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The climate crisis has already begun. I want the children in my life to grow up and expanding public transit so that it becomes more accessible is a huge step in the right direction.

I'm afraid to drive on the freeways. Transportation by car is so dangerous, expensive for lives, the climate and our wallets. I would love to get to a place where anywhere in Portland can be accessed by bus or light rail. I believe that more we build, the more it will get used. I know so many friends that would prefer to use public transit, but don't because of the limitations. I have friends that use it for certain events, but would use it more if it was better. This benefits everyone in our community. Safe, reliable public transit is better for people who solely rely on it, people who would be on the road with people who choose to drunk drive for lack of affordable options, for businesses who can be more easily accessed, for people with disabilities, and for people without access to cars. We all benefit from expanding public transportation and we all suffer from expanding freeways.