



October 14, 2015

Sam Young  
TransLink  
Bicycle Infrastructure Capital Cost Sharing Program  
400 – 287 Nelson's Court  
New Westminster, BC V3L 0E7

**Re: City of North Vancouver - East Keith Road and Grand Boulevard Improvements**

Dear Sam,

HUB Cycling is a charitable non-profit, whose staff, Board, Regional Advisory Committee and ten local volunteer committees represent over 1,600 members in our work to improve cycling in Metro Vancouver through action, education and events. More cycling means healthier, happier, more connected communities.

This letter expresses our support for the BICCS proposal that the City of North Vancouver will submit to secure funding for improvements to the connection along East Keith Road to Queensbury and Grand Boulevard. The expansion of the 'Green Necklace' will improve cycling connections to the Spirit Trail, Lynn Valley, SeaBus public transportation, as well as improve safety for cyclists travelling east and west on Keith Road.

The City of North Vancouver has a long-term vision for improving access to active transportation routes for all ages and abilities — the aforementioned portions of the North Shore bicycle network are critical to supporting this vision.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Tony Valente'.

Tony Valente  
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