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Subject: Support for House File 1108 and bonding for safe routes to school

Dear Representative Fue Lee and the Capital Investment Committee, Minnesota House of Representatives.

On behalf of the Greater Mankato Bike and Walk Advocates, we express support for Rep. Mary Murphy's bill that would invest 10 million dollars in the bonding bill for safe routes infrastructure grants.

We support House file 1108. The Greater Mankato community has benefitted from several SRTS projects including the installation of a high-intensity activated cross walk beacon near Rosa Parks elementary school in Mankato, and sidewalk construction serving Garfield/Bridges elementary school in North Mankato. There are still substantial needs, however, including for Prairie Winds Middle School in Mankato, which is located adjacent to busy state highway 22.

Sincerely,
Chris Corley
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