

## **Traffic Calming Request Form**

Neighborhood Liaison:	Telephone #:		
Address:	City:		
Specific location and summary of the traffic concern:			

The attached petition should be circulated to all residents living adjacent to the street or street segment noted above. Residents that are not home should be contacted for signatures prior to submission of the petition to the Polk County Roads & Drainage Division. Properties without signatures will be counted as "negative responses". Each resident should read the following traffic calming guidelines:

- To qualify for traffic calming, the street should be a local residential road with documented vehicular speeding problems and traffic volumes exceeding 10 trips per residence per day. I understand that if our street meets these criteria (based on traffic studies performed by Polk County), one or more traffic calming devices may be recommended. Each device may have multiple warning signs and may be painted for enhanced visibility.
- I understand that traffic calming devices and, or signs may be installed adjacent to my property unless I vote "NO" on the attached petition. This project may be jeopardized (due to insufficient suitable locations for traffic calming devices) if many residents vote "NO" on the attached petition.
- This petition must be signed with a "YES" vote by a minimum of two-thirds (66%) of the neighborhood street residents (one signature per household). Upon receipt of the completed petition, Polk County will conduct a neighborhood public meeting to review preliminary recommendations and obtain community approval.
- Polk County will conduct a "mail-back" survey of all property owners after the public meeting to obtain final neighborhood concurrence for traffic calming. A proposal for traffic calming must be supported by 80 percent or more of the property owners on the street on which the traffic calming project is to be located and not less than 50 percent of the residents on cul-de-sacs or side streets in the neighborhood whose only access to their homes is via the street being considered for traffic calming. Polk County may conduct follow-up traffic studies after construction to verify the results of the traffic calming project.

The attached petition page may be duplicated as needed.

## **Polk County Neighborhood Traffic Calming Request Form**

Print Name Address Signature	TRAFFIC DEVICES A STR (CHECK	DO YOU AGREE TO TRAFFIC CALMING DEVICES ALONG YOUR STREET? (CHECK ONE BOX)		DO YOU AGREE TO TRAFFIC CALMING DEVICES FRONTING YOUR RESIDENCE? (CHECK ONE BOX)	
Signature	YES	NO	YES	NO	
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The indicated residents request traffic calming (speed humps or other approved traffic calming devices) to reduce speeding in our neighborhood. **My signature certifies that I have read the cover page to this petition.**