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Metropolitan Transit Commission,

This letter is in support of the Town of Mooresville to continue to subsidize the 83X Express commuter bus. Moore & Van Allen is a proud proponent of public transit and encourages employees to ride the bus and the LYNX Blue Line to work to help reduce carbon emissions to keep Charlotte's air clean. In 2007 alone, Moore & Van Allen employees' commuter miles were reduced by 108,966 miles through using an alternate form of transportation. This equals about:

- 594,954 Metric Tons of CO2 reduced;
- 205,157 tons of waste recycled instead of sending it to the landfill;
- 4,150 acres of forest preserved from deforestation; or
- The energy needed for 52,511 homes for one year.

Our concern is that by removing the 83X Express Commuter bus, you will be adding pollution to Charlotte's air — certainly a step away from the right direction.

We thank you for your consideration.

Regards,



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