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Pedestrian Safety:
Urging the Winona City Council to Apply for Federal Grant

Whereas, due to the high number of pedestrian injuries and deaths on Broadway (6th St.), the City has been invited to apply for a \$1 million Federal Highway Administration grant to support pedestrian safety;

Whereas, the engineering company Stantec studied the situation on Broadway and made recommendations in 2015 to improve pedestrian safety;

Whereas, pedestrian safety improvements recommended as part of the Stantec study are eligible for these grants;

Whereas, WSU students, faculty, and staff frequently cross Broadway due to its location one block from campus and its proximity to many student housing units;

Whereas, too many students have lost their lives or had their safety compromised already on Broadway; and

Whereas, we value the lives and the wellbeing of our WSU community members as well as those of the broader Winona community;

Therefore be it resolved, that WSUSS and President Reimler encourage Mayor Peterson and the Winona City Council to apply now for \$1 million in federal highway funding through the Accelerated Innovation Deployment Demonstration program to make structural changes to Broadway

Therefore be it further resolved, these changes—as outlined in the Stantec study—may include redesigning the street to have three lanes, adding bump-outs for pedestrians at corners, and/or adding bike lanes

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Benjamin Reimler'. The signature is stylized and cursive.

Benjamin Reimler
President | Winona State University Student Senate