



8/31/2018

Attn: City of Spokane, Streets & Engineering Department
808 West Spokane Falls Boulevard
Spokane, Washington 99201

Re: Median at Colton/Magnesium Intersection Removal

To Whom It May Concern:

Hello, my name is Alexander Knox, and I am writing on behalf of the Shiloh Hills Neighborhood Council. Our neighborhood council was asked on our input regarding the intersection barrier at Colton St. and Magnesium Rd. Our membership had a very robust debate as to what should be done at the intersection in question, in which we determined that there were more reasons for the removal than against. Although we did vote in favor of removing the barrier, the Council decided that the City should investigate alternative means for traffic control and mitigation in that area.

Our recommendations are as follows;

- Removal of the barrier at the intersection of Colton St. & Magnesium Rd. due to:
 - Increased traffic safety concerns on Standard St. & Shiloh Hills Dr. due to vehicles speeding through side-streets to bypass barrier on Colton/Magnesium
 - Safety concerns for pedestrians, bicyclists and children
 - There have already been several accidents due to these issues
- Working with the Shiloh Hills Neighborhood Council, Walmart and other stakeholders in the area to determine traffic calming initiatives the City can use to mitigate a possible increase in traffic due to the removal of the barrier

On behalf of the Shiloh Hills Neighborhood Council, of our Executive Committee, and all our residents we would like to thank the City for including us in this discussion and look forward to making Shiloh Hills safer and easier to navigate.

A large, stylized handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Alexander J. Knox".

8/31/18

Alexander J. Knox, Interim Chairman
Shiloh Hills Neighborhood Council, Executive Committee