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Berlin City Clerk

I am writing to you about the chaotic traffic flow during school days 6:30am to 3:30 pm on Willard Street which needs some attention.

The city installed "no parking during school days" green signs 17 years ago ending on Carl Street. ...then the fun began.....calls to BPD to write up tickets...meeting with the BPD and Principle at BHS..... didn't amount to anything until my new next door neighbor complained to BPD about her traffic flow issues regarding the toddlers living in her care....e.g. pedestrian hazardous traffic running back and forth between buses and cars ...turning in driveways without a thought of toddlers who might be are around the corners ...ignoring one lane traffic exit to Madison Ave.... by everyone except the US Post Office ..resulting in hazardous behavior.

Perhaps it is time to conduct a brain storm session with Berlin Police Department...School Department ...Public Works and neighbors to resolve this long forgotten and ignored issue. The BPD have been very helpful and instrumental in our quest for a solution to our concerns. Officer Gendron Officer Theriault along with their supervisor took action immediately ... letters sent to parents... BPD dropped off yellow cones on both sides of Willard St ending on Carl St @ 6 am and picked them up @4pm for 3wks ...I couldn't believe it!! But soon cars were back and traffic cars turning around on the one way street back to Willard St etc.... so that's why I am asking for help! Thank you for your attention and I hope to hear from you soon...winter is coming and that is a scary scene...believe it !

Sincerely yours,  
Priscilla Gemmiti

