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My family lives in University Park and we would love to see a great bike path on Buchtel Blvd which is just a few feet from our front door.

Please include the improvement of the bike path/access and open space on Buchtel Blvd between Colorado Blvd and University Ave as you create plans to make for a safer, friendlier and better environment for commuters and families. I love having the DU light rail stop just a few blocks from my front door but I find my daily walk to the train stop hard because of fast driving and a relatively challenging road and path to navigate by foot or bike. Therefore, I choose to walk through the DU campus and access it from Asbury rather than the more direct route on Buchtel. Wouldn't it be great to improve Buchtel to attract bike and foot traffic to commute to the train.

My 2 young children and I love to ride our bikes to the post office and down to Wash Park. It would be great to watch them grow as they gain independence on their bicycles and to let them ride to these places on their own which is just too dangerous as it currently stands with the traffic speeds and relatively poor visibility or weak design of the crosswalks and intersections in the area.

Thank you reading my letter and I wish you a great summer!

Tom & Kathy Riley