

## Bike Colorado Springs Candidate Survey

### **Your Name \***

Regina English

### **What Office are you running for? \***

City Council District 4

### **On average, how often do you ride a bike? \***

I ride my bike frequently in the summer time.

### **On average, how often do you walk for recreation or transportation? \***

I take walks a few times a week

### **On average, how often do you take public transportation? \***

I do not take public transportation currently but have in the past

### **How is bicycling, walking, or public transportation important to you? \***

All of these areas are important to me because it is important to community. Bicycling and walking are essential to staying healthy and keeping the body moving. Public transportation is essential for many of our neighbors to travel and for this reason it is important to me.

## Roadway Safety

### **What actions would you take to support improving infrastructure designed to protect or otherwise make vulnerable road users (bike riders & pedestrians) safer? \***

I would make sure that the city is allocating funding to our most alienated and unkept roads, bridges and crosswalks because this can prevent fatalities when roads are safer. Updating our infrastructure also adds vitality to our community's.

### **How would you support a citywide program or strategy (such as Vision Zero) to improve roadway safety with the goal of eliminating traffic fatalities and severe injuries? \***

Anyway that I can help save lives, I am onboard to amplify the voice and do the work necessary to keep community safe. Creating policy to make drivers more responsible and working with local traffic planners, community and engineers will help come up with the best decisions.

## Transportation

### **Will you support increased funding for infrastructure for walking, biking, and transit? \***

Yes I will support increased funding because all means of transportation are important and in order to come up with the most robust system for everyone to travel safely throughout our community it will take funding and innovative thinking for the best solution.

### **How will you support policies that increase opportunities for Colorado Springs residents to bike, walk, take transit? \***

I will support this by listening and understanding all perspectives in order to support the best policy possible for the people which will also include the people being a part of the decision making process.

## City Plans

### **What are your highest priorities related to the BikeCOS! master plan? \***

My highest priority will be the safety of the people and how we can share this space in the most safe and efficient way to make biking throughout our city a pleasant way to travel.

### **How will you support ConnectCOS and the adoption of the Intermodal Mobility Plan? \***

Making decisions that will be sustainable for the city is key to responsible and safe growth. I support access and community driven decisions that will add to the expertise from those that are tasked to come up with the best plan for our city.

### **How do you intend to support and implement the Strong Connections vision in PlanCOS? \***

PlanCOS is a start and some momentum is better than no momentum and I believe that we can continue to build and shape the areas of attention in the planning stages to achieve and maximize the results that we would like to achieve as a city.

**PlanCOS Speaks to land use in the Unique Places chapter; what role do you see land use playing in creating inviting places throughout our city? \***

We must make sure that we are having thoughtful conversations involving community and make meaningful decisions on how we implement land use and my role would be to support the wants and needs of community to make our city a better place.

Other Comments

**Is there anything else you would like Bike Colorado Springs to know about your positions or candidacy?**

I am here to represent and be a voice of consistency, collaboration, community, inclusivity and transparency. I believe that in all that we do it will affect everyone and being intentional around making decisions with more community involvement is the best way to move forward.