

**A Resolution to Add a Crosswalk to North Willow Avenue**

- Whereas,** Many Tennessee Tech students who live on or near North Willow Avenue at Tech Village and surrounding off-campus apartments located between 7<sup>th</sup> Street and 12<sup>th</sup> Street often walk to campus **and,**
- Whereas,** Many Tennessee Tech students illegally cross North Willow Avenue from Tech Village and the surrounding apartment complexes **and,**
- Whereas,** The nearest crosswalk is located at Tech Village, but does not have any traffic lights, **and,**
- Whereas,** The nearest crosswalk with traffic lights is located at the intersection of North Willow Ave. and University Dr., **and,**
- Whereas,** It is necessary for the safety of students, that a crosswalk be put in place near their common path of travel which is at the 7<sup>th</sup> Street, 8<sup>th</sup> Street, and 9<sup>th</sup> Street locations, **and,**

**BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, on this 29<sup>th</sup> day of March 2021, the Student Government Association requests a crosswalk be added to the intersection of North Willow Avenue and West 9<sup>th</sup> Street. In addition to the crosswalk addition, we request that traffic control lights also be added to make the intersection safer for students to cross. If a crosswalk is unable to be installed at the intersection of North Willow Avenue and West 9th Street, we request one be installed at the intersection of North Willow Avenue and West 7th Street, where a traffic control light system is already in place. The crosswalk should include curb ramps, pavement markings, and any other ADA recommendations for crosswalks. This resolution should be forwarded to the appropriate officials for the city of Cookeville.**

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