



## **Council Committee Notes – Streets, Sidewalks and Playgrounds**

**Date:** May 13, 2010 **Time:** 3:30 PM **Location:** Town Hall **Chair:** Councilmember Barbara Robertson **Attendees:** Councilmember Robertson, Town Manager Tom Saunders, Community Development Strategist Susan Cockrell, Public Works Superintendent Franklin Carter

### **Notes on Discussions:**

1. The Committee discussed the regulation of “net drives” in the Town as a type of fund raising and the lack of any stated policy concerning them. Staff agreed to draft a set of guidelines for the Committee to consider at its next meeting.
2. Susan Cockrell gave an update on the status of maintenance at the town playground. Replacement rubber mulch has been ordered and mats to be placed at the areas of heaviest wear.
3. Susan
4. TM Saunders reported that he is still waiting for a final quote for signs to be placed on Main Street near Waverly Ave that will say “Marina” with an arrow that points toward the boat basin.
5. TM Saunders reported he has received numerous complaints about the number of large trucks that go through Town rather than use the by-pass. He also reported that he has been given assurances that if the Town were to ask the Lancaster County Board of Supervisors to request that Main Street from James B. Jones Memorial Highway on the north to Harris Drive on the south be designated as No Through Trucks Allowed, the request would almost certainly be approved. The Committee decided to recommend to Council that such a change be sought.

### **Recommendations to Council:**

- Ask the Lancaster County Board of Supervisors to request VDOT to designate Main Street (Rt 3) from James B. Jones Memorial Highway on the north to Harris Drive on the south as a “No Through Trucks” or “No Through Tractor-Trailers” highway.

### **Recommended for further study:**

- Investigate rear lot line fencing of the playground.
- Finalize arrangements for Marina signs.