

## Late Backup

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Speaker

To the Austin City Council,

My name is Vanessa Hatley and I live at 1607 E Rundberg Ln. And I am not able to come in person so I am writing you this letter to express my feelings and concerns about the bridge across Little Walnut Creek. The bridge is not right for our neighborhood and the money could be spent elsewhere either improving safety or on things for the children.

Secondly, I do not feel AISD should discontinue the use of buses to and from school. This causes parents to have to take their children to school when, ~~but~~ it was previously provided. You're also putting the children at risk not only from the weather, but from predators who can easily take a child off the street. Not to mention the fact they could get hit by a car and possibly killed.

There is an estimated 150

children in my neighborhood who attend Hart Elementary. Due to the socio-economic background of these children they may or may not have other transportation to school, causing them to become behind in school.

These are my thoughts and concerns.

Vanessa Dudley