



To: Amanda Mays Bledsoe
Councilmember, Tenth District

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RTM 4/6/17

Date: April 6, 2017

Re: Mitchell Avenue between Clays Mill Road and Southland Drive Traffic Calming Petition Results

Councilmember Bledsoe,

Petition cards were sent from Traffic Engineering via certified mail to the property owners on Mitchell Avenue between Clays Mill Road and Southland Drive soliciting a response for or against the installation of four speed tables on Mitchell Avenue.

A total of thirty-four (34) postage paid petition cards, letters, and proposed speed table location maps were mailed to all the property owners on Mitchell Avenue. Six (6) unopened letters marked as undeliverable were returned to Traffic Engineering adjusting the possible total eligible votes to twenty-eight (28). Of these, twenty-four (24) cards, or 86%, were returned before the deadline of March 3rd, 2017. One card, or 4%, was returned late after the deadline had passed.

Of the twenty-four ballot cards returned before the deadline:

- Twenty (20) votes, or 71% of the adjusted total were in favor of the installation of speed tables
- Four (4) votes, or 14% of the adjusted total were opposed

Based on criteria established by adoption of the Neighborhood Traffic Management Program (NTMP), any cards determined to be late or unreturned before the March 3rd deadline are assumed to be counted as No votes. **With 71%, or twenty (20) votes in favor of the installation of speed tables received and exceeding the minimum requirement of 51%, or fifteen (15) votes in favor of the proposed action, the proposal to install speed tables on Mitchell Avenue to address speeding issues has passed. Traffic Engineering recommends the installation of four speed tables on Mitchell Avenue and recommends that a Council Resolution be created and passed for this initiative.**

If you have any questions, my extension is #3480 and my email address is rmulvaney@lexingtonky.gov.

cc: Tee Bergman, Citizen
Dowell Hoskins-Squier, P.E., Commissioner of Environmental Quality & Public Works
Jeffrey Neal, P.E., Director of Traffic Engineering
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Chad Bacon, Lieutenant, Division of Police
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