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Attention: Service Oshawa - Transportation and Parking Dept

May 3, 2023

RE: Curb at Joseph Kolodzie Trail and Simcoe Street

Good Morning,

I'd like to introduce myself, my name is Rick Harrington, I'm with the (DRCC) Durham Region Cycling Coalition Team. We are an advocacy group that supports safe cycling for cyclists of all disciplines. We strive to work cooperatively and develop a strong and positive relationship with all the municipalities and stakeholders within the region to ensure everyone's safety.

I would appreciate it if you would kindly investigate an issue that was passed along to me as a safety hazard to some of the riders on the end of Joseph Kolodzie Trail and Simcoe Street South. Additionally, the same condition exists at the WFT and Ritson Road. I've attached 3 photos to help to better understand the concern. The first photo is the area of concern; the second photo is a similar condition at the WFT and Ritson Road and the third photo is in Bowmanville at the Valleys 2000 Trail and Nelson Street where they have recently cut the curb for easy access to the road, eliminating the condition found in the first two photos. Many riders are currently using a residents drive way to get onto Simcoe Street, as the curb does not support an easy or safe way to enter the street.



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Thank you for your time reviewing this email. If there is anything further, I can do to assist or support you to remedy this concern, I'd be pleased to help.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Rick Harrington".

Rick Harrington
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cc. Ron Lalonde, Executive Director, Durham Region Cycling Coalition
John Gray, Ward 5 City Councillor

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WFT and Ritson Road



Valleys 2000 Trail and Nelson Street

