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Hello,

This is Jennifer Krause from 1000 Forestbrook Drive in Penticton. I would like to provide my comments for the Regular Council Meeting. I would like Ontario Street to stay open.

I personally use Ontario Street on most weekdays and multiple times a day to bypass Government Street to take my children to and from school at Uplands. I use this route instead of turning right onto Government Street from Forestbrook because it can get backed up. If there is anyone trying to turn left there it can sometimes be quite the wait. Also, Government Street in general can get quite backed up. I would like Ontario Street to remain open as an alternate route.

I also think there needs to be more than one way to leave this part of town. If there is an emergency then a lot of people are going to be stuck.

If Ontario street does close I would feel more onboard with this decision if at the same time Ontario street was improved ie. sidewalks added, the path along Penticton Creek is extended so that it can meet up with the KVR and downtown. If Ontario Street closes then the Forestbrook and Government intersection should get a real 4-way street light system. With more people being diverted to Forestbrook and Government then it is going to be even harder to make turns from there.

Thank you for your time reading this and taking my opinion into consideration,
Jennifer Krause