

## CITY OF SHEBOYGAN

### REQUEST FOR PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE CONSIDERATION

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**ITEM DESCRIPTION:** An ordinance creating a two-way stop requiring northbound and southbound traffic on N. 18<sup>th</sup> Street to stop at Cambridge Avenue.

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**REPORT DATE:** September 8, 2023

**MEETING DATE:** September 12, 2023

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#### FISCAL SUMMARY:

Budget Line Item: N/A  
Budget Summary: N/A  
Budgeted Expenditure: N/A  
Budgeted Revenue: N/A

#### STATUTORY REFERENCE:

Wisconsin Statutes: N/A  
Municipal Code: N/A

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**BACKGROUND / ANALYSIS:** Currently, the intersection of N. 18<sup>th</sup> Street and Cambridge Avenue is an uncontrolled intersection.

**STAFF COMMENTS:** Uncontrolled intersections create a safety concern. In order to resolve this safety issue, it is best practice to have one leg of this intersection stop/yield to the other leg of the intersection. When creating a two-way stop at an intersection, it is best to have traffic stop on the minor street (street with the lesser amount of traffic). City staff supports installing a stop sign on S. 18<sup>th</sup> Street requiring northbound and southbound traffic to stop at the intersection.

**ACTION REQUESTED:** Motion to recommend the Common Council adopt Gen. Ord. No. 19-23-24 creating a two-way stop requiring northbound and southbound traffic on N. 18<sup>th</sup> Street to stop at Cambridge Avenue.

#### ATTACHMENTS:

- I. Gen. Ord. No. 19-23-24