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Hello

My name is Cheryl Norris and I live on NE 11th and Siskiyou Street. I am writing about the **NE Greenway on 9th**. I lived in this neighborhood for over 20 years and believe it is a better option to place the greenway on NE 9th Avenue instead of NE 7th Avenue. Based on my own personal experience, drivers will not divert to NE MLK (especially during rush hour), but will instead go east onto NE 8th and 9th in order to travel south to north. That includes me. I regularly travel on NE 7th in the morning and evening, purposely avoiding NE MLK. If 7th is blocked due to the apartment building construction on 7th and Russell I use NE 8th Avenue.

Thank you for your consideration. I hope that you will truly listen and hear the arguments for placing the greenway on NE 9th Avenue.

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