City of Kaukauna
Public Protection and Safety Committee
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Agenda Item # 2a
Proposed Yield Sign at Janet Street / Walter Street Intersection

Background

The City maintains an official traffic map that indicates the location of all stop and yield signs (Sec. 7.03). The common council may make additions or deletions to the map from time to time.

The current geometry of the intersection of Janet Street at Walter Street has the potential to be confusing for local traffic and school pick-up/drop-off. Please see attached drawings. In the opinion of Engineering Department, the wide, sweeping intersection does not provide a clear directive on which street would have the right of way, and can create poor vision of cross traffic and pedestrians crossing. We feel a yield sign is warranted to provide direction to drivers and help demand more attention form drivers to look for cross traffic and pedestrians before entering the intersection.

Recommended Action

Direct the City Attorney to draft the necessary ordinance authorizing the installation of a new "Yield" sign on Janet Street at the Walter Street Intersection.



