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Final Survey Results:

Approve--96 Oppose--66

Approval Rate--59.3%

Re: Survey for the Construction of Islands on Wheeler Road from Comanche Way to N Sherman Avenue

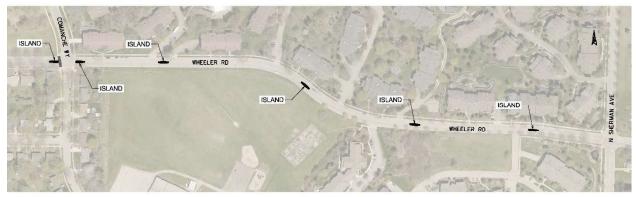
Dear Resident/Property Owners,

A resident has requested traffic-calming on this section of Wheeler Road. The City Traffic Engineering Division, in response to that request, has performed a speed study and ranking of this project, which has indicated that this project would be eligible for funding from the Neighborhood Traffic Management Program (NTMP).

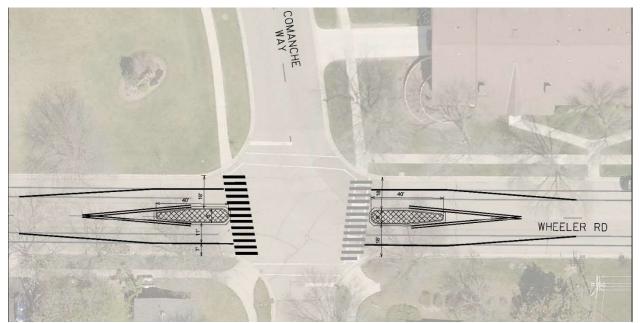
The form at the end of this letter is to ask your opinion of this project.

Speed humps are our most effective speed control devices and can help maintain the residential nature of a neighborhood. However, due to Metro Transit bus routes and because this stretch of Wheeler Road is an important emergency vehicle route, speed humps are not an option on this portion of Wheeler Road. Because of this, City Traffic Engineering is proposing a series of traffic islands to help mitigate the worst speeding.

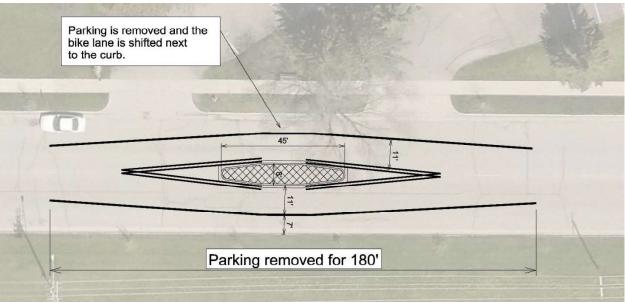
In addition to this survey, speed humps are also being proposed to the residents between Kennedy Road and Delaware Boulevard. However, this survey only concerns the proposed islands between Comanche Way and N Sherman Avenue.



Proposed Island Locations



Detail of Islands at Comanche Way



Typical Mid-block Island

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The City of Madison's Neighborhood Traffic Management Program (NTMP) allows for the funding and construction of traffic calming features. More information about traffic calming and the entire approval process is provided on the Traffic Engineering website:

http://www.cityofmadison.com/trafficEngineering/programsTraffic.cfm.

No costs will be assessed to nearby property owners.

Parking will be removed adjacent to the islands, as shown on the map.

If at least 60% of the resident responses are in favor of the proposed plan, this will be considered general approval by the neighborhood. This project would then be planned to be constructed during this summer/fall construction season.

Your response to this survey is important to provide an accurate measure of neighborhood support for this project.

If you have any questions, please contact Tom Mohr at tmohr@cityofmadison.com or (608) 267-8725.

Sincerely,

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Yang Tao, PhĎ, PE City Traffic Engineer

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cc: Alder Rebecca Kemble, District 18

Survey of Public Opinion concerning installation of Islands on: Wheeler Road (Comanche Way to N Sherman Ave)

City Traffic Engineering will use this survey to determine whether the neighborhood wishes to proceed with the installation of islands.

Only one (1) survey form per address will be tallied.

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Name (needed):_____

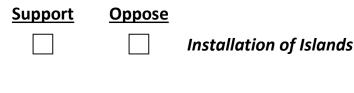
Address (needed):

Please note this survey form will <u>not</u> be counted if received after **12:00 PM, Friday, April 16, 2021.**

Check <u>one box</u> and sign your name at the bottom of this survey. Then mail or deliver this page to:

Madison Traffic Engineering Division ATTN: Tom Mohr 215 Martin Luther King Jr Blvd, Suite 109 Madison, WI 53703

Or email your response with your full name and address (including apartment number, if applicable) to <u>tmohr@cityofmadison.com</u>.



Suggestions/Comments:_____

Signature:_____