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To: McHattie, Brian

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Subject: Hamilton Bike Share

Mr. McHattie,

I support Hamilton Bike Share. Although I own a bike, I would prefer to use Bike Share to commute to work (a short ride from Breadalbane Street to McMaster University).

With Bike Share, I could simply leave the bike at a drop off spot at McMaster and take the bus home (I also have a Presto monthly pass) if the weather should change during the day (e.g., it is pouring rain when I am leaving work). I could also easily walk to a pick up spot, such as at Dundurn Castle, or the Dundurn Fortino's Plaza.

It would also be good for shopping trips downtown.

I was recently in Mexico City, and they have Ecobici. I noticed many people using this bike share -- and as you can imagine, the traffic in Mexico City is much more congested than in Hamilton!

Please vote in support of the Hamilton Bike Share.

thank you, Ed Sernie.

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