Hello,

I am e-mailing about the Metro Transit Redesign project. As a resident of the Summit Woods neighborhood and a graduate student at UW, I was dismayed to hear Route 19 was to be permanently discontinued. Before the pandemic, many of my neighbors used this route to get to and from campus, or places near it.

While I would prefer for Route 19 to be reinstated as it was, I want to voice my support for the **Ridership Concept** redesign. If I'm interpreting the proposal map correctly, it looks like this design would include a route (currently labelled "E") that runs down Midvale Blvd. and, eventually, to campus. It's not as direct as my neighbors and I would prefer, but it's better than no route at all.

Please take this rider-level insight into consideration; thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

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