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**Subject:** SR106664 / WR43162 Sun Lake Blvd. @ County Line Rd.

Mr. Hammerl-

Hillsborough County no longer has funding for the traffic calming program (driver feedback signs, speed humps, etc.). These are no longer tools that we install. We were finding mixed results with their use. The driver feedback signs would lose their effectiveness over time, as they are intended for temporary use only. Speed humps have been found to actually make people drive faster than on roads that do not have them. The thought is that they speed up to make up for the time they slow down to go over the hump.

I have conducted a field investigation and found that multiple attempts have been made to curb speeding in this area. The existing speed limit signs have enhanced conspicuity measures, and speed limit pavement messages have been installed. At this point I am recommending coordinating with law enforcement, and will be contacting them on your behalf. They will contact you regarding this request. If you would like to discuss this matter further please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

**Jeremy Leuschke, PE**

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