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From: Rummel, Marsha

Sent: Saturday, August 20, 2016 10:27 PM

To: Benishek Clark, Anne

Subject: Fw: Where to bus: Willy or Jenifer St? - one opinion

From: AB Orlik <abo@warmattwentybelow.com>

Sent: Monday, August 15, 2016 9:12 AM

To: Rummel, Marsha

Subject: Where to bus: Willy or Jenifer St? - one opinion

Hi!

I've been a Willy Coop member since 1991 (!) and am a big lover of the Willy St neighborhood. I just heard that Madison Metro is considering permanently moving buses from Jenifer St to Willy St -- and I want to register my "NO!" early and loudly. I work at a nonprofit on the west side and live at Stoughton Rd and Buckeye. I visit the coop at least weekly. I frequent Ace Hardware, Lazy Jane's, Weary Traveler, Banzo, and Batch. I hold meetings at Ground Zero. Our dog's groomer is in the Gateway. To add bus traffic to Willy St and further limit parking options will have a huge impact on me and my family -- and on other families who can't afford to live within walking distance of these local shops we love to support.

I appreciate that you're going to take time to think this through, and I wanted to register my perspective as part of the process. I hope you'll choose to locate the buses BACK ON JENIFER permanently.

Thank you! -AB

A.B. Orlik 608.334.9097 abo@warmattwentybelow.com From: Rummel, Marsha

Sent: Sunday, August 21, 2016 1:49 AM

To: Benishek Clark, Anne

Subject: Fw: Buses on Willy Street - no

From: Larry and Catherine Stephens < lastephe@chorus.net>

Sent: Tuesday, August 16, 2016 10:17 PM
To: Rummel, Marsha; lynn.lee90@yahoo.com

Subject: Buses on Willy Street - no

Hi,

I am writing with a note to say I don't support routing Buses on Willy Street. I travel this street daily, and so have experienced the pilot period. I am also a frequent bus rider, especially in the winter.

## My reasons include:

- 1. I don't believe that Willy Street is currently wide enough to safely support buses / cars / bikes / and the occasional needed parking.
- 2. Willy Street is already dealing with too much traffic congestion.
- 3. I believe that Jen Street does have the proper street width to continue to accommodate the buses.
- 4. I believe it's important to allow ample parking on Willy to support the area businesses.
- 5. I support maintaining a pedestrian and bike friendly Willy Street for gathering, shopping and eating out. I don't support adding buses which contribute to traffic noise and congestion.
- 6. I also think that most residents find Jen Street to be a convenient "bus stop", as here bus stops are placed near a residential area.

Perhaps Metro can continue to do what they can to reduce bus noise / beeping / braking? That would be wonderful.

Thank you,

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