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To: City Council

Subject: Connecting the city.

Hello,

I want to start off and say I love The City of Green and I am proud to live here. I am really excited about our new Mayor and how much he really does care for the community.

This morning I read in The Leader about the side walks.

I would really love to see some movement here. I live in the Rolling Greens allotment. Steese Rd is a disaster waiting to happen.

My wife and I walk nearly every morning to Starbucks starting from Rolling Greens to Boettler to Massillon Rd to Steese into Meadowwood and onto Rolling Greens.

It is nearly 20 minutes to walk through the neighborhood to gain access to the new sidewalks on Steese.

My family and I ride our bikes nearly every evening our Ohio weather allows.

If we are coming back from Central Park, Starbucks or DQ and the weather is fair, its an extra 8 or 9 minutes and no big deal. If its raining, its a big deal because we have no choice.

Scott is 100% correct on the S curve. I've personally been bumped by a car's mirror at 5am attempting to ride my bicycle to the Y.

I have 4 headlights and 2 tail lights on my bike.

I really see this as a great benefit for our community, firstly through the health benefits when our citizens can feel safe and secondly not worrying about being run over.

We know how mindful these texters are.

A friend of mine's mother lives on Main street and has hundreds of flowers as a memorial on her front yard. Side walks could have aided in the lives of those two girls.

If you need me in any way, I will be more than happy to volunteer my time in order to expedite this issue.

Sincerely,

Josh Maximovich

Proud citizen, husband and father.