



March 27, 2024

Hunter Garrison, Senior Planner  
Planning, Engineering and Permits Department  
City of Birmingham  
710 20<sup>th</sup> St N  
Birmingham, AL 35203

Dear Mr. Garrison,

I am writing to support the City of Birmingham's CPRG Implementation Grant application. Specifically, we support the E-Bike Voucher Program, and if the grant is awarded, we are willing to work with the City of Birmingham to implement this innovative project as the City's non-profit partner.

The Community Foundation of Greater Birmingham – the largest and oldest community foundation in the state – has a long history of supporting projects that aid and improve transportation access for residents of our region. Our foundation has partnered with the City of Birmingham on many of these projects, including a 2012 TIGER grant that built street-based and greenway trails in several Birmingham neighborhoods and the 2019 pilot and launch of the Birmingham On-Demand microtransit program. An E-Bike program which puts bicycles in the hands of residents is a natural next step to allow even more individuals to safely enjoy the investment already made in our multi-modal network.

We fully support the City's application for the CPRG Implementation Grant funds and we look forward to working with the City if this project is awarded.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Christopher Nanni".

Christopher Nanni, President

