



The City of Glenarden

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Prince George's County Council
Wayne K. Curry Administration Building
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To: Jolene Ivey, District 5 County Council Member
CC: All Prince George's County Council Members

Subject: Installation of Stop Sign Enforcement Cameras within Glenarden

The City of Glenarden seeks County Council's approval for installation of Stop Sign Enforcement Cameras, with respect to the requirements outlined in [HB364](#).

Traffic Safety is a dangerous problem near the schools of Glenarden. With flagrant disregard for stop signs, drivers are putting the lives of children and other pedestrians at risk. With multiple automated enforcement stop sign cameras, Glenarden will be able to provide 24/7 city-wide deterrence to stop unsafe drivers and dramatically improve the safety of our community. This also frees up police officer hours & time to focus on higher, more critical issues.

Our municipality has collected traffic study data across multiple intersections to quantify the severity of the problem and collect video evidence: this has helped us draw the conclusion there is **high risk** across multiple areas in the city, and **we would like to request a resolution for approval from the County Council for our desire to install 10 cameras across the City of Glenarden.**

Requests for Cameras at the Following Locations:

- 1. Smithview Place & Sir Michael Place
- 2. Gleaton Park and Sir Michael Place
- 3. Glenarden Parkway & Echols Ave NB
- 4. Glenarden Parkway & Johnson Ave NB
- 5. Glenarden Parkway & Fiske SB
- 6. Johnson Ave & Glenardan Pkwy WB

The below summarizes the number of traffic studies we've done to understand the rate of violations:

Study #1: Smithview Place & Sir Michael Place; enforce on cars driving Southbound on Smithview Place

- Number of Vehicles Per Day: 2,056
- Number of Stop Sign Violators / Day: 1,925
- Useful Links: [Streetview Link](#), [Video Evidence Link](#)

Study #2: Gleaton Park and Sir Michael Place, enforce on cars driving Northbound on Gleaton Park

- Number of Vehicles Per Day: 86
- Number of Stop Sign Violators / Day: 77
- Useful Links: [Streetview Link](#), [Video Evidence Link](#)

Study #3: Glenarden Parkway & Echols Ave NB, enforce on cars driving Northbound on Glenarden Parkway

- Number of Vehicles Per Day: 232
- Number of Stop Sign Violators / Day: 206
- Useful Links: [Streetview Link](#), [Video Evidence Link](#)

Study #4: Glenarden Parkway & Johnson Ave NB, enforce on cars driving Northbound on Glenarden Parkway

- Number of Vehicles Per Day: 340
- Number of Stop Sign Violators / Day: 257
- Useful Links: [Streetview Link](#), [Video Evidence Link](#)

Study #5: Glenarden Parkway & Fiske SB, enforce on cars driving Southbound on Glenarden Parkway

- Number of Vehicles Per Day: 331
- Number of Stop Sign Violators / Day: 254
- Useful Links: [Streetview Link](#), [Video Evidence Link](#)

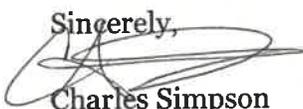
Study #6: Johnson Ave & Glenardan Pkwy WB, enforce on cars driving Westbound on Glenarden Parkway

- Number of Vehicles Per Day: 108
- Number of Stop Sign Violators / Day: 73
- Useful Links: [Streetview Link](#), [Video Evidence Link](#)

We see hundreds of violations a day – any one of these can result in a tragic incident if not prevented. This letter seeks approval from Prince George’s County Council to quickly authorize the placement of stop sign enforcement cameras in our jurisdiction. This will not only improve public safety in Glenarden, but contribute to driver deterrence across all of Prince George’s County.

Let’s Drive Safer.

Sincerely,



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