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Ms. Margaret Forgione
Manhattan Borough Commissioner
New York City Department of Transportation
59 Maiden Lane, 37th Floor
New York, New York 10038

Re: Pedestrian Signal at W. 22nd Street and 11th Avenue

Dear Commissioner Forgione:

Manhattan Community Board 4 (CB4) requests the installation of a pedestrian signal at the South East corner of W. 22nd Street and 11th Avenue facing the 22nd Street pedestrian crossing, to allow pedestrians to cross safely.

Currently the pedestrian signal is missing at this location. From 1996 to 2008 there were 10 crashes at that intersection, resulting in 7 pedestrian injuries.

In recent years, the volume of pedestrians using this intersection has grown significantly, with the rezoning of West Chelsea. The High line and the Hudson River Park attract larger crowds.

We appreciate your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Corey Johnson
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