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**From:** City of Ann Arbor Transportation Commission  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 18, 2023 10:17 AM  
**To:** Cespedes, Christopher  
**Subject:** FW: I support lane reductions!

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**From:** City of Ann Arbor Transportation Commission <xxxxxxx @a2gov.org>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 18, 2023 9:47 AM  
**To:** Matthew Graff <xxxxxxx @umich.edu>; City of Ann Arbor Transportation Commission <xxxxxxx @a2gov.org>  
**Subject:** RE: I support lane reductions!

Good morning Matthew,

Thank you for contacting the City of Ann Arbor Transportation Commission. Your concerns will be provided as a communication item on the October 18th Commission Agenda.

Your message has also been forwarded too transportation staff, so that they are also aware of your comments and may respond separately.

### Christopher Cespedes, Management Assistant

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**From:** Matthew Graff <xxxxxxx @umich.edu>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 17, 2023 10:30 PM  
**To:** City of Ann Arbor Transportation Commission <xxxxxxx @a2gov.org>  
**Subject:** I support lane reductions!

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While I am primarily a driver, I also walk around town a bit and ride a bicycle regularly.

I have traveled a lot in other countries and there are many towns where there are "no car zones".

It certainly doesn't seem to hurt their business environment!

I absolutely support the elimination of multi lane roads in town.  
even fifth and division, which I rely on for easy rapid north south transit.  
maybe save those? who knows.

Good luck with this because it seems there are a few folks who don't understand the importance of everyone's safety versus their own convenience. Just because I own a car does not give me the right to drive it wherever I want to.

Let's take back the city center for people.

Matthew Graff

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