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Mayor and Council

City of Vancouver

Dear Mayor and Council,

What a great time to be a citizen of Vancouver- the announcement of the creation of the Arbutus Greenway is a truly significant moment in Vancouver's history; congratulations to you for your vision and efforts and to staff who have worked so hard to make this a reality.

On behalf of the HUB Cycling Vancouver/UBC Committee, we would like to commend you not only for the landmark agreement on the Greenway, but also for the impressive work that has been done in recent years to bring Vancouver forward into the transitioning world of transportation.

We see cities world-wide scrambling to function well with increasing populations, limited road space and budgets, and emerging technology that dictate that active transportation, vehicle sharing, transit etc are the way of the present as well as of the future. Fortunately for all of us, these transportation patterns, as is also shown in our Transportation 2040 Plan, lead to more delightful, engaged and healthy cities.

Regards,

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