



## GLENDALE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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To Whom It May Concern:

I write this letter as the principal of Glendale Elementary School regarding the proposal to include sidewalks in the re-construction of Camden Road. I believe that adding sidewalks to the streets our students use to walk to and from school would be a significant safety benefit. Camden Rd. terminates at its southern end at Tompkins Drive immediately in front of our school. Currently, over 25 Glendale students (about 6.5% of our student body) live on Camden Road. Camden therefore is a natural walking route.

While I am not in a position to judge the overall merits of the proposal (I understand the hardship homeowners face from an assessment and how the loss of mature trees will affect the feel of the street), building sidewalks would make it safer for students to walk to and from school, which would be a very good thing.

Sincerely,

Mickey Buhl  
Principal