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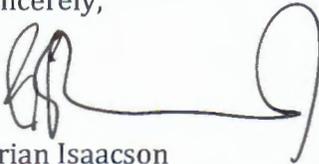
David Swearingen
Public Works Director / City Engineer
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Mr. Swearingen:

On behalf of the Ramsey County Public Works Department, I am writing to express our support for the City of Arden Hills' funding request for new paved pedestrian and bike trails along Old Highway 10 from Lake Valentine Road to County Highway 96.

The construction of this trail is in alignment with Ramsey County's All Abilities Transportation Network, where pedestrians and bicyclists are prioritized on our transportation system. This trail would provide improved safety for those who walk and bike in the community and provide connections to nearby Valentine Hills Elementary School, Mounds View High school, Bethel College and to the Tony Schmidt Regional Park on Lake Johanna.

Sincerely,



Brian Isaacson
Director of Public Works