

Communication from Public

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Comments for Public Posting: As a frequent pedestrian and bicyclist, I already made to feel like a third or fourth class citizen. Mostly its from drivers of cars who drive fast, don't bother to look, don't bother to observe stop signs. Its very scary for me to be out there on my bike and sometimes even scarier to be a pedestrian, quite honestly. And the carbon emissions from my bike or from my pair of shoes if I'm walking, are pretty neglibile. Similarly, neither my travels by bike or by shoes destroys the climate, deteriorates asphalt, discharges motor oil that ends up in the ocean. My bike and my shoes have never yet crashed into a building and destroyed plate glass windows, or maimed or injured pedestrians. So its with all this in mind that I approach city council to request a tiny sliver of consideration. When bike paths and or sidewalks are closed for repair, it would be really helpful and encouraging if alternatative adjacent routes were made available that keep us safe from angry, speeding drivers, in giant oversized vehicles that constitute the regular thrum of traffic on our streets. Sincerely, Mimi Holt