From:
 Kim Davis

 To:
 CityRecorder

 Subject:
 Support 5.a 21-571

**Date:** Saturday, February 12, 2022 11:12:32 AM

I am writing to express support for Councilor Stapleton's motion regarding the adoption of the 20 is Plenty program. It is past time to make this city safer for pedestrians and cyclists. Slower speeds are linked with reduced accident fatality.

Kim Davis Ward 4 From: <u>Laurie Dougherty</u>
To: <u>CityRecorder</u>

Subject: Support for Agenda item 5.a. "20 is Plenty"

Date: Monday, February 14, 2022 4:28:01 PM

Mayor Bennett and City Councilors,

My name is Laurie Dougherty. I live in Ward 1.

I urge you to support Councilor Stapleton's motion 5.a for a "20 is Plenty" program. This will establish a speed limit of 20 miles per hour for motor vehicles on residential streets in Salem. Research shows that accidents that happen at lower speeds are less likely to result in serious injury or death. This is especially important for pedestrians, bicyclists, people with disabilities, children and the elderly.

I'm retired and I don't have a car. Nearly every day I walk or bike to do errands, for exercise and recreation or to catch a bus for these activities. I am very aware of the dangers that vehicles pose.

20 is Plenty will greatly improve the quality of life in Salem.

Thank you.	

From: Ray Quisenberry
To: CityRecorder

**Subject:** Agenda items 5.a and 5.b

**Date:** Thursday, February 10, 2022 2:20:41 PM

## Dear Mayor and City Council

I want to voice my support for agenda item 5.a., the 20 is Plenty Resolution from Councilor Stapleton. This will improve safety in our neighborhoods, and do so at a very modest cost.

I'm also in support of agenda item 5.b, the motion by Councilor Anderson to approve the Draft Climate Action Plan and call for public hearings. This is crucial to the health of our city, and frankly, everyone on the planet.

Thank you

Ray Quisenberry Ward 1

Sent from my iPad

From: Sarah Deumling
To: CityRecorder

Subject: city council agenda items 5a and 5b

Date: Friday, February 11, 2022 7:15:44 AM

February 11, 2022

To: Mayor Bennett and City Councilors

My name is Sarah Deumling and my house is in Ward 8 at 2667 Orchard Heights Rd. NW. I am writing in support of Councilor Andersen's motion to hold a public hearing on the Climate Action Plan (CAP). A lot of time, money and energy has been spent to create this most important document. Salem is playing catch-up with other similarly sized cities in Oregon on this front and speed in addressing climate change is of the essence.

Cities are much more manageable units than nations or states and have the opportunity to be nimble and successful in reducing GHG emissions. We are well on the way with our CAP and I urge you to hold a hearing, accept the CAP and get to work with great urgency to implement it. Suffice it to say that if we don't have a livable state all the other issues city council deals with won't really matter in the long run.

On a related issue I would like to express my support for the "20 is Plenty" project - a straightforward way to begin making Salem a healthier, safer and more livable city.

Thank you for your good work.

Sincerely, Sarah Deumling From: Susann Kaltwasser
To: citycouncil
Subject: 20 is Plenty

**Date:** Monday, February 14, 2022 4:48:35 PM

At the February 3, 2022 meeting of the East Lancaster Neighborhood Association (ELNA) the Board voted unanimously to support "20 Is Plenty" to reduce speed limits in residential neighborhoods.

Susann Kaltwasser ELNA co-president

Sent from my iPhone