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Madelyn Wils
President
Hudson River Park Trust
Pier 40
353 West Street, 2nd Floor
New York, NY 10014

Re: Hudson River Park Bikeway

Dear Ms. Wils,

At the July 25, 2018 Full Board meeting of Manhattan Community Board 4 (the "Board"), by a vote of 29 in favor, 0 against, 0 abstaining and 0 present but not eligible to vote, the Board voiced its support of the application of the Hudson River Park Trust (the "Trust") for federal funding to improve the Hudson River Park Bikeway (the "Bikeway").

As we have discussed many times before, the northern end of Hudson River Park (the "Park"), particularly where the Bikeway connects the Park to Riverside South, is not only under-developed, but presents a dangerous situation for bike riders and pedestrians. The Board fully supports the redevelopment of this area of the Park.

The Board understands that Federal funding may be available to finance part of this development work. The Board would like to see money allocated to the Trust to redesign and redevelop the Bikeway and the Esplanade at the northern end of the Park, from Pier 97 (which is being developed) to Riverside South.

Thank you for your continued work to improve Hudson River Park.

Sincerely,

Burt Lazarin
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