October 20, 2025 Special Town Meeting Article 4

Appropriate for Intersection Improvement Analyses Frequently Asked Questions



Why is Children's Hospital providing funds to the Town for this?

The Planning Board issued a Major Project Special Permit to Children's Hospital for its development at 360 First Avenue with a required payment of \$25,000 for the traffic signal warrant analysis and roadway safety audit of the Kendrick Street and 4th Avenue intersection.

How will the Town expend the funds?

Safety and operational issues have been identified at this intersection. A signal warrant includes a collection of traffic counts representing typical traffic to determine if conditions are met to justify the installation of a traffic signal. If appropriated, these funds will be used by the Department of Public Works to complete the signal warrant analysis at Kendrick and 4th.

Why is Town Meeting action required?

Town Meeting action is required to appropriate the funds for their intended purpose.