Daniel V. Jerram First Selectman



Town Hall 530 Main Street Post Office Box 316 New Hartford, CT 06057

Tom Lamb Connecticut Department of Transportation 359 South Main Street Thomaston, CT 06787 May 29, 2012

RE: Route 44 / Wicket Street Intersection

Dear Mr. Lamb:

Over the past several days I have received several complaints from residents about the safety of the intersection listed above. Wickett Street (at Route 44) provides the sole means of egress on Route 44 to roughly 50 homes, a 50,000 square foot multi-tenant commercial/industrial building and New Hartford Elementary School (a 25,000 square foot school housing roughly 100 kids per day).



There have been many accidents at this location including a recent crash on Friday, May 25, 2012 that damaged the controls of the signal. The signal light remains in caution mode (blinking yellow on Route 44 and red Wickett Street). I would like to meet with you to discuss what type of actions the State could take to improve safety at this location. Please contact my assistant Christine Hayward (860-379-3389) at your earliest convenience to set up a time to meet.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

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Sincerely,

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