

From: [James Slegers](#)
To: [*CI-StPaul>Contact-Council](#)
Subject: Support: The New Bikeplan Is A Good Bikeplan
Date: Monday, April 8, 2024 10:10:39 AM

Councilmembers,

I appreciate the city's dedication to improving the accessibility of St Paul to people on all modes of transit, and in particular a focus on expanding safe bicycle infrastructure. I urge you to approve the updated bike plan that lays out a vision for a city with safe protected bikeways all over the place. A more bikeable St Paul is a quieter and a safer and a less polluted St Paul.

Thank you for your commitment to safe streets,
James Slegers 1153 Edmund

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From: [Stuart Knappmiller](#)
To: [*CI-StPaul>Contact-Council](#)
Subject: Saint Paul Bicycle Plan
Date: Monday, April 8, 2024 12:04:21 PM

Hello Councilmembers,

I am writing to encourage you to support our proposed Saint Paul bicycle plan.

We biked the Gateway Trail with our children before it existed. Mary Ellen walked the abandoned railroad bed to her Bush Avenue Project Engineer job, while I biked to the tower at 3M and was active with the renewed bike club there as the Bike To Work Day coordinator. Mary Ellen and I have volunteered for the St Paul Classic for decades.

For future generations sake, we must make biking a more accessible form of transportation for more Saint Paulites. Please pass the plan, and support strong implementation of the new bike infrastructure in plan.

At 75, we can use all the help we can get to bike safely. We've both been fortunate to be struck by an inattentive driver just once.

Thank you,
Stuart Knappmiller
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From: [JB Shank](#)
To: [*CI-StPaul>Contact-Council](#)
Subject: Saint Paul bicycle plan
Date: Monday, April 8, 2024 12:34:17 PM

Hello Councilmembers,

I am writing to enthusiastically support the proposed Saint Paul bicycle plan, and its aims of making biking a more accessible form of transportation for more Saint Paulites. I am a bicycle commuter during the non-winter months, and rely on cities-wide bicycle infrastructure too insure a safe ride each day. I encourage the Saint Paul city council to pass the plan, and support strong implementation of the new bike infrastructure that the plan calls for.

Best,

J.B. Shank

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From: [Austin Wu](#)
To: [*CI-StPaul>Contact-Council](#)
Subject: Public comment for Saint Paul Bike Plan
Date: Monday, April 8, 2024 4:50:20 PM

Dear Saint Paul City Councillors,

I am writing to enthusiastically support the proposed Saint Paul bicycle plan, and its aims of making bicycling a safer and more accessible form of transportation for residents of our city. Bicycling is a fun form of physical recreation. As a mode of transportation it is also beneficial for health through physical activity and reducing automobile emissions by replacing car trips. More Saint Paulites on bicycles means less wear and tear on our roads and reduced pollution and greenhouse gas emissions from cars, and the proposed Saint Paul bicycle plan would help our city move in that direction. I encourage the city council to pass the plan, and to support strong and swift implementation of the new bike infrastructure that the plan calls for.

Sincerely,

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