



**FW PUBLIC WORKS**

# Traffic Engineering

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GENERAL  
INFORMATION

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## SPEED BUMPS

The City of Fort Wayne does not install speed bumps on public streets as a traffic calming method.

The climate to maintain speed bumps in Fort Wayne, Indiana is unfavorable for maintenance. Plows used by the City Street Department and local public agencies will either damage speed bumps or snow plow trucks and equipment, and therefore are not installed or allowed by the city. As well, speed bumps may reduce emergency response time or damage vehicles.

Speed Bumps also present a liability to the city if not maintained or marked properly. The effectiveness of Speed Bumps should be limited to private property only.

Therefore, speed bumps are allowed on private property, parking lots or drives not owned or maintained by the city. Placing speed bumps may help control traffic on private property and do not require approval from Public Works.

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