Mary Dziewiontkoski, Special Assessments Engineer

Department of Public Works

Fax #: 286-5994

From: Ken & Elaine Herro, Tax Key # 322-0792-110-5

Date: 5/10/10

Re: Speed Bump

We received the notice regarding the speed bump in the 6<sup>th</sup> Aldermanic District E./W. Wright St. – Palmer St. to N. 2<sup>nd</sup> St. (ST211100146). Please present this correspondence to the committee members at the Wednesday, May 12, 2010 meeting.

We own the property at 2479 N. 1<sup>st</sup> St. the corner of 1<sup>st</sup> and Wright. We "do not support" the construction of a speed bump.

We believe that a stop sign would accomplish the calming of traffic in this street, rather than a speed bump which has numerous inconveniences of its own. Although we are not able to attend the meeting on the 12<sup>th</sup>, we would like you to take into consideration our preference not to construct the speed bump, but instead to install a stop sign on the corner.

Thank you.

To: The Milwaukee Department of Public Works

From: Concerned homeowners in the 6<sup>th</sup> Aldermanic District E./W. Wright St.- N.

Palmer St. to N.2<sup>nd</sup> St. area.

Re. Installation of traffic calming speed humps

I do not support the installation of speed humps in my neighborhood as a means of calming traffic. There are less drastic traffic calming solutions that have not been utilized in my neighborhood as to date. The installation of lower speed limit signs in the area of 2<sup>nd</sup> and Wright St. for traffic traveling East on Wright St., and posted low speed signs for traffic traveling West at the corner of Wright St. and Palmer when approaching the hill will help in traffic calming efforts. This approach, along with periodic monitoring by the Milwaukee Traffic Enforcement unit would be far more cost efficient not only for the homeowners but also for the City of Milwaukee. This method would also cut out the inconviences of speed humps such as noise nuisance, slower emergency services, snow removal concerns and non-user friendly nuisance for large vehicles including school buses which use Wright St. almost on a weekday daily basis during the school year

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