From: Cameron Stewart

Sent: Monday, April 19, 2021 12:43 PM

To: Distrib- City Clerk < City.Clerk@cityofsanrafael.org > **Subject:** Agenda Item 7.A - San Rafael Transit Center

Dear Mayor and City Council,

I am writing to support the Whistlestop Block alternative for the San Rafael Transit Center. I believe this alternative would be the best for bicycle riders, pedestrians, and transit riders alike. The design integrates with Downtown San Rafael, allows transit riders to transfer between SMART and buses without crossing a street, and includes the Tamalpais Avenue bikeway as part of the north/south route through town. However, I object to the use of the east side of Tamalpais Avenue north of 4th Street as pick-up/drop-off, which would significantly hamper bike riders traveling on the one safe north/south street in Downtown.

Thank you for your time and consideration, Cameron Stewart