DISTRICT #4

VILLAGE OF LOMBARD REQUEST FOR BOARD OF TRUSTEES ACTION

For Inclusion on Board Agenda

X	Resolution or Ordinance (Blue)Waiver of First Requested Recommendations of Boards, Commissions & Committees (Green) Other Business (Pink)		
TO:	PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES		
FROM:	David A. Hulseberg, Village Manager		
DATE:	October 27, 2010 (COW) (B of T) Date: November 4, 2010		
TITLE:	Recommendations from the Transportation and Safety Committee		
SUBMITTED BY:	Frank Kalisik, Civil Engineer 784		
BACKGROUND/PO	OLICY IMPLICATIONS:		
School The Transportation a one side of Charlotte become one-way eas	for Parking and Traffic Restrictions on Certain Streets Near Pleasant Lane and Safety Committee voted to endorse an Ordinance that would limit parking on Street north and south of the Pleasant Lane School and cause Berkshire Avenue to atbound during school hours. FUNDING SOURCE:		
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NOTE:	All materials must be submitted to and approved by the Village Manager's Office by 12:00 noon, Wednesday, prior to the Agenda Distribution.		

Legistar: 100549

Interoffice Memo



To:

David A. Hulseberg, Village Manager

From:

Frank Kalisik, Civil Engineer 71h

Through:

Carl Goldsmith, Public Works Director

Date:

October 25, 2010

Subject:

Transportation and Safety Committee Recommendation

100549; Ordinance for Parking and Traffic Restrictions On Certain Streets Near Pleasant Lane School

Vehicular traffic before and after school continues to be a concern with the Pleasant Lane School administration and is causing congestion issues for local residents. The school is bordered on the south by Pleasant Lane, currently a one-way westbound street during school days and hours, and Berkshire Avenue to the north, Main Street to the west, and Garfield Street to the east, which are all two-way streets. Charlotte Street, also a two-way street, intersects with Pleasant Lane on the south and Berkshire Avenue on the north. With both Pleasant Lane and Berkshire Avenue being utilized as drop-off/pick-up zones, traffic is slightly chaotic and parking on both sides of the adjacent streets (i.e. Charlotte Street) adds to the congestion.

Public Works and Police Department personnel met recently with Principal Stephanie Loth to discuss the issues. During our meeting, it became evident that the school administration was very proactive in mitigating vehicle/pedestrian situations, from mentioning vehicle safety in monthly newsletters to personal interaction between the administration and vehicle operators that exhibited questionable judgment. However, the administration is not satisfied with the results and the Public Works Department has now received traffic congestion complaints.

On October 4, 2010, the Transportation and Safety Committee voted to recommend modifications to the Village Traffic Code. However, to insure the local residents were acceptable to the proposed modifications, a subsequent survey was mailed to each of the affected homeowners. Of the forty-six (46) surveys mailed, three (3) responses were received with two (2) concurring and one (1) negating the proposed modifications; thereby, supporting the Transportation and Safety Committee's following recommendations.

SCHEDULE VIII – PARKING PROHIBITED DURING CERTAIN HOURS ON CERTAIN STREETS

(u) In accordance with Section 10-13-3 and when signs are erected giving notice thereof, no person shall, at any time, park a vehicle in any of the following places between the hours of 7:30 a.m.-8:30 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.-3:30 p.m. on school days upon any of the following streets or parts of streets:

Name of Street	From	То
Add:		
Charlotte Street, East Side	Pleasant Lane	To a point 385 feet South
Add:		
Charlotte Street, West Side	Berkshire Avenue	To a point 385 feet North

SCHEDULE VI - ONE-WAY STREETS

In accordance with Section 10-9-6 and when signs are erected giving notice thereof, drivers of vehicles shall proceed only in the direction designated upon the following streets or portions of streets.

Name of Street	Direction of Traffic Movement	
Add:		
Berkshire Avenue from Main Street to	East	
Charlotte Street between 8:00 am and		
4:00 pm on school days.		

Proposed Pleasant Lane School Traffic Plan Adjustments



