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Subject: Delegation request - CWC meeting on Tuesday March 7th, 2015

As Chair of the City of London's Cycling Advisory Committee, I would like to request delegation status at the CWC meeting on Tuesday March 7th, 2015.

As a committee we appreciate the commitment that City staff is taking to the recommendations set out in the new Cycling Master Plan. The greatest issue facing cyclists with regards to safety is visibility. Infrastructure of the sort proposed by the Queens Ave and Colbourne cycle tracks not only provides safety through physical separation, but a very visible statement that cycling is taken more seriously than just a recreational hobby. By focusing on the core it will address the needs of daily commuters as well as those wishing to take part in the unique features of downtown London, much the same way the Thames Valley Parkway does along the riverfront. Hopefully this will set the groundwork for future projects and increase the use of cycling as an alternative, active form of transportation for Londoners and those who visit our city.

Thank you for the consideration

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