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Hi,

I appreciate the work that is being done to pave roads and add bike lanes on Miller. I'll use those lanes every day to get to work when they are constructed.

I hope that the asphalt put down on Miller exceeds the quality of that that was put done down on Brooks. Whether from the quality of the asphalt itself, or the quality or time that it was put down in December a couple years ago, it has already created several potholes and disruptions on the road.

I've also noticed that with Miller closed from Chapin to Seventh that they are very many buses running on Brooks, and that they are almost exclusively empty.

It seems like some routes could be combined while the construction is happen.

I'd also ask that you look into have a smaller bus or van serve the routes running on Brooks. I'm all for public transit but right now it is wasting a lot of fossil fuel, needlessly.

Yours

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