I am a family nurse practitioner in Oakes, ND and a mother of 3. The thought of the stoplight being removed from our town is disheartening. The safety of our students and community members is of the utmost importance and the stoplight will help assist with this. I have witnessed several accounts over the past 12 years of living here where there are near misses at this location. These near misses may end up being true accidents and detrimental events if the stoplight is removed. This is a busy highway especially with semi-trucks, delivery trucks, etc. Please help us keep our stoplight to ensure our current and future community members stay safe.

Sincerely, Denise Erlandson