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DIRECTOR

June 13, 2025

Joseph A. Rizk
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Dear Joseph Rizk:

Thank you for your letter dated June 3, 2025, concerning signalization at the southbound I-75 exit ramp at M-57 in Genesee County. The Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) is committed to providing a reliable and safe transportation system to the motoring public.

As you recall from previous correspondence, to be considered for a signal, an intersection must meet at least one warrant as described in the Michigan Manual on Uniform Control Devices (MMUTCD), which is "approved by the Federal Highway Administration as the National Standard" for traffic signage, pavement markings, construction zone traffic control, among many others, including traffic signals. The warrants cover items such as traffic volumes, pedestrian movements, school proximity, coordinating between nearby signals, crash history, overall roadway network and proximity to railroad crossings. The warrants in the MMUTCD are given as a minimum threshold for considering a signal.

MDOT is currently in the process of completing an updated signal study for the southbound I-75 exit ramp at M-57. Like previous studies at this location, the intersection meets the warrant for traffic volumes on M-57, but does not meet thresholds for the remaining warrants. The data collected has been reviewed by our Bay Region office and passed on to our Signals Operations Unit in Lansing. It is expected that the intersection will be evaluated further and a determination will be made later this summer. Once complete, a copy of the evaluation memo will be provided to Vienna Township.

Thank you again for contacting us. If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact either me or Trevor Block, Davison Transportation Service Center (TSC) Manager, at 989-574-7708.

Sincerely,

E-SIGNED by Bradley C. Wieferich, P.E.
on 2025-06-11 15:36:05 EDT

Bradley C. Wieferich, P.E.
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cc: T. Block, Davison TSC Manager