

# ITEM NO 2

To: Traffic Committee of Lawrence  
From: New York Elementary  
Date: May 28, 2004  
Re: Safety Issues Around School

There are several issues regarding signs and crosswalks in areas surrounding New York School. One of the concerns is that drivers can travel 30 mph going northbound in front of the school, but can only travel 20 mph going southbound. There is actually a sign at the southern point of the block near Tenth Street that designates a 30 mph speed zone. This creates a very unsafe situation for the children at New York School which we are very concerned about and would like to resolve.

Some other concerns that PTO have are as follows:

- PTO would like to have a push button crosswalk at 11<sup>th</sup> & New York Sts.
- They would also like to check into 4 way stop signs being installed at the four corners surrounding the school.

We would like to request a time to come to a traffic committee meeting to discuss the above concerns. Please let us know when this could happen.

Sincerely,

Sharen S. Steele  
Principal

Lori Strecker  
PTO President

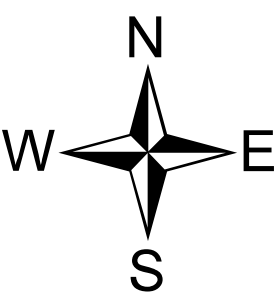
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New York St

E 10th St

New Jersey St

Connecticut St

School  
Beacon

Crosswalk

NB  
end of  
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SB  
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School  
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