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Honorary Mayor and Common Council Members  
City Clerks Office  
730 Washington Avenue  
Racine, WI 53403

Dear Honorary Mayor and Common Council Members,

I am writing to request the installation of sidewalks in front of Dr. Jones Elementary School in Racine. A significant number of children are transported to school by their families which requires that student drop-off and pick-up occur on Chicory Road. The children forego a dangerous journey in their attempt to make it into the school safely. There are no sidewalks, no pedestrian crosswalk and no crossing guard. Many children and their family members have sustained injuries resulting from their attempted travel along the shoulder of the road and along the ditches. One child has been hit by a car.

We need to ensure that the approximately 500 children who attend Dr. Jones Elementary School can arrive in their school safely. The installation of sidewalks will enable them to do so.

The education of our children is extremely important. However safety must precede that education in order for our children to arrive at institutions of learning unharmed.

Thank you for your prompt anticipated response in addressing the safety of our communities children.

Sincerely,

  
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