

To: Minneapolis City Council
Minneapolis Public Works

From: Minneapolis Pedestrian Advisory Committee

Date: July 11, 2018

Subject: A Resolution of Support for Rainbow Crosswalk.

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The Pedestrian Advisory Committee fully supports Twin Cities Pride's request to make the rainbow crosswalks in the Loring Park neighborhood permanent. The LGBTQ+ community does not exist just for one weekend; they deserve to be celebrated all year.

We further request that Public Works and CPED/Public Art work together to develop a sincerely accessible, more reasonable process that facilitates neighborhood requests to express community identity through crosswalk art, paint the pavement and sidewalk art. We give up too much of our humanity to the sterile concrete of roadways. Crosswalk art reaffirms that people have a place in our streets.