



**PETITION FOR TRAFFIC REGULATIONS**

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We further petition the Commission to regulate traffic in this manner: INSTALL 2 STOP SIGNS, ONE AT NORTHWEST CORNER AND ONE AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER CREATING A 4 WAY STOP, AT THE CORNER OF LINDEN AND SUPERIOR.

\* = This petition is being circulated by: (list name, address and telephone number)

	Name	Address and Phone No.
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3.	<u>Bob Zwick</u>	<u>315 Linden 708-383-7147</u>
4.	<u>Jennifer GoodSmith</u>	<u>415 Linden 708 383 3925</u>
5.	<u>Joan Winstein</u>	<u>424 Linden 708 386 7982</u>
6.	<u>Suzanne Bell</u>	<u>312 Linden 312 330 0998</u>
7.	<u>Tina Justice</u>	<u>324 LINDEN 312 543 6340</u>
8.	<u>Amy Felton</u>	<u>337 Linden 708-790 7643</u>
9.	<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>406 Linden 708-848-6961</u>
10.	<u>Howell Stull</u>	<u>414 LINDEN (708) 848-2494</u>
11.	<u>Terrice West</u>	<u>325 Linden 708 383 4821</u>
12.	<u>John [Signature]</u>	<u>357 Linden 708 64630 7116</u>
13.	<u>Carol M. [Signature]</u>	<u>319 Linden 708 524 0319</u>
14.	<u>John E. [Signature]</u>	<u>708 W East 312 725 2862</u>
15.	<u>Ann Courter</u>	<u>322 Linden 708-524-8554</u>

This petition should be signed by residents representing at least 51% of the street frontage where the traffic regulations are being requested. Also, ATTACH A LETTER EXPLAINING WHY THIS PETITION IS BEING REQUESTED.

**Return to:** The Transportation Commission, Attention: Jill Juliano, The Village of Oak Park, Public Works Center, 201 South Boulevard, Oak Park, IL 60302

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5.	Christina J. Totton	440 Linden 708-383-6380
6.	Joan Roberts	303 Linden 773.369.7117
7.	<del>[Signature]</del>	400 LINDEN 847-682-9315
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October 6, 2016

TO: Village of Oak Park Transportation Commission

FROM: The Residents of the 300 and 400 Blocks of Linden Avenue

RE: Four Way Stop at Intersection of Linden and Superior

Transportation Commission:

Today we submit a signed petition requesting the addition of Stop signs on Linden for traffic travelling north and south at the intersection of Superior. Of 26 total properties within the petition area, there are 22 addresses represented via signature. Of the 4 remaining properties 1 is church owned, 1 is abandoned, 1 abstained and 1 was unavailable for signature.

Linden is the only north-south two-way street between Ridgeland and Oak Park Avenues which does not have stop signs at each intersection between Lake and Chicago. This creates a high volume of non-local traffic using the street as a pass through from Lake to Chicago and vice-versa. Key reasons to add these north-south stop signs include:

- Create safe passage for pedestrians travelling east-west on Superior. Oak Park High School and Alcuin Montessori School are within two blocks of this intersection.
- Slow the speed of traffic to posted speed limit. With just one stop between Lake and Chicago speeds are high and dangerous.
- Slow the speed of traffic creating greater adherence to full stops and greater safety at the intersection of Linden and Erie (full stops are rare here and this is a very highly used pedestrian crossing being right next to high school property).
- Eliminate the confusion that this intersection is not already a 4 way stop to those travelling east-west on Superior. The assumption it is a 4 way leads the east-west traffic to pull in front of north-south traffic regularly.

Thank you for your timely action on this matter. If you require further information you may contact Doug Springer, petition circulator, at the contact info provided on the petition or via email at dspringer01@gmail.com.

