



Mount Prospect Public Works Department

INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS
FROM: PROJECT ENGINEER
DATE: OCTOBER 3, 2024
SUBJECT: FNSP – WILLIAM STREET – PETITION REVIEW

I have reviewed the petition submitted by Mr. Voigt on September 30th, 2024, requesting a traffic calming project be initiated for the 600 and 700 blocks of South William Street. The number of signatures met the minimum required as outlined in the initial project area that was sent to Mr. Voigt on August 15, 2024. All signatures were from within the initial project area. A letter describing existing traffic conditions was included.

I recommend moving forward to the next step in the traffic calming process as outlined in the Friendly Neighborhood Streets Program.

Luke Foresman, PE

Project Engineer

Attachments:

- Petition and Letter
- ~~• Signature Map~~



Received 9/30/2024

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Petition for Traffic Calming Measures

Date: 8/8/24

We, the undersigned, respectfully petition the Village of Mount Prospect to consider implementing traffic calming measures on the: 600-700 block of S. William Street or
At the intersection of _____ and _____ in
the Village of Mount Prospect.

Traffic problems to be remedied using traffic calming measures include:

- Excessive Vehicle Crashes _____
- Excessive Vehicle Speeds 1
- Excessive Vehicle Volumes 2
- Pedestrian/Bicycle Safety Issues 3
- Other _____

(rank issues in order of
importance
with 1 being most problematic
and 5 being least problematic)

Primary Resident Contact (Person Project Updates will be Coordinated with):

Print Name	Signature	Address	Phone Number	Email
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1. C

Petitioners' (a minimum of 9 petitioners, or 30% of the dwelling units and commercial spaces in the initial project area, whichever is greater, plus the primary contact are required):

Print Name	Signature	Address	Phone Number	Email
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ATTACH A LETTER EXPLAINING WHY THIS PETITION IS BEING SUBMITTED.

Signatures to the petition indicate support of traffic calming measures on the street or at the intersection listed above. This is not a commitment to construction, there will be further public outreach as plans are developed.



See reverse side for more information.

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Form Dated: 10/2023



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Additional Petitioners' (a minimum of 9 petitioners, or 30% or the dwelling units and commercial spaces in the initial project area, whichever is greater, plus the primary contact are required):

Print Name	Signature	Address	Phone Number	Email
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Attach additional pages if necessary.



This petition is for Traffic Calming measures on the 600-700 block of South William Street. In particular, to address excessive vehicle speeds and high traffic volume in this area.

Traffic (and construction vehicles) are using S. William street as a north south pass through. This street is the only one between Elmhurst and Mt Prospect Roads that connects straight through.

This occurs at all hours of the day, and traffic has increased with the addition of additional condos and housing on Prospect Ave.

According to the information on your website, S. William St should meet the criteria, as it has high average speeds with an 85th percentile greater than 32 mph, as well as greater than 1000 ADT for traffic volume.

In addition, S. William street is in close proximity to Lions Park School, as well as Sunrise Park. It has pedestrian use due to accessing both of these locations. It is also marked as a bike route.

One possible solution to research would be to close the road at Weller Creek, and use the crossing as a pedestrian bridge (similar to that on School Street between Berkshire Lane and Lonnquist Blvd).