

**Subject:** [Fwd: Lynn Valley Bike Lane]  
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Dear Mayor & Council:

I feel Councillor Crist's notion to designate bike lanes in Lynn Valley with a painted stripe was a good idea. All too often drivers forget that cyclists have road rights, thinking instead that they should be riding on the sidewalk.

Cyclists should not be forced to ride in the gutter faced with the hazards of stones, litter or storm grates. Rather they are entitled to a slice of the roadway.

Regulation lane markings painted on the road would remind drivers of cyclist rights as well as giving guidance & perspective to vehicles in passing bicyclists safely.

Yours truly, Dave Sadler