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Dear Members of the City Council,

Please vote in support of Ordinance 230613 and Resolution 230618. I live in the third district, and biking around where I live is a difficult and dangerous activity. I want to be able to make the choice to bike because I believe it is good for the climate, good for my body, and good for the city in general to have people outside of their cars where engagement and interaction with other people are more likely to happen. But I have to weigh those positives with the very real danger of being injured or killed. Right now it's very easy for Kansas Citians to drive anywhere, and that doesn't just happen due to chance. That is due to over a century of heavy investment in automobiles and automobile-related infrastructure. I believe it should be just as easy and safe for people to walk, bike, or use public transit to get somewhere. Ordinance 230613 and Resolution 230618 are huge steps in the right direction that will make it easier and safer for people to get around Kansas City, and make this city a better place to live.

Regards,  
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