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Dear Transportation Committee,

As a homeowner at 833 S Shore Dr, I am in support of the program that closed West and South Shore to through traffic. While I'm sure everyone has different opinions, I believe this to have been a wonderful thing for our streets and community. Never have we seen so many individuals, families with small children, dog walkers, bicyclists, those with disabilities as well as health nuts using this space for exercise and to enhance their well-being -- with a safe space to use. When West and South Shore Drives are open, it is not uncommon to see drivers launching their vehicles at high speeds (40+ mph) off of the speed bumps, inattentive at the wheel, or parked vehicles with occupants using illegal substances. Please consider creating a permanent 'shared street' safe environment (closed to through traffic) to increase desired community actions which make it thrive, and decrease/discourage the undesirable actions.

Thank you,
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