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Dear Sirs and Madam:

The Magnolia Community Council support the idea of a 4-way stop at 32nd Ave West and West Raye St. 32nd Ave West is a major route to and from Magnolia Village business area that carries a lot of traffic. This is a very busy area – many students from Catherine Blaine Elementary School cross the street there on their way to and from school. In the summer this is additional car and pedestrian traffic to and from Mounger Pool, adding to the foot traffic by users of the athletic fields that border on 32nd Ave, and of The Magnolia Community Center.

The situation is “a tragedy waiting to happen”, because of the combination of an outdoor swimming pool, K-8 school, community center, and athletic fields funneling children of all ages into a single crossing of 32nd. There have been several near accidents at this intersection already.

Sincerely,

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