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Subject: RE: Housing Plan comment

Dear Brian:

I received a copy of Michael Long's comments and notice of today's deadline for public comment, I also read your note on a subsequent email indicating that there will be further opportunity for the public to weigh in on these matters of housing, transportation and parking.

This didn't leave much time to read and respond to the 66 p report carefully, so I will instead, endorse the remarks prepared by Michael – which I have excerpted below. I am especially concerned with a policy that levers reducing existing parking requirements in favor of the hopeful scenario that the city simply have fewer cars – absent an efficient, accessible, and affordable public transportation system – not only within Burlington but the connecting region, it is unrealistic and untenable.

Thank you,

Laura