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Title:	SUBJECT: Introduction of an Ordinance Amending Section 10.28.380 "Stop Intersections Designated" of the Merced Municipal Code				
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ALTERNATIVES

1. Approve, as recommended by the Traffic Committee; or,
2. Modify ordinance for introduction; or,
3. Deny.

AUTHORITY

This request amends Section 10.28.380 of the Merced Municipal Code (MMC).

The California Vehicle Code (CVC) gives a local body (or official) jurisdiction for traffic control devices, provided the devices are installed in accordance with the State Traffic Manual.

CITY COUNCIL PRIORITIES

2023-24 City Council Priorities for Public/Traffic Safety.

DISCUSSION

At the meeting of January 9, 2024, the Traffic Committee approved recommending the addition of a four-way stop at the intersection at 11th Street and Canal Street.

Currently, there is a two-way stop on W 11th Street traveling west and east bound. Due to the increase in collisions in the area and the restricted view from numerous parked cars, the intersection was proposed by a City Police Sergeant to add stop signs to Canal Street, creating a four-way stop.

The Police Department researched the intersection and found there were ten reported collisions in 2023 and five reported collisions in 2022. The traffic data for this intersection warrants a four-way stop be created.

IMPACT ON CITY RESOURCES

No appropriation of funds is needed.

ATTACHMENTS

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