

1 **Transportation Planning Committee**

**Item #: 18**

2  
3 October 3, 2012

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5 Ms. Margaret Forgione  
6 Manhattan Borough Commissioner  
7 55 Water Street  
8 New York, New York 10041  
9 New York City Department of Transportation

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11 **Re: Pedestrian signal at W. 22<sup>nd</sup> Street and 11<sup>th</sup> Avenue**

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13 Dear Commissioner Forgione:

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

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19 Currently the pedestrian signal is missing at this location. From 1996 to 2008 there were  
20 10 crashes at that intersection, resulting in 7 pedestrian injuries.

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

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26 We appreciate your attention to this matter.

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28 Sincerely,