

## Traverse City West Junior High

### SCHOOL PROPERTY ASSESSMENT

Observe the areas around entrances of buildings, the drop-off/loading areas, biking facilities, etc. Consider the following and note what you observe and suggest for each.

1. Students exiting/entering cars are protected from other vehicles.

Yes       No      NOTES:

For example:

- Students step onto a raised sidewalk
- Students don't exit from the car onto a street
- Students don't have to cross through a parking lot
- Students don't have to walk between other vehicles

2. Students exiting/entering buses are protected from other vehicles.

Yes       No      NOTES:

For example:

- Students step onto a raised sidewalk
- Students don't have to cross through a parking lot
- Students don't have to walk between other vehicles

3. Students who walk or bike have safe routes off the road while on school grounds.

Yes       No      NOTES:

For example:

- There are sidewalks and/or separated pathways
- The grounds are free of conflicting driveways

4. Students who walk or bike are protected from vehicles as they approach/leave the school entrance.

Yes       No      NOTES:

For example:

- Walkers and bikers have a separate entrance
- Walkers and bikers don't have to cross through cars to enter or exit
- Walkers and bikers have a separate dismissal time

5. Sidewalks, driveways and pathways on school property are properly maintained in all seasons.

Yes       No      NOTES:

For example:

- The sidewalks, driveways and pathways are not cracked or broken
- Leaves and snow are removed regularly
- The sidewalks, driveways and pathways are swept regularly

6. Traffic flows smoothly and efficiently in and out of the driveway.

Yes

No

NOTES:

For example:

- Congested or not congested

7. All drivers have an unobstructed view of pedestrians and bicyclists around the entrances and the school building.

Yes

No

NOTES:

For example:

- There are no blind driveways
- They are no visible barriers such as signage, walls or other impediments

8. The school property is well-lit.

Yes

No

NOTES:

9. There are bicycle-parking facilities on the school grounds.

Yes

No

NOTES:

10. There are enough spaces in which to park bikes.

Yes

No

NOTES:

11. The location of the bike parking structure (bike rack, shed, etc.) is within reasonable proximity to entrances/exits.

Yes

No

NOTES:

12. The bike parking structure can be viewed for security purposes from within the building.

Yes

No

NOTES:

13. Students can properly secure their bicycles to the bike parking structure.

Yes

No

NOTES:

14. The bike parking facilities are covered to protect bicycles from weather.

Yes

No

NOTES:

15. Any other observations: