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To: Council Agenda <councilagenda@london.ca>

Subject: [EXTERNAL] Subsidized Transit Program Update From the Community and Protective Services

Please accept my comments regarding Subsidized Transit for people with disabilities.

I am visually impaired and use public transit and I am grateful for the \$10. a year pass. I need it for ALL my travels in the city. I highly support Jeffery Salsbury's comments regarding this issue. No one is more active regarding disability rights in this city than Jeffrey. It's appalling and disgusting how people with disabilities are treated in this country. They can barely make ends meet and we NEED accessible travel. People with disabilities like me DON'T or can't drive. I can't go where I want to go when I want to, always having to rely on public transit or others. I still have a job. I NEED accessible travel to go to work and home again. Now with hearing loss, it's also safer for me to use Para Transit. Please continue to issue the \$10. pass for people with ALL disabilities. Thank you,

Karen MacLennan.