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From: Kim Latrielle, President/CEO Missoula Area Chamber of Commerce  
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RE: The Missoula Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors/Governmental Affairs Committee voted unanimously on 2.14.2023 to share the Missoula Chamber's membership final survey responses and all comments received on the Beartracks Bridge proposed reduction. *(See attached survey monkey results to date)*

The Missoula Area Chamber of Commerce appreciates the Mayor and City of Missoula willingness to extend the Beartracks Bridge comment period for a **two-week period ending 2.15.2023**. This has allowed our organization time to survey our membership and an opportunity to provide our business members a voice in this process. We also appreciate the city reaching out and requesting our survey results.

The Missoula Area Chamber of Commerce at this point is a neutral party and has only sought information from our members through this survey process, and at this time is not a proponent or opponent of the Beartracks Bridge reduction proposal.