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To Commission members,

I am a resident on Hammersley Road who viewed the Feb 8 virtual meeting with City Staff involved with the 2022 Hammersley Rd resurfacing project. On Feb 13 I sent an email to Aaron Canton regarding my concerns about the proposed elimination of on-street parking which I feel will pose unintended public and traffic safety issues. Thank you for your serious consideration of postponing approval of this agenda item until the parking matter has been properly addressed.

The following is the text of the message I sent to Aaron Canton:

Aaron,

Thank you for the update regarding the Hammersley Rd parking concerns communicated and discussed during the Feb 8 & 9 virtual public meetings. Unfortunately, the proposed parking solution (i.e., a parking pocket for Hammersley Rd west of Whitney Way) does nothing to address the equally important concerns for on-street parking that have been expressed by Hammersley residents east of Whitney Way.

I submit for serious consideration by City Staff the following on-street parking plan for Hammersley Rd east of Whitney Way:

1. Leave the current existing 8' wide parking lane that is on the north side of Hammersley Rd. This lane is between the west-bound traffic lane and the curb & gutter.
2. Eliminate the proposed new 6' wide grass terrace completely AND reduce the new multi-use path from 10' to 8' wide.
3. Relocate the new curb & gutter north 8' to butt up against the edge of the new 8' multi-use path.

This solution will be in keeping with pedestrian and bike safety priorities because the on-street parking lane will provide a buffer between users of the path and street vehicle traffic. The parking lane will also provide service vehicles (e.g., trash & recycle pick-up, Amazon/FedEx/UPS, USPS) a place to temporarily stop without disrupting traffic flow.

Again, thank you for the meetings and for serious consideration of this proposed parking solution. Please contact me with any questions about the proposed solution.

Sincerely,

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