

## STATEMENT OF JANIS MALONEY

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3 I'm Jan Maloney. I'm a merchant and a resident 56  
4 years in Madison Park. I recognize that we want bicycle  
5 people around. Nobody from our area is going -- outside of  
6 somebody that wants to say, I walked across Lake Washington  
7 - they don't need a pedestrian bridge to get to the east  
8 side. They're not going to go over there to shop and work  
9 or what have you. We do not have the bicyclists from our  
10 area that would need that.

11 The cost of that is not well publicized. The people  
12 in the neighborhood are not aware -- they have not been  
13 contacted about their opinion to bring a bicycle path in  
14 there.

15 Regardless of the money, they're talking about coming  
16 in on a street which is a one-way street northbound. That  
17 is not acceptable. They're also talking about coming in on  
18 37th, 38th/McGilvra. The streets are already -- there is  
19 no place to put a bicycle path; and part of the streets are  
20 so narrow, you can't even park on both sides.

21 So to go forward with this discussion and to authorize  
22 a stupid thing like this without talking to the neighbors,  
23 I find ridiculous. And they say they've had all these  
24 hearings. They don't seem to listen to the few people that  
25 do come.

**I-0344-001****Comment Summary:**

Madison Park Bicycle/Pedestrian Connection

**Response:**

See Section 24.1 of the 2006 Draft EIS Comment Response Report.

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I served on the committee to research this in Madison Park. I've been to a number of other hearings. I have never once and in all the material that I have at home heard any statistics on the time and the cost to either repair the existing bridge or to build an identical one without impacting all the surrounding neighborhoods and making it wider like to the six lanes or to have the side parking there. I've never heard those numbers at all to compare to the ridiculous numbers for what they do want to build.

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**Comment Summary:**

Alternatives Development

**Response:**

See Section 1.1 of the 2006 Draft EIS Comment Response Report.