

Please support Mobility Plan 2035 for safe & sustainable streets! CF#15-0719

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Dear Honorable Council Members:

I support adopting the Mobility Plan 2035, including *ALL* of its proposed networks. *As a Bike commuter, tax* payer and citizen of this fine city, I strongly support this Plan because I believe that it will help make L.A. streets better for all of us walking, biking, taking transit and driving.

A well-connected network of protected bike lanes and other complete streets improvements the Plan includes will give people healthier options to get around our neighborhoods and our whole city. Calmer traffic and safer streets are critical to protect and enhance our quality of life. We need this plan to build on the progress made by the 2010 Bicycle Plan and make all modes of transportation work together for our city. The modal networks in the Plan were carefully crafted to balance the needs of all who will use them. We can't afford to piecemeal them to appease local naysayers without undermining their citywide utility.

My wife has been hit by a police car while riding her bike to work. Fortunately she only received serious bruising, but no permanent damage. The police car was making an overzealous traffic stop of a car and hit my wife. Broad daylight, my wife respecting the law and lanes. Had there been decent protected bike lanes and complete street improvements, this would not have happened.

Please approve the Mobility Plan 2035 with no changes so that we can all travel safely on the streets of L.A.

Sincerely,

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