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Hello Amy and David,

My name is jen berger. Myself, along with Michelle Sayles, were the recipients of 2 of the BCA artist engagement grants as part of the South End Plan BTV process. The first grant we received was for a community engaged mural project that we did, based on surveys, community forums, and one-on-one interviews we did with residents in affordable housing in the South End. It has been advised to us that those working on the planning, yourselves, would benefit from hearing the voices, ideas, hopes, concerns, and dreams of those who live in the area and whose sole purpose in this project is increasing their quality of living. I had the interviews transcribed, and they are attached. Much of the 'ums' and 'ohs' are removed, but I believe the important pieces are still in tact. I have attached 5 transcriptions on this email. Please let me know that you have received them, and also feel free to be in touch with questions or to follow up.

Thank you for your time and attention with this information.

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Art is not a mirror held up to reality, but a hammer with which to shape it.....Bertolt Brecht