

Kuether-Steele, Molly

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For the Public Works Committee hearing on Wednesday regarding the legislative file on motorized scooters.

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Adam,

In the event you need or would like any public input assistance in your prosecution of the matter against Bird Scooters, I would be happy to assist.

My wife and I live in a condo in the 3rd Ward, and it has gotten to the point where we are unable to safely take our dog for walks on the sidewalks in our own neighborhood due solely to these scooters.

It was bad enough when there were fewer of them and they remained on the streets. Our dog is frightened by them, but we could at least manage that situation.

Now however, people are constantly riding an even greater number of these nuisances on the sidewalks, riding up from behind us, straight at us, passing very close by our dog, and acting entitled to the right of way.

When we've told people that they shouldn't be riding these scooters on the sidewalks, we've been cursed at twice.

Our hope is that you are successful in your efforts to have these removed, and we are willing to help in any way that you might find useful. Thank you.

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