

Amber Noworatzky

From: Michael Cummings
Sent: Monday, September 18, 2023 3:00 PM
To: Greg Minikel
Cc: Nick Reimer; Amber Noworatzky; Dan Koski; Mark DeZeeuw; Greg Grotegut (GregGrotegut@manitowocountywi.gov); 'Rich Glen'
Subject: Re: Request for LED Right Turn Only Signage on N. Rapids Rd. south of Wildwood Drive (Lutheran High School)

Let's put it on the October agenda for discussion.

To Manitowoc's Success!

Michael Cummings

On Sep 18, 2023 2:48 PM, Greg Minikel <gminikel@manitowoc.org> wrote:
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Are you O.K. with putting this request on the October Public Safety Committee Agenda??

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From: Gregory Grotegut <GregGrotegut@manitowocountywi.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, September 19, 2023 5:39 AM
To: Greg Minikel; Nick Reimer; Amber Noworatzky; Michael Cummings
Cc: Dan Koski; Mark DeZeeuw; 'Rich Glen'
Subject: External: RE: Request for LED Right Turn Only Signage on N. Rapids Rd. south of Wildwood Drive (Lutheran High School)

I have no issue with this signage at the location. I would agree with Greg that this should be addressed after the project. Thanks!

Greg Grotegut
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