

**Subject:** RE: Upcoming community meeting regarding Mt. Hope petition  
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Mr. Orman we are looking forward to meeting on the 27<sup>th</sup> of April to review the study results.

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Mr. Orman,

Let me look into this and get back to you.

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Dear Mayor Warren:

Thank you very much for your letter dated March 9, 2016. Please know that I am very grateful for your administration's continued efforts to address the chronic speeding problem on Mt. Hope Ave., as well as for your committed leadership in enhancing public safety throughout our City.

I circulated your letter to our Community Engagement Committee and we are now organizing a community meeting at which all the petition signers will have an opportunity to weigh in on the recommendations and ask any questions. Commissioner Jones and Director Rice have offered to attend, which will be very helpful. Pending confirmation from both of them, we are aiming for a meeting on April 27 at 7:00 p.m. at Calvary St. Andrew's Church, 68 Ashland Street.

I expect there will be interest in hearing about the engineers' recommendations, but I anticipate (based on the inquiries that come my way) that many questions will relate to the steps that are being taken on the enforcement side, which I think everyone recognizes to be the most crucial and paramount key to effecting positive change. Would you possibly be able to ask an RPD representative to attend the meeting to field such questions? I think that having such a person present could go far in building community support for the City's overall approach here.

Returning to your letter, there's one point I'd like to flag. Our petition relates to all of Mt. Hope north of the College Town development, not only the segment from Elmwood Avenue to Ford Street. There were significant petition signers north of Ford Street, including Erie Harbor Apartments (275 Mt. Hope), DePaul Community Services (150 Mt. Hope), Swiftwater Brewing Co. (378 Mt. Hope), and South Wedge Planning Committee (224 Mt. Hope). Though the petition didn't request specific engineering changes in that segment, there's substantial desire for increased enforcement there as well. I'd also note that this northern part of Mt. Hope includes a City park (next to The Hamilton) and in addition is the new home of Bivona Child Advocacy Center (1 Mt. Hope).

Thank you again very much. If an RPD representative can attend our meeting, I'd be happy to brief him or her in advance.

Sincerely,

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