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Hello Council.

As a downtown business owner and one who drives and walks through the intersection at Main Street & South Auburn several times per day, I wanted to comment about the recent state of affairs there. In my experience, that intersection has not been safer or moved more smoothly than it did during the trial period last month without the traffic lights. What I noticed in my daily driving was every driver looking in all directions for not only other vehicles, but also pedestrians, before proceeding through the intersection. Very different from the free for all it becomes turning left onto Main St. from South Auburn when the lights were operational and everyone is just trying to speed through as quickly as they can before the light turns red again.

I am glad to report that the test period was successful and we now have an obvious, easy, and inexpensive solution. Remove the traffic lights and install all-way stop signs. Safer foot traffic, smoother auto traffic; exactly what we need there.

Thank you,

- Jon Moser

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