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**Subject:** Support for Bike Lane Alternative #1 (include protected bike lanes on 3rd & 4th streets)

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Dear La Crosse Common Council Members,

I'm writing to share my support for Alternative 1, the option that includes protected bike lanes on 3rd and 4th Streets.

As a busy mom who is working to reduce my family's dependence on automobiles, adding protected bike lanes throughout downtown is a must! We live in District 10, near Trane Park. I bike to work at The Nature Place when I can and would bike more with my family if there were more safe routes throughout the city. My seven year old learned to ride a bike this summer and I hope to do much more biking with him.

It's clear that downtown has a surplus of parking spaces; when I do drive I make use of the ramps (I love the parking app!) and never have a problem finding a space.

Please help our community make a significant shift toward a more walkable and bikeable downtown!

Thank you for your time and for considering this important decision.

Sincerely, Rebecca Schwarz