

Nadia Khan

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To: Nadia Khan; Richard Lipof; Andrea W. Kelley
Subject: Riverside rotary

Hi Nadia,

Here are some questions/comments following the last Land Use meeting we had regarding the bike lanes proposed for Riverside:

1. I still have some concerns about the bike lanes proposed for the rotary. I understand the biking community supports this but as we all know many automobile drivers have difficulty navigating rotaries without bike lanes. So I'd like a better understanding how the addition of a bike lane there would be designed with the safety of drivers, bikers and pedestrians of utmost importance. Also is there a local example of such a rotary?
2. Could Planning or the petitioner please present a drawing of the length of the bike lane on the golf course side. It was stated it would be to the trestle bridge but I don't know where that is.
3. Could we also see a drawing if the bike lanes were extended to the Williams school and Hamilton field. I would support these extensions.
4. I would also like to get a better sense how a pedestrian or bicyclist would travel between Riverside and the Auburndale commuter rail. Could we be provided with a drawing of that please.

Thank you,

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