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WHEREAS, traffic and speeding continue to be major issues on Harrison and Ruggles Avenues; AND

WHEREAS, the City of Newport has been inundated with resident complaints over these issues with communications asking for these concerns to be addressed; AND

WHEREAS, the Public Services Department, ITC, and the Police Department have been addressing similar safety concerns on Girard Avenue and Malbone Road, streets located near the Pell Elementary School, using the Safe Routes to School Project as a best practices model for traffic calming; AND

WHEREAS, both Ruggles and Harrison Avenues are also streets that are impacted by traffic, not only going to and from Rogers High School, but also by tourist traffic/vehicles as entry ways into the Ocean Drive area; NOW, THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED, that the City of Newport Public Services, ITC, and Police Departments expand their study and installation of traffic calming solutions as employed in the area around the Pell School to include Harrison and Ruggles Avenues.

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