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**From:** Vikki Pummer <vikkipummer@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, October 4, 2021 10:36 AM  
**To:** citycouncil  
**Cc:** Noe Veloso; president@fcpta.org; Hans Larsen; Matthew Bomberg; Rene Dalton  
**Subject:** Agenda Item 4 Meeting Date 10/4/2021 Joint Council/FUSD Board

Dear Mayor Mei, Vice Mayor, Councilmembers, and Trustees,

My name is Vikki Pummer and I'm writing to you as a Fremont resident and FUSD parent to give my support to the Safe Routes to Schools Program and Work Plan to Enhance "Walk and Roll" Participation to all schools in Fremont .

I have two young boys, one in 2nd grade at Millard and one in kindergarten at Mattos. We have lived in Fremont since 2012 and I have seen the city grow at a huge rate in not even the decade since we moved here. I am pleased that the city has taken the steps to increase pedestrian and cyclist safety over the past few years. I find the Safe Routes to School Program an amazing opportunity for all the FUSD schools to work with an existing program in Alameda County to both encourage our students and their families to use the pedestrian/bike features in Fremont and also learn how to safely walk and bike throughout our community.

I'm involved in PTA, although these comments are strictly my own, and have discussed the Safe Routes to School Program with both my school PTA, the coordinator of the program, and the Fremont Public Works department. Any synergy between FUSD and the city of Fremont in implementing a cooperative plan to encourage every Fremont school to enroll in the Safe Routes Program would be a lifetime benefit for every student in the district.

Thank you for your time and service.

Sincerely,

Vikki Pummer