

## Sherry Shlagman

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**Cc:** Greg Jackson; Bill Jacob  
**Subject:** Public Comment for the Village Board meeting scheduled for 04/12/2022.

These comments are on behalf of Gerald Tousey, 1853 Checker Rd. He is out of town and can not be present at the meeting but wanted to share this:

A while back I was passed on checker headed East taking daughter to school, and like so many of those days I had collected a train of cars behind me (it became a game with my daughter to see how many we could collect trailing us before we got to Arlington Heights rd.). This day we had only 5, and my daughter was disappointed because we usually had double digits, but I told her one more was coming as I noticed a car gaining on us from some ways back, but I also noticed he didn't appear to be slowing so told Bri to get her camera ready, and sure enough this car passed all of us (6 cars) very fast and going up the hill just before Arlington Heights rd. Bri got picture so I called Sheriff office when I got home and when deputy came I told him what happened and gave him pictures. He left told me he would let me know, and to his word came back about 45 minutes later and told me the story: The driver was a resident of Long Grove (not a shock to me), and what made the story significant was that the wife, who had answered the door, when hearing the officer explain why he was there and her husband not denying the violation (passing in a marked no passing zone – couldn't get for speeding because officers have to get that on radar) became very upset. **The reason she became so angry as the officer told me (smiling) was that the wife sits on the committee in Long Grove to address traffic issues!**

**If the spouse of someone in Long Grove who professes to be concerned with traffic issues can drive our roads with such disregard for the safety of others, what do you expect from other Long Grove officials who look at our situation as nothing more than an obstacle to achieve their goal of getting to their destination as quickly as possible.**

I have been passed so many times on Schaeffer and Checker I have lost count, and most times by myself so unable to get a pic of the car to turn in to sheriff, but **the story above is a perfect example of why no meaningful measures have been taken to curb the traffic issues. It is apparent that to disrupt the ability of most of the Long Grove community to move with out restriction down Checker and Schaefer roads, and by "move" I mean speed and run the stop sign, is not something that the board would ever be willing to do.** Because I sit in a perfect observation point from my house and have been working at home, as many others these past 2 years, I can say without a doubt that most of the worst violators at the stop sign are coming down Checker from the West, and those are not the "cut-thru" drivers.

Good luck getting anything done about the traffic issues – I've come to the conclusion that you are asking the thieves to help improve the security on the bank they want to rob.....lol

Gerald