avenue: Walking, Cycling, and Driving Improvements, I support Option 2A – Widen to the West.

I strongly believe pedestrian actuated signals and a separated shared-use path are great features that will enhance this area of the city and make it much safer for pedestrians and cyclists.

Regarding item:

Opportunities for Rapid Deployment of Safety Improvements on Active Transportation Route, I support Option 2: Implement a Neighbourhood Bikeway using Rapid Deployment on Route 6.

I strongly believe a bikeway along Route 6 (Munroe Avenue) would offer more access to campus for active transportation users with a wider range of abilities and theoretically could reduce University traffic congestion in general, and at College and Wiggins in particular.

I urge you to support these items and help make Saskatoon a bit safer for all road users so noone dies or injured at least in these two improved infrastructure. Do the right things now so saskatoon will catch up with other cities like Calgary, Edmonton and Winnipeg and keep its young families and professionals stay.

Grateful for your consideration.

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