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The Honorable Mayor Gray
Lexington Fayette Urban County Government
200 E. Main Street
Lexington, KY 40507

Dear Mayor Gray,

The Bluegrass Cycling Club is excited about the Town Branch Commons & Vine Street Mobility Improvements project. It is our understanding that you are seeking a TIGER grant to help further this project. Our club has just over a 1,000 members and we have great interest in seeing this project completed. A project that once completed will no doubt increase the connectivity of the city, but also the region as plans are being made throughout the region to increase connectivity and access. We know by experience that these projects encourage and enable people to become active and not only enjoy the wealth of beauty and assets our community has to offer, but also improve the physical health of individuals and the economic health of the region. As an example of economic impact we just held our 38th annual Horsey Hundred this past Memorial Day weekend and we had over 2,500 riders attend from 32 states, Canada, Denmark and the United Kingdom. Many come early and stay later to enjoy our city and region.

We strongly support this effort and I pledge to you my willingness to work with you in any way or manner you need.

Good luck and I look forward to what we can all accomplish together.

Sincerely,

Patrick Wesolosky
Bluegrass Cycling Club