

Village of Burr Ridge

Mayor Gary Grasso

March 24, 2025

Amy Jo Wittenberg - Village President Village of Indian Head Park 201 Acacia Drive Indian Head Park, Illinois 60525

Subject: Preferred Option for Wolf Road Design through the Village of Burr Ridge

Dear President Wittenberg:

At its meeting on March 10, 2025, the Village Board of Trustees and I considered your presentation, and we concurrently supported your assessment to make **Alternative 1: Baseline Sidewalk** the preferred option for Wolf Road improvements through our corporate limits.

This choice represents the best option for our community, with its minimal impact on the residential properties and the optimal expansion of vehicular and pedestrian facilities. Our communities share in the successes and safety of Pleasantdale School District 107 and Pleasant Dale Park District, for which Alternative 1 adequately suits their current and future needs.

We know this point in your study provides only the footprint of the roadway and sidewalks, while the finer points and funding for future phases must still be addressed. The Village will continue to promote these safety improvements still needed in this corridor:

- Speed Limit Reductions: Implement a 30MPH zone between 72nd and 79th Streets.
- Crosswalk Safety: Improve the school-park crossing where our new flashing beacon has become a much-needed safety feature.

We appreciate your tremendous efforts in coordinating this study with Cook County. Please get in touch with Village Administrator Evan Walter or me if you need my support for any forthcoming grant funding opportunities that would continue a multi-jurisdictional corridor improvement.

Sincerely,

Gary Grasso

Mayor

cc: Trustee Guy Franzese, Former Trustee Bob Grela, Evan Walter, David Preissig

