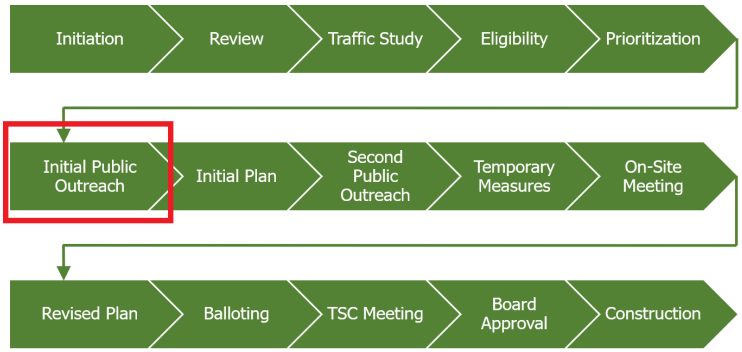
Resident Information Bulletin
South William Street Traffic Calming Study

Village of Mount Prospect
Public Works Department
NOVEMBER 2024

INTRODUCTION:
The Village is conducting a traffic calming study on South William Street between Prospect Avenue and Golf Road and is seeking your input on existing traffic issues. In May of 2024, the Village Board adopted the Friendly Neighborhood Streets Program, a program that allows residents to submit a petition to request traffic calming measures be installed on their street to address traffic issues. Traffic calming is infrastructure designed to slow vehicle speeds or reduce the number of vehicles on a neighborhood street to increase safety for all users.

SOUTH WILLIAM STREET:
A petition from the 600 – 700 blocks of South William Street was submitted to Public Works in late September of 2024. Traffic counts were completed in October and found the street to be eligible for the Friendly Neighborhood Streets Program. Once the street was found to be eligible, Staff reviewed and expanded to study area to include all of South William Street from Prospect Avenue to Golf Road due to similar roadway characteristics and surrounding land use.

TRAFFIC CALMING PROCESS:
The traffic calming process can be found in the Friendly Neighborhood Streets Program on the Village website by searching "Traffic Calming". We are currently at step 6, Initial Public Outreach. See timeline to the right. We are collecting public input on existing traffic issues on the street to make sure any proposed improvements address resident concerns.



PUBLIC INPUT
A comment form is available on the study website. Please use the QR code below or search "William Street" on the Village website to find the study website. Additionally, public comments can be submitted to Public Works by using the enclosed comment form and mailing it to or dropping of at Public Works, Attn: Luke Foresman, 1700 West Central Road, Mount Prospect, IL 60056. Residents can also submit comments by phone at (847) 870-5640 or by email at publicworksdept@mountprospect.org. Please put "William Street Traffic Calming" in the subject line of your email.

Comments need to be submitted by Friday, December 13th.

Be on the lookout for additional public outreach as this study progresses.

Attached to this letter is the study area and the comment form.

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Mount Prospect, IL 60056
www.mountprospect.org

Phone: 847-870-5640
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Comment Form
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Please answer the follow questions to help us as we work to develop a possible traffic calming plan on South William Street. Comments can also be submitted on the study website, see QR code below or search "William Street" on the Village website:

Address: _____

What are your concerns regarding traffic on your street? (select all that apply)

☐ Number of Vehicles ☐ Speed of Vehicles ☐ Pedestrian Safety

☐ Bicyclist Safety ☐ Intersection Safety ☐ On-Street Parking

☐ No Concerns ☐ Other: _____

Select traffic calming measures you would be interested in for this street, if any. See the Traffic Calming Toolbox at the end of the Friendly Neighborhood Streets Program for more information on these:

☐ Choke Point ☐ Mini Traffic Circle ☐ Median Islands

☐ Curb Extensions ☐ Bike Pavement Markings ☐ Chicane

☐ Speed Feedback Signs ☐ None ☐ Other: _____

Provide any additional comments regarding traffic on your street:

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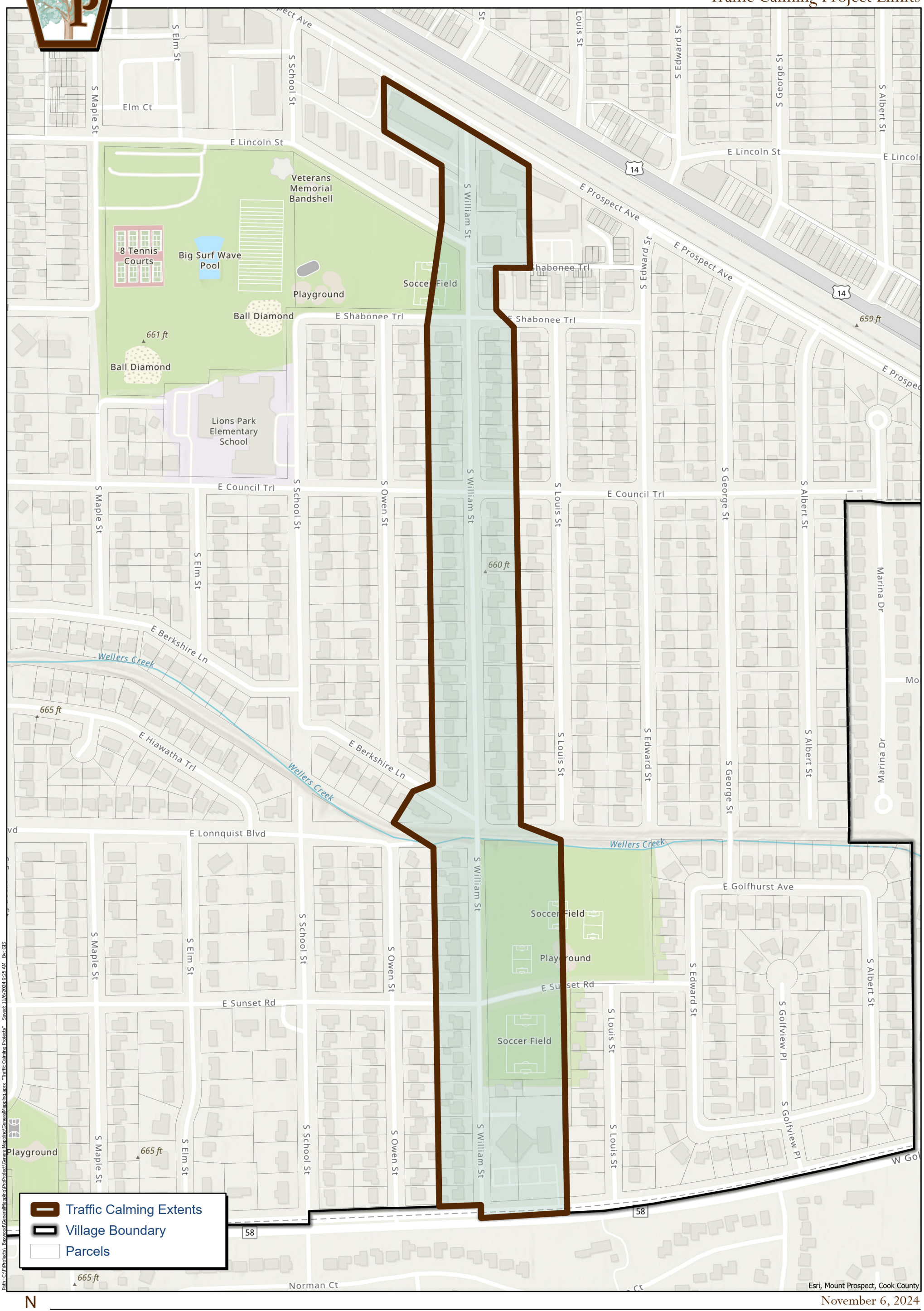
Traffic Calming Project Limits



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