Committee: Cycling Advisory Committee

Organization/Sector represented:

Name: Charlene Quirk

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Occupation: Instructor

Work experience: I teach the English language and Canadian culture to newcomers. Education: I received my undergraduate degree from the University of Western Ontario, Sociology. I have TESL Ontario accreditation (Teaching English as a Second Language). Skills: I am co-operative, observant, and civic-minded individual who cycle commutes daily, in four seasons! I have excellent communication skills and I am passionate about the environment.

Interest reason: As both a Londoner and an avid cyclist, I simply care about our city and our ability to deliver a safe alternative to driving for transportation. As a motorist, I am also sensitive to the traffic frustrations that occur in peak periods.

Contributions: I would be interested in sharing my experiences, recording my experiences, and hearing about the experiences of others. I would like to learn about cycling-friendly infrastructure and volunteer my services to test market anything that might assist in the development of future roadways.

Past contributions: This is the first advisory committee I have applied to. In the past, I have supported my community through various volunteer positions.

Interpersonal: As an instructor in adult education in a multi-cultural environment, I experience information-sharing on a daily basis. Diplomacy, tact and open-mindedness are the status quo. Sometimes the best ideas are born from simplest brainstorming sessions.

Interview interest: Yes