## **Robin Crotty**

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Subject: Recommendation to Close 4th Street from Walnut to Leadville

To the Ketchum City Council:

Thank you for considering the Mayor's "Recommendation to Close Fourth Street from Walnut to Leadville Avenue."

As a resident of the Wood River Valley and a member of the Climate Action Coalition, I am concerned about the resiliency and sustainability of our community. I support the recommendation to partially close 4<sup>a</sup> St. to cars and open it up to people on foot and bike.

Supporting active transportation—through temporary and lasting infrastructure changes, like the one recommended for 4<sup>th</sup> St.—is key to lowering vehicle emissions and our carbon footprint.

In addition, the project offers economic and health benefits that address the current pandemic and relate to the overall sustainability of our community.

Thank you for considering my support to actualize the original 4<sup>th</sup> St. plans and create a car-free corridor across downtown Ketchum.

Sincerely,

Alexandra Babalis

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