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**DATE:** 07-13-2018

**TO:** News Media

**FROM:** Cpt Michael Laurila

**RE:** Traffic control changes

The City of Marquette recently underwent a study that was conducted by both Johnson Control and the DLZ traffic analysis in an effort for long-term energy and cost savings as well as the efficiency and direction of vehicle traffic. As a result of both studies, the City will be implementing changes in its traffic control at the following locations, beginning this month:

1. Addition of left turn arrow signals at Lincoln Avenue and West Washington Street, both east and west.
2. Addition of left turn arrow signals at West Washington and McClellan Avenue, all directions (north, south, east and west).
3. Addition of directional traffic signals at North McClellan Avenue and West Ridge Street.
4. Removal of the directional traffic signals at North Front Street and Hewitt Avenue and replaced with a 4-way stop in all directions. Although the directional signal at this location was found to be not

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warranted, a 4-way stop for all directions will be put in place for added safety in a school zone.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "M. Laurila", written in a cursive style.

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