



The Honorable Anthony R. Foxx, Secretary  
U.S. Department of Transportation  
1200 New Jersey Ave. SE  
Washington, DC 20590

Re: City of Seattle Northgate Non-Motorized Access to Transit and Education TIGER application

Dear Secretary Foxx:

The City of Kirkland wishes to express strong support of the City of Seattle's TIGER grant application to construct bicycle and pedestrian projects in the Northgate area and, in particular, expansion of the bike share network.

As recognized by Money Magazine and others, Kirkland is one of the most livable cities in the US. Kirkland residents have told us that the vision of our transportation system should be green and livable with bicycle trips making up a bigger share of how Kirklanders move around their city. These concepts are reflected in our Transportation Master Plan that is currently nearing completion.

Successful bike share in the Puget Sound region is part of the strategy for fulfilling Kirkland's transportation vision and it begins with a strong program in the City of Seattle. The foundation of bike share has been laid and Seattle's grant proposal will build on that foundation to create a truly comprehensive system of 200 stations delivering a safe and practical means of bicycle travel.

We are proud to join organizations such as Cascade Bicycle Club in support of the strong case presented in Seattle's application for funds to build pedestrian and bicycle infrastructure, and to expand bike share network and we urge your approval of the City of Seattle's TIGER VI grant application.

If you have any questions about the City of Kirkland's support for this project, feel free to contact me at (425) 587-3865 or [kbrown@kirklandwa.gov](mailto:kbrown@kirklandwa.gov)

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kathy Brown", is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Kathy Brown  
Public Works Director  
City of Kirkland

CC:

Senator Patty Murray  
Senator Maria Cantwell  
Representative Suzan Delbene  
Governor Jay Inslee  
Mayor Edward B. Murray, Seattle