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I'm writing about the upcoming bike lane installation on Pauline that will be discussed at your meeting on August 21st. I live near Pauline on Edgewood Place with my 3 kids, all under 8. We love to all bike together as a family in the protected bike lanes that have been installed in the past few years. I was excited to learn there would be a new "all ages and abilities" bike lane on Pauline that we could all ride in as a family. However, the bike lane plans for the south side of the street now call for just paint on the road in the door zone of parked cars with no bollards or other protection. If we must have parking on the south side of Pauline then we could have the parking spaces between the road and the bike lane. We could also have bollards separating the bike lane. As it stands, it's a shame that we are going to all this trouble and not putting in real protected bike lanes. My family will continue to bike on the side walk next to Pauline if the bike lane is just paint in the street. Thanks for reading.

Justin and Cara Wise
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