

Hello,

My name is Marshall Wiebe and I live at Struthers Crescent in Regina. My home backs directly onto 9th Avenue North between Courtney street and Fairway road. The noise level and danger from heavy trucks on 9th Avenue North has become an increasing concern for my family and I. Over the summer we weren't able to enjoy time outside in our yard due to the noise, having to raise our voices above a comfortable level. My wife is working from home and I am in the nursing program at the University of Regina, so a certain level of quiet is invaluable to us. However that is a rare occurrence overwhelmingly due to the heavy truck traffic on that road. 9th Avenue North, as well as the neighborhoods surrounding 9th Avenue North, were not designed for this level of traffic noise. Other roads have berms, better sound barrier fences, and much more space between residents' homes and busy roadways. The traffic is also a safety concern when I am commuting to and from work, or running errands. And perhaps most importantly is the fact that the value of our home is decreased with this tarnishing of our once peaceful neighborhood. Please do something about this! Do not let these trucks continue to tarnish our lovely, (once) quiet home environment.

I support motion 20-23.

Marshall Wiebe