Given the City of Warren's status as a rural community with minimal amounts of traffic, the city in accordance with Marshall County and the Minnesota Department of Transportation has decided to implement traffic signs over signals to keep its energy usage fixed in regards to transportation to meet the expectations of Best Practice No. 4, Action 4. As a result of this decision, the City of Warren technically meets the criteria for 1-3 Stars; the decision to prioritize signage over signals has allowed for the coordination and synchronization of the signage and optimization of timing to minimize car idling without compromising the safety or legal vehicle speeds.

ⁱ BP No. 4, Action 4