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From: Scott Vaughn <scottvaughn@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2019 2:27 PM
To: Tim Kerr
Subject: Support of Exception for Two Rivers Trail Phase II

Hi Mr. Kerr,

I am a River Park resident writing to voice my strong support of allowing an exception for the Two Rivers Trail Phase II to pave the levee top for approximately 400 yards where a sufficient levee base does not exist.

I'm in support of paving the trail and allowing an exception for the following reasons:

1. My kids and wife aren't comfortable riding their bikes along the current gravel and dirt paths, and would enjoy the opportunity to utilize a paved trail near our house and among the River for recreation.
2. I am an avid bicycle commuter and paving this trail would make it more accessible for those like me, as well as recreational bicycle riders and joggers/walkers, who would like a safer, motorized vehicle-free alternative to ride our bikes to mid-town. As you may be aware, there was a recent pedestrian fatality on H street in East Sacramento due to a collision with a motorized vehicle. There have been other fatalities in the past. H Street is a typical route for cyclists to get to mid-town because there isn't currently a safer alternative.
3. My elderly mother, who is currently living with us, is unable to access the trail due to disability. Paving the trail and building the planned ADA accessibility would allow her to enjoy this resource.

Thank you for your consideration.

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