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To Whom It May Concern,

As a resident of Reston for over a decade, I have seen traffic problems increase year after year with little mitigation. Out of all of the areas in need of a change in Reston, I feel the **pedestrian crossing of the Washington & Old Dominion Trail at Wiehle Avenue** is one of utmost concern. Currently, foot and bicycle traffic on the trail is at the mercy of drivers. Drivers are on edge about the lack of visibility and adequate stopping space between the crossing and the intersection at Sunset Hills Drive. A pedestrian bridge, like the one at Town Center Parkway, would ensure the safety of runners and bicyclists on the trail, and alleviate traffic and worry for the cars crossing that trail. It is my understanding that this has been a topic of discussion for planners for a long time, and that it may be prudent to wait for development around the area before proceeding with a bridge, but I urge the Board of Supervisors to consider fast-tracking this item for the safety of pedestrians using the **W&OD Trail**.

Thank you for your time,

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