



From the Offices of the Traffic Engineer  
and the Chief of Police  
City Hall

**CITY OF LA CROSSE  
BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS  
Findings & Orders:**

May 17, 2018

(X) ESTABLISHING ( ) AMENDING ( ) VACATING

TYPE OF ALTERATION: Midblock Crosswalk

GENERAL LOCATION: 1500 block Vine St

Report:

A request and application were received to investigate the 1500 block of Vine Street for a possible midblock crosswalk.

Upon observing the site, it is noted that UW-L is sole owner of properties on both sides of the street. The south side is a parking lot, while the north side is a theater. This generates substantial pedestrian traffic, which is reasonably expected to take the most direct path, crossing midblock. The most conspicuous, accommodating option is a signed, marked crosswalk with ramps. It is therefore recommended to establish a midblock crosswalk.

**WHEREAS**, Section 44-39 of the City of La Crosse Municipal Code of Ordinances provides that after obtaining a report and recommendation of the Traffic Engineer, the Chief of Police shall forward recommendations and appropriate orders to the Board of Public Works.

**AND WHEREAS**, the Findings of the Traffic Engineer state the public interest, convenience, and necessity, the Chief of Police hereby Orders the above traffic alterations, to wit:

- Establish Midblock Crosswalk in 1500 block of Vine Street.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the Board of Public Works hereby approves the aforementioned traffic alteration, and City staff is hereby authorized to effect said changes.

Matthew A. Gallager  
Assistant City Engineer

Ronald J. Tischer  
Chief of Police

Date Filed: 2018-05-17

BPW Approval: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Presiding Officer