Hello Council and community members,

The requested extension for the public service for up to thirty days is both confusing, and irresponsible. June 6th marked the one-year anniversary of Rob Jenner's death, and one year of inaction. Bike Winnipeg has been calling for this bike route to receive proper separation from vehicles to enhance the safety for all road users for a decade now, and still, we see a decade of inaction. This route was designated as a bike route in 1998, the year I was born, and we see a lifetime of inaction.

I understand that bringing Wellington Cresent up to the city's standards takes time and will likely only happen when a full road resurfacing/reconstruction takes place. That is fine. I do not expect the city to become Amsterdam overnight. But simple, temporary, concrete separators would take a day to install, and would be removable just as easily when work is required.

We have had over a year now of delays on taking the steps to reduce the likelihood of another person's life to be tragically taken from us on Wellington Cresent. It is another day that people drive rather than bike to work out of fear, and its another day our safety can not afford. We ask not for the world, only that our lives are taken seriously.

Thank you for your time and consideration,

Kolton Stubbs