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To: <u>Transportation Commission</u>

**Subject:** Fw: Safe Streets Madison - Update and Phase 2 Recommended Projects

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## Hello Sirs and Madams of the Traffic committee

My name is Priscilla Gresens and I live on Piccadilly Dr. I work for my mother on Merryturn Road. I also drive my 12 year old adopted brother to and from school, karate, baseball practice and game and where ever he needs to go. We drive past the Milwaukee Street/Thompson Drive intersection almost daily, if not more. In addition, my other brother and his family live on Merryturn as well. They have an 18 year old that drives to work and school this way. That intersection is very dangerous. I do appreciate the fact that the speed was reduced at Thompson Drive on Milwaukee Street, however, that is not enough. The drivers that come over the I-90 bridge from Sprecher are not going 25. They are not even going as slow as 35. The traffic has increased since the developments between Sprecher and Thompson have increased.

There are times of day that it is almost impossible to cross Milwaukee Street. There are drivers that will wait until a very safe space to cross. Then, there are daredevil drivers will cut cars off so they don't have to wait. With traffic lights, this will be greatly reduced.

Traffic lights will make this intersection safer. I drive it often and it will only be time before there is a fatality because of this. Many close calls do not show up in the reports.

Please pass this light. It is very important to me and the safety of my family.

Please feel free to contact me at 608-692-1417 or pris17@yahoo.com

Thanks

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From: Mohr, Thomas <tmohr@cityofmadison.com>
Sent: Wednesday, March 23, 2022, 08:58:21 AM CDT

Subject: Safe Streets Madison - Update and Phase 2 Recommended Projects

Hello,

This is an update on the status of the Safe Streets Madison program. You are receiving this email because you expressed interest in having traffic calming devices installed on your street. The Transportation Commission approved the 39 top ranked projects for phase 1 of the program.

We will bring the program back to the Transportation Commission tonight, and we are recommending another 18 projects for approval as phase 2 of the program.

In addition, we are developing and evaluating more projects for more phases of the program. The attached project list shows over 300 potential projects, and the team is still evaluating and adding more.

For more information on the program, more specific project lists, proposed designs and related public comments, please visit the following links.

Safe Streets Madison website:

https://www.cityofmadison.com/trafficEngineering/SafeStreets.cfm

• Transportation Commission meeting information:

https://www.cityofmadison.com/city-hall/committees/transportation-commission/3-23-2022

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