

City of Merced

RQ#: 24-47

Citizen Action Request Form: Traffic Committee

Contact Person: AMANDA ESTRADA Day Phone: [REDACTED]

Email Address: [REDACTED]

Address: [REDACTED] Today's Date: 10/07/24

Location of Concern (map attachments and photographs are encouraged):

CROSS WALK AT INTERSECTION OF GERARD AVE AND STARLIGHT AVE

Describe Concerns At This Location:

I would like for the traffic committee to take into consideration of adding a cross walk signal light to be able to get attention of oncoming traffic in order to stop for cross walker especially children. On the morning of Friday 10/07/2024 about 8:20am I witnessed a child age possibly 10-12 crossing using the crosswalk when a large SUV driving faster then speed limit sped past him. If that child haad not jumped back the driver most certainly would have hit him. This child was overwhelmingly startled and clearly visibly of the event that happened. I cannot bring my self to imagine what would have happened if that child would not have jumped back and I cannot bear to think that someone else can be put in that same danger wheter it is a child walking to and from school or and adult crossing the road. Although there is a crosswalk sign I blieve that adding more visibility to this crosswalk would aid in avoiding future accidents of this sort. I have attached satelite images of the intersection for your reference.

For Official Use Only:

Project #: _____ Date Received: _____ Date Field Inspected: _____

Field Inspection Results: _____

Date Réponse To Contact Person: _____

Resolution of Concern: _____

Date Completed: _____

Traffic Engineer's Signature or Designee

Date

DIAGRAMS

General Diagram



Location of Concern





