

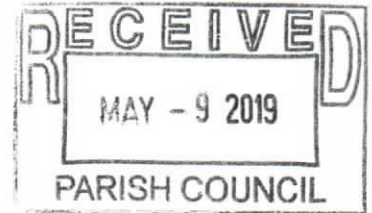


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Ms. Michelle Impastato, Council Secretary
St. Charles Parish
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Re: Request to Install Advanced Warning Flashers on Eastbound US 90 in Advance of the Traffic Signal at LA 632 in St. Charles Parish.

Dear Ms. Impastato,

This is in response to St. Charles Parish Council Resolution No. 6377, which requested the installation of Advanced Warning Flashers on eastbound US 90 in advance of the traffic signal at LA 632. Signal Ahead warning signs were installed on the US 90 approaches to LA 632. A review of Department policy indicates that the signs may be supplemented with flashing beacons on an approach to a traffic signal where a crash history of three or more correctable crashes associated with the advanced warning exists for the last 12 months of record. A review of the crash history since the installation of the traffic signal in September 2018 did not reveal a crash history that would warrant the installation of the flashing beacons. Therefore, the installation of flashing beacons to supplement the Signal Ahead warning signs is not recommended at this time.

Thank you for your interest in the safe operation of Louisiana's highways. Please call if you have any questions or need any additional information.

Sincerely,

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District Engineer Administrator

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cc: Honorable Gary Smith
Honorable Gregory Miller
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