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# City of West Allis Matter Summary

7525 W. Greenfield Ave.  
West Allis, WI 53214

File Number	Title	Status
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2009-0767      **Communication**      **Introduced**

Communication from Kurt D. Wachholz, District Administrator, West Allis-West Milwaukee, et al. School District, requesting signage relative to traffic control near Irving Elementary School at the intersection of S. 104 St. and W. Grant St.

**Introduced:** 12/1/2009

**Controlling Body:** Safety & Development Committee

### COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

*File*

ACTION DATE:	MOVER	SECONDER		AYE	NO	PRESENT	EXCUSED
<i>12/1/09</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Barczak				
			Czaplewski				
			Kopplin	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
			Lajsic	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
			Narlock	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
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			Roadt				
			Sengstock				
			Vitale	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
			Weigel				

TOTAL      5 0

*follow up letter?  
yes - not needed per C.E. + CC.*

### SIGNATURE OF COMMITTEE MEMBER

*[Signature]*

Chair

Vice-Chair

Member

### COMMON COUNCIL ACTION

**PLACE ON FILE**

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**UNANIMOUS**

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School District of West Allis - West Milwaukee, et al.

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November 12, 2009

Mayor Dan Devine  
City of West Allis  
7525 W. Greenfield Avenue  
West Allis, WI 53214

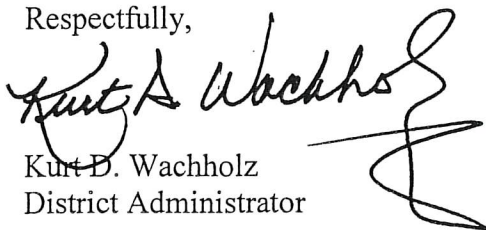
Dear Mayor Devine:

I am writing you with regard to the traffic pattern near Irving Elementary School, specifically the intersection of 104<sup>th</sup> and Grand (the entrance to Irving School playground). Safety concerns have been brought to the School District's attention by Irving School parents, community members, and Irving School staff indicating that they feel there is a need for some type of traffic control in this area.

The reason for these concerns stem from the fact that this is a multifaceted area – it serves as the entrance to a playground area for children, a drop off and pick up drive through for vehicles on school days, a parking facility for the Transition Program, and a walking entrance to school, all of which open to one common entrance and exit which is the street. We feel that the posting of signs at this intersection (104<sup>th</sup> and Grand streets) would best serve the safety of our children.

We have previously consulted with the City Traffic Engineer on our specific request but have been denied. We are now, therefore, asking that there might be the opportunity to have this request reconsidered on the basis of child safety in this unique area of pedestrian and vehicular access. The signage for consideration might include permanent stop signs, roll out signs facilitated by school personnel, or drop down stop signs facilitated by school personnel. Thank you for your consideration of this request. Please contact me at 604-3005 with any questions regarding this matter.

Respectfully,

  
Kurt D. Wachholz  
District Administrator

KDW/lk

c: Common Council Members  
Paul Ziehler, City Administrator  
Margaret Crowley, Irving Elementary Principal

M. Lewis  
J. Stibal  
T. Harmatys