

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Forrest Graham

**Date Submitted:** 05/25/2023 06:46 AM

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**Comments for Public Posting:** Desperately requesting a school crossing guard, or more than one, to prevent potential traffic related pedestrian injuries as it gets highly congested in our neighborhood during school drop off. Narbonne High and President Elementary have child drop off's on similar schedules and with the inflow of traffic, it gets heavily congested at the same time. People get frustrated from the traffic and drive either way too fast or they run stop signs all together as parents and children are trying to cross the street to go to school. This is a daily occurrence and we really need your help. Thank you for the consideration.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Lorrie Lathrop

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**Comments for Public Posting:** It is imperative that President Ave Elementary in Harbor City have crossing guards. I have witnessed so many people almost get ran over, I have witnessed close call accidents. I myself being one of the many that were almost hit. People DO NOT pay attention to others around the schools. They run stop signs, speed down the streets. There is no one there to remind them of safety, which a crossing guard would be a visible sign to pay attention. We need to put safety first, and not except the excuse of not having a crossing guard because the studies show one is not needed. It's a guessing game on which day the drivers will act irresponsible and put parents and students in harms way. If the cost of a crossing guard is worth more then a students life then those that plan the budget should be ashamed of themselves. I have seen Grandparents and Perents walking their children, stepping off the curb almost fall in the street because they are scrambling to get the child out of harms way. So I am pleading with you to consider the safety of our community member's and not put a price tag on the cost of hiring crossing guards for this area in Harbor City. I am also the Area Neighborhood Watch Captain and hear the residents frustration and concerns. Please hear our request.

## Communication from Public

**Name:**

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**Comments for Public Posting:** It is chaos at Narbonne high school at dismissal. Kids crossing against the lights, looking at their phones, not paying attention. Parents driving like maniacs, pulling around double parked drivers, etc. It's a recipe for disaster. We need crossing guards to keep everyone safe.