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## Current Survey Results:

(Survey ends Friday, May 7, 2021)

### Speed Humps:

Approve--42

Oppose--3

Approval Rate--93.3%

### Traffic Circle:

Approve--37

Oppose--9

Approval Rate--80.4%



### Re: Survey for the Construction of Traffic Calming Devices on West Lakeside Street

Dear Resident/Property Owners,

Residents have requested traffic-calming on West Lakeside Street. 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 on the reverse side of this page 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. The preliminary design incorporates two speed humps, as shown on the attached map. These speed hump locations have been coordinated with Madison Fire Department. Additional speed humps beyond the two shown have been deemed to have an unacceptable effect on emergency vehicle response.

In addition to the two speed humps, we are proposing a traffic circle at the Whittier Street intersection. Traffic circles work to slow vehicle speeds by requiring the driver to deflect around the circle. The circle is designed to be the maximum size while still allowing a vehicle the size of a Metro Transit bus or fire truck to make all turning movements at the intersection. Left hand turns in front of the circle are allowed and a legal turning movement.

Survey of Public Opinion concerning installation of Traffic Calming on:

# West Lakeside Street

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

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

[Please Print]

**Name (needed):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address (needed):** \_\_\_\_\_

Please note this survey form will **not** be counted if received after **12:00 PM, Friday, May 7, 2021.**

Mail this page to: **Madison Traffic Engineering Division**  
**ATTN: Tom Mohr**  
**215 Martin Luther King Jr Blvd, Suite 109**  
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Or email your response with your full name and address (including apartment number, if applicable) to [tmohr@cityofmadison.com](mailto:tmohr@cityofmadison.com).

Support

Oppose

*Installation of the Two Speed Humps*

Support

Oppose

*Installation of the Circle at Whittier St*

*Suggestions/Comments (feel free to attach another sheet):* \_\_\_\_\_

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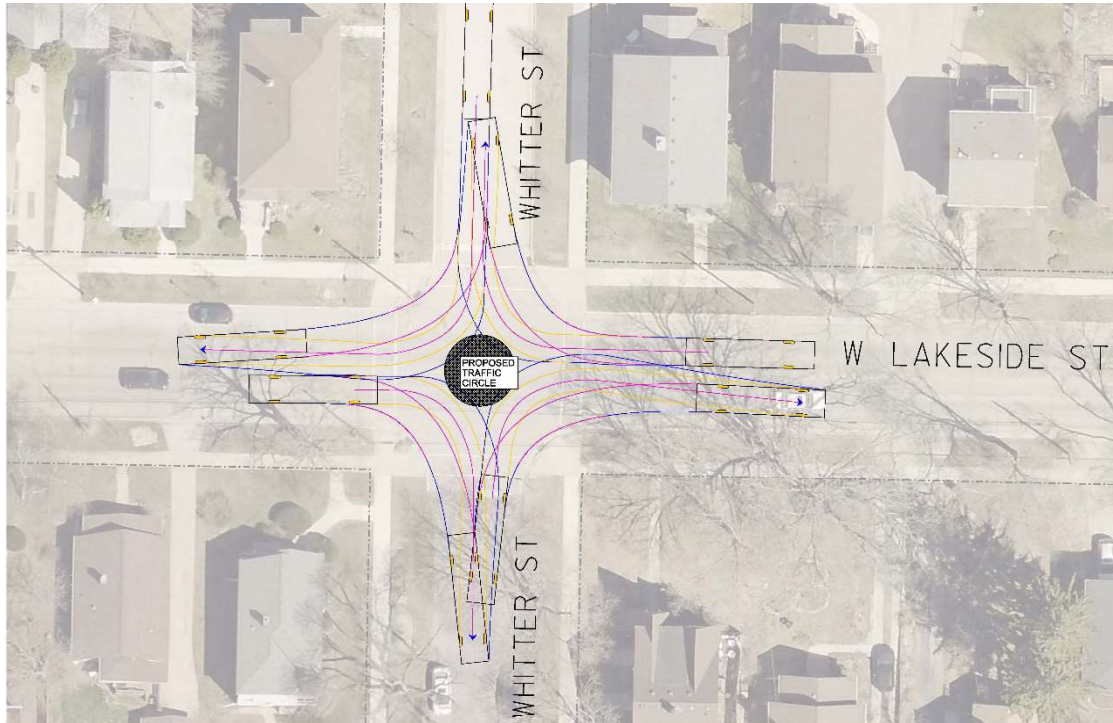
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**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_





Turning Movement Around Whittier Street Circle

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.

No parking will be removed for the speed humps or traffic circle.

**Approval by 60 percent (of the surveys returned) will be considered approval by the neighborhood.** If approved, this project is planned to be constructed during the summer of 2021.

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

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

Sincerely,

Yang Tao, PhD, PE  
City Traffic Engineer

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cc: Alder Tag Evers, District 13