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From: City Council Subject: FW: Email - Communication - Mary Uzelman - Small Swale and Richard St Barbe Baker Afforestation Area – Natural Area Management and Conceptual Master Plans - CK 1860-1 From: Web NoReply <web-noreply@Saskatoon.ca> **Sent:** Monday, May 6, 2024 4:36 PM To: City Council < City. Council@Saskatoon.ca> Subject: Email - Communication - Mary Uzelman - Small Swale and Richard St Barbe Baker Afforestation Area - Natural Area Management and Conceptual Master Plans - CK 1860-1 --- Replies to this email will go to Submitted on Monday, May 6, 2024 - 16:24 Submitted by user: 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, May 06, 2024 To: His Worship the Mayor and Members of City Council First Name: Mary Last Name: Uzelman Phonetic spelling of first and/or last name: **Phone Number:** Email: I live outside of Saskatoon: No Saskatoon Address and Ward:

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Ash Street

Ward: Ward 7

Name of the organization or agency you are representing (if applicable): none

What do you wish to do ?: Submit Comments

What meeting do you wish to speak/submit comments ? (if known):: May 7th

What agenda item do you wish to comment on ?: SPC Environvent, To approve plans for the Small Swale

## Comments:

Dear Councilors and Mayor,

I attended a Jane's walk on Saturday to the Small Swale and after observing this incredible ecosystem I am writing to express hopes that the city will move forward to approve the plans to begin the process of managing this area with Meewasin. Please do not endorse the Provincial Gov't plan to build a multi lane freeway through this area. It will destroy a huge portion of the large and small swales. Also, the noise of a freeway through there will end the very peacefulness one feels when walking the swales. As it is now, you can only hear the birdsong and the frogs. Please add my name to the citizens of Saskatoon that is begging council to ask the provincial gov't to choose a route that not intrude on the swales and to do an impartial environment assessment. Thanks for your time, Mary Uzelman

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