From: Mary Sikorski <

Sent: Thursday, June 30, 2016 8:50 AM **To:** DOT Environmental Planning

Subject: Please preserve the Saugatuck Swing Bridge

Dear Mr. Alexander,

I wanted to add my voice to those against replacing the Saugatuck River Bridge.

I am a Westport resident since 1965 and am very averse to the prospect of enlarging the Saugatuck River Bridge.

Traveling over the bridge on Thursday, June 16th, I was behind a flat bed truck that could not navigate a right hand turn onto Riverside Avenue. Subsequently, the tail light and part of the bumper on a parked Suburban sustained taillight and bumper damage.

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I can only imagine the difficulties 18 wheelers would have negotiating turns onto Riverside Avenue.

I am totally against a new bridge and support our existing one being refurbished and preserved in the manor that it resembles today.

Thank you for your consideration,

Mary Sikorski