Agenda Memo



Crest Hill, IL

Meeting Date: January 15, 2024

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Department: Engineering

Agenda Item: Division at Churnovic-21320 W Division St.

Summary: Staff has received a complaint from the resident at 21320 W Division St. They are concerned with access to their property due to the existing configuration of the traffic signal and trucks entering and existing the Crest Hill Business Park. The current traffic signal does not include signal heads for the driveway to this home located on the north side of Division St.

Staff have visited this location several times and have noticed that during certain times of the day traffic backs up at this intersection making it difficult to either exist or enter this property. Also due to the present of heavy truck traffic visibility is limited making it very difficult to view oncoming traffic.

The installation of new traffic signal heads and detector loops in the driveway for this north leg is the most cost-effective way to make entering and existing this driveway more efficient and safer. The cost of this work can be paid out of MFT funds and can be completed in the spring of 2024.

One other solution was looked at, but due to existing underground utilities and estimated construction costs being significantly higher than the quote provided by Meade this option was not pursued further.

Recommended Council Action: Motion to approve Meade to modify the existing traffic signals at the intersection of Division and Churnovic to add a traffic signals for the driveway along the north leg for a cost of \$22,557.21.

Financial Impact:

Funding Source: MFT

Budgeted Amount: \$22,557.21 (Work to be included in 2024-2025 MFT program.

Cost: \$22,557.21

Attachments:

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