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I've been working in probate for 3 years, and until a year ago, my desk overlooked the Osceola and Court St intersection. There have been a lot of close calls and potential accidents. These are some observations I've made. I have photos that I took during my lunch hour on Friday, 4-7-23. When traffic is heavy (especially during spring break and on Fridays), people drive south in the center lane (oncoming traffic) to make a double right turn onto Court St. I propose turning the northbound traffic into one lane, and make southbound traffic 2 lanes from Franklin to Court St to allow this to be done legally. If this cannot be done, then I propose putting a median between the lanes, although I suspect the larger vehicles will just drive over it. There also is a major issue with people cutting through the parking lot to exit onto Court St. The vehicles avoiding the intersection back up, and the employees have to wait to exit the lot. Bicycles and skateboarders also cut through. This creates a hazard for those of us who park in the employee lot. If this is not the correct department to contact, would you kindly point me in the right direction?

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