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Mrs. Randy Hill, Dir. Public Works
 1459 Washington St.
 Muscatine, Ia 52761
 R.E. Colorado St. Renovation Project

Dear Mrs. Hill,

First of all, you have done a great job with the city. I am unable to attend the City Council meeting on Colorado Street. But I want my voice and concerns to be heard. I hope that you will do that! Colorado Street is a disaster waiting to happen! Temp fixes to potholes, etc. are a help but only on a short-term basis. It's like putting a band-aid on a serious wound!

I have lived at Colorado Park Apts for almost a year and I walk up + down Colorado 2-3 times a day. So I know first-hand!

You have MCC, Colo. School, 3 apt complexes, and Weed Park. Yet, there are no sidewalks! Kids and people walking up + down. What's wrong with this picture? You have lots of cars, semis (a no-no) driving way over the speed limit, but little or no police presence. Also dead animals on roadway which takes forever to be picked up. When you walk to + fro, you have to watch + walk very carefully. One wrong step and you are in a ditch. And at night, forget it! Cars still rushing by, sometimes no lights. It's downright dangerous!

I hope you pass my concerns on to the powers that be. PLEASE!
 Thank you for your time!

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