

To:

Chairperson and Transportation and Safety Committee

Through:

Wes Anderson, Director of Public Works

From:

David A. Dratnol, P.E., Village Engineer

Date:

October 31, 2007

Subject:

Preferred Pedestrian School Route Plans

There are seven elementary schools in Lombard. Attached is a poll regarding the existence and use of the Preferred Pedestrian School Route Plans (PPSRP). The PPSRPs are maps prepared in the mid 1990's showing the safe routes to the schools. The plans were made for each school by the Village and a safety committee from each school.

The Village made various improvements based on the plans such as addition of sidewalks, crossing striping and signage. There are safety patrol and crossing guard positions currently designated from the plan. Even though no schools seem to have a copy of their plan, the results of the plans are still in use, such as designated safe crossings and safety patrol routes. Staff could only find a map for one school and some information as to what sidewalks were installed over the years following the creation of the PPSRPs.

It is recommended that a map showing each school's service boundaries be made and the existing crossing guard and safety patrol positions be plotted on the map. Staff would then review the conditions with the schools to determine if improvements and/or changes should be made. This can be done in the spring, with staff updates to the committee in June, 2008.

This item will be on the November 5, 2007 Transportation and Safety Committee agenda. The meeting is held at the Village Hall in the Community Room at 7:00 PM. This is a public meeting and public participation is encouraged.

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Village of Lombard
Traffic and Safety Committee
Elementary Schools
Preffered Pedestrian School Route Plan
Survey

| Nome                      | Address                     | Phone        | Principal                        | Plan | u   | Safety           |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|------|-----|------------------|
|                           | Number                      | 1            |                                  | Have | Use | Committee        |
| District 45               |                             |              |                                  |      |     |                  |
| Westmore School           | 340 S. School Street        | 630-932-6490 | Mr. Dominic Sepich               | no   | no  | yes(PTA)         |
|                           |                             |              | dsepich@d45.org                  |      |     |                  |
| Schafer School            | 700 E. Pleasant Lane        | 630-932-6470 | Mrs. Chris Mazaika-Arado         | ou   | no  | ou               |
|                           |                             |              | cmazaika@d45.dupage.k12.il.us    |      |     |                  |
| District 44               |                             |              |                                  |      | į   |                  |
| Manor Hill School         | 1464 S. Main Street         | 630-827-4300 | Mr. Robert Schulz                | ٤    | 6   | yes(Staff)       |
|                           |                             |              |                                  |      |     |                  |
| Parkview School           | 341 N. Elizabeth Street     | 630-827-4040 | 630-827-4040 Ms. Sandra Dressler | ou   | no  | no               |
|                           |                             |              |                                  |      |     |                  |
| Hammerschmidt School      | 617 S. Hammerschmidt Avenue | 630-827-4200 | Mr. David Danielski              | 3    | ٠.  | ou               |
|                           |                             |              |                                  |      | C   | Crisis Committee |
| Pleasant Lane School      | 401 N. Main Street          | 630-827-4640 | Ms. Stephanie Hartner            | ou   | ż   | 3                |
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| Madison Flementary School | 150 W Madison Street        | 630-827-4100 | 630-827-4100 Ms. Cynthia Cronin  | no   | no  | yes(PTA)         |
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