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Subject: Communication to EPC regarding Reports 7, 8 and 9 of IRPW dated Oct 12

Good Morning City Clerks, and members of EPC,

I'm sending communication regarding the three mentioned reports from IRPW to show strong support for all three.

The City of Winnipeg is heading in the wrong direction when the road renewal budget is over 68 times higher than the active transportation budget. Adding AT portions to the road renewal budget, and using some of the road renewal budget for AT projects will help Winnipeg in reducing their carbon emissions and move to a more sustainable transportation system.

At a time when anthropogenic climate change is right before our eyes, 20% of fatalities on our roads are pedestrians and cyclists, and gas prices are reaching all time highs due to supply limits, we need to think differently about our budget, our transportation system, and our choices.

A fundamental change needs to happen, and it needs to happen now.

So, I'm asking you to approve all three of these recommendations -- Winnipeg will not meet their goals without these motions.

Regards,
S. Snyder