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Safety committee hearing on March 1, 2016 6PM

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Eva Prior

Thank you for your phone call to me this day regarding myself appearing as a delegation in reference to a dangerous crosswalk not noticed by many drivers who find themselves upon the crosswalk before they may notice a pedestrian waiting to cross or crossing at mentioned crosswalk at Parker and Madison.

The problem arises from no noticeable lit up overhead crosswalk sign and or pedestrian control buttons such as other locations have, and the early morning darkness and drivers rushing to their destination.

The other problem is coming up Parker heading east on a hill drivers cannot see any marked crosswalk until they are entering the intersection which does not allow them time to stop for a crossing pedestrian. The drivers heading in a westerly direction come up over a rise in the road then suddenly may find someone attempting to cross at the last moment in the crosswalk.

There is a day care in a church on Madison at Parker as well the cover of early morning darkness adds to safety concerns spoken about.

Even though I am not a public speaker, I will attend at Burnaby City Hall and if my concern mentioned can be made safer for the pedestrians crossing at that location, I will be pleased to attend.

Sincerely

Warren Dollery