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**Subject:** Supporting Hamilton Bike Share

Good evening,

I understand the city is currently assessing whether to allocate municipal funding for the Hamilton bike share as a means of making it financially sustainable. Thus, I'm writing you to **voice my support for municipal funding of Hamilton Bike Share.**

In short, I support this action because the bike share facilitates:

1. environmentally friendly transportation
2. improved physical health (more physical activity, less pollution)
3. a more enjoyable method of traveling the city
4. a solution to "the final mile" problem (how to get from a public transit stop to your destination)

I live in North Hamilton and work at Ryerson University in Toronto. I use the bike share every workday to get to and from West Harbour station (even though I own my own bike). It's an incredibly convenient and positive way to travel, and I fully support the city making it a priority.

Thank you for your time,

Matt Edmonds

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