



City of South Pasadena

Traffic-Calming Request and Petition for Residential Streets

This form is intended only to resolve traffic issues on streets that are classified as local residential or collector streets in the General Plan of South Pasadena.

The City of South Pasadena is committed to providing effective and efficient municipal services to our community while preserving the city's small town character. Part of that commitment is responding to residents who are concerned about traffic issues in their neighborhood. The City's approach consists of an evaluation of the traffic issue and finding a solution in the most cost efficient manner. Since traffic-calming measures will affect local residential neighborhoods, traffic-calming investigations will be community-driven to the extent that a degree of consensus must be obtained before the City will expend resources to evaluate traffic issues. The City takes all concerns seriously and strives to respond as expeditiously as possible.

Traffic-calming measures range from increased enforcement by police, such pavement markings as bike lanes, to installation of medians or chicanes. Any steps that are taken to mitigate or alleviate traffic related problems are referred to as traffic-calming measures. A STOP sign is not a traffic-calming measure that will be reviewed as part of the Traffic-Calming Policy, there is a different processes concerning the installation of STOP signs.

To start the investigation of a traffic issue, a resident must fill out a Traffic-Calming Investigation Request & Petition, which can be found at the Public Works Department or on the City's website, <http://www.ci.south-pasadena.ca.us/forms.html>. This form must be completed and have the required amount of signatures from residents in the investigation area. The required amount signatures are two thirds of addresses in affected area. This area includes the residents on the street in question and secondary streets (Public Works can help identify the secondary streets. Once the form and petition are completed, the resident turns the completed documents into the Public Works Department and this will initiate the investigate.

Main Contact Person(s) Information Below

Name:		Address:			
Phone:		Fax:		E-mail:	
Area (Streets & Intersections of concern) :					
What are your concerns? :					
Other comments or photos (can be attached on a separate sheet):					

