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Hi All,

I hope this note finds you all well and making the most of the current pandemic and its many limitations. I write to you in advance of your meeting tomorrow to express my hope that the committee is able to consider the issue of bike-friendly modifications to Mass. Ave. in the wake of the passing of Charlie Proctor. As I am sure you all know Charlie was a wonderful person, friend and son that deserved better than the fate dealt to him on May 5th. I hold Charlie, his family, his girlfriend and our network of friends very close to my heart and hope that this incident will inspire action that is overdue.

I am a lifelong Massachusetts resident and currently reside in Somerville. I love this state and returned home after college in North Carolina because I know the people of Massachusetts, including my life-long friends from Arlington, to be thoughtful, caring and reliable. I am sure you can understand my disappointment when I read the 2012 report highlighting the dangers of the intersection where this accident occurred. This intersection is both popular and dangerous and warrants expedited and thoughtful changes. Given the current state of decreased travel I am afraid there is no better time to make this impact than now.

Best,

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