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MOTION

WE MOVE for the City Administration to provide a report to City Council regarding feasible safety solutions to the current dangerous situation at District 2 headquarters where our officers and civilians must dodge traffic to cross Erie Avenue to get to and from the District 2 Police Headquarters building to their vehicles. There is no crosswalk or light on Erie Avenue at the point of crossing.

WE MOVE further that the City Administration provide a report on parking solutions for District 2 personnel as well as visitor parking at District 2 headquarters.

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STATEMENT

It goes without saying that we want our officers and civilians to be safe. Officers at District 2 headquarters, as well as visitors, must find parking spaces on a busy street, Erie Avenue. Several city and civilian vehicles have been hit as they move from street parking spaces into traffic. Even more concerning is the dangerous practice of pedestrians -- both officers and civilians -- running across Erie Avenue to get to their cars. A crosswalk and streetlight on Erie Avenue in front of the headquarters would help to ameliorate the immediate danger to pedestrians, and on-site parking for District 2 personnel and visitors would create a longer term solution.