Manhattan Community Board Input Regarding Intersections in Need of Pedestrian Safety and Traffic Calming Measures

This list of preliminary locations were identified by the Community Boards for discussion at the Manhattan Borough Service Cabinet level and submitted to the Mayor’s Vision Zero Task Force on January 30, 2014 for further attention and analysis. Because each Community Board used its own criteria to develop its list, this cumulative list of intersections may contain areas where there are objective reasons for concerns and/or subjective reasons for concern. Some reasons given by Community Boards for inclusion of certain locations on their lists include, but are not limited to: site of pedestrian fatality or injury, speeding, signal timing issues, enforcement, crossing times and vehicle turns. This list is not meant to be exhaustive or definitive, and was not voted on by the Borough Board, but represents community input to help inform the Task Force work ahead.

Community Board 1

1. South End Avenue at Liberty, Rector, and West Thames Street
2. Battery Place and First Place (the area in front of PS 276)
3. North End Avenue between Chambers and Vesey Street and Warren Street between North End Avenue and West Street (between PS 89 and Ball Fields)
4. South End Avenue in Front of Gateway Plaza (crossing problems at turn off Liberty Street onto South End Avenue up to the turn into the Gateway complex)
5. Vesey Street (north-south crossing on the west side of the bridge)
6. Water Street - southern portion
7. Church Street at Vesey and Liberty Streets
8. Route 9A/Westside Highway at Battery Tunnel area
9. South Street at Beekman Street & Peck Slip
10. Hudson Street at Beech, Laight, and Vestry Streets near Holland Tunnel
11. Water Street and Hanover Square
12. West Street at Albany and Vesey Streets
13. Beekman and Spruce Streets (intersection with 2 schools, Pace University, NY-Presbyterian/Lower Manhattan Hospital, large construction project)
14. Fulton and Beekman Streets
15. Pearl Street, south of the Brooklyn Bridge (including where it becomes St. James Place)

Community Board 2

1. West Houston Street and 6th Avenue
2. 7th Avenue South at Carmine, Varick, and Clarkson Streets
3. Downing, Bleecker Street, and 6th Avenue
Community Board 3

1. Delancey Street north and Pitt Street
2. Delancey and Allen Streets
3. Delancey and Chrystie Streets (south side)
4. Chrystie and Houston Streets (south and east sides)
5. Delancey and Bowery Streets (east side)
6. Essex and Delancey Streets
7. Clinton and Delancey Streets
8. 2nd Avenue and Houston Street
9. Avenue A and Houston Street

Community Board 4

1. West 42nd Street and 9th Avenue
2. West 57th Street and 9th Avenue
3. West 42nd Street and 8th Avenue
4. West 45th Street and 9th Avenue

Community Board 5

1. 7th Avenue between 32nd Street and 42nd Street

Community Board 6

1. 57th Street and 1st Avenue
2. 23rd Street and 1st Avenue
3. 34th Street and Lexington Avenue

Community Board 7

1. West 96th Street and Broadway
2. Riverside Drive and West 79th Street
3. Broadway/Columbus Avenue and West 65th Street
4. Southeast corner of 110th Street Broadway

Community Board 8

1. Park Avenue Between 95th Street and 96th Street
Community Board 8 (continued)

2. Streets around Ed Koch-Queensboro Bridge Between East 59th and East 65th Streets
3. East 72nd and 3rd Avenue
4. Park Avenue Between 95th Street and 96th Street
5. East 60th and 3rd Avenue

Community Board 9

1. Morningside Avenue and West 124th Street

Community Board 10

1. Morningside Avenue (including Hancock Place) especially near PS 180 (120th Street)
2. Adam Clayton Powell Jr. Blvd (135th, 145th Street), especially speeding to and from both bridges
3. Mount Morris Park West
4. 125th Street and Malcolm X Boulevard (Lenox Avenue)

Community Board 11

1. Park Avenue between 110th and 112th Streets
2. Pleasant Village, around East River Plaza
3. Park Avenue between 111th-102nd Streets (stone frame under tunnel reduces pedestrian visibility of oncoming traffic)
4. East 96th Street between Park Avenue and 5th Avenue - approach into Central Park

Community Board 12

1. Dyckman Street and Broadway
2. Aububon Avenue and West 176 Street
3. Broadway at West 168th Street and 169th Street
4. West 207th Street and Post Avenue