Kuether-Steele, Molly

From: Bauman, Robert

Sent: Tuesday, July 31, 2018 10:48 AM

To: Santos, Dina

Cc: Kuether-Steele, Molly **Subject:** Re: Bird Scooters

Sorry that happened. I will include your comments in the record.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 31, 2018, at 10:44 AM, Santos, Dina <<u>dsanto@milwaukee.gov</u>> wrote:

Alderman:

When I first heard about the Bird Scooters being banned in Milwaukee, I thought, "oh big deal, it's just a scooter."

However, I work in the Municipal Building, and I park directly across the street in the CPS Parking Garage on Broadway. (Next door to St. Mary's.) As I was walking out of the garage, a young man on a Bird Scooter came within inches of crashing right into me. There aren't any windows on the garage entrance, so I had no idea he was even coming down the sidewalk. I have now changed my mind about these scooters. Clearly they are dangerous as they are being ridden on the sidewalks. Had I been an elderly person headed to St. Mary's for Mass, I don't know that I could have stopped myself from a collision.

If you need any more information from me, please don't hesitate to contact me.

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