Hi there,

I live in your district (at 16xx Laurel) and am writing to express my support for the St. Paul Bike Plan. Our neighborhood is perfect for biking and I wish I saw more people out doing it. You see so many more bikers out in Minneapolis where they have a more friendly infrastructure for it -- even in the dead of winter. I bike whenever/wherever I can in the summer, and a more safe and friendly environment would be awesome! Biking will make our neighborhoods more active and vibrant, people healthier, and reduce pollution.

In particular, the bike plan addresses the area where I feel the least safe biking -crossing 94 on Snelling. As I understand it, the bike plan provides alternate routes on Saratoga and Aldine that include interstate crossings. That would be SO AWESOME and would make it easy for me to do all my shopping in the Midway by bike.

Thanks!

- Shari Albrecht 16xx Laurel