

**Waterford Citizens Association
Minutes of the Business Meeting
which took place March 6, 2008 at the
John Wesley Church, Waterford, VA
7:30 PM**

OFFICERS PRESENT were Tom Edmonds, President; Ed Lehmann, Secretary; and Ken Dunne, Vice President

GENERAL ATTENDANCE was 26 members of the Waterford Citizens Association

President, Tom Edmonds, took the chair and the Meeting proceeded to business with a call to order.

The minutes of the past meeting were approved.

Visiting speaker: Deputy Lambert of the Sheriff's Office spoke

The deputy discussed traffic control and the Sheriff's Office efforts to enforce the speed limit. In February 2008, 20 tickets were issued. The radar gun program was put on hold by the Sheriff. [The WCA through donations has purchased a radar speed gun.]

Complaints were made about drivers not stopping at stop signs. Another question dealt with speeding on lower Main Street. The Deputy also stated that speed guns are shared and he doesn't get a gun very often. The \$200 fees on tickets are at an officer's discretion.

Announcements: The Waterford PTO is raising money for a new playground at the Elementary School. A motion was made to donate \$400 to the PTO Playground. Motion passed.

Yard Sale: There is interest in organizing a village yard sale. More information will follow.

Traffic

Road Improvements: The Board of Supervisors passed a resolution supporting Waterford's traffic calming plan. VDOT has committed to Phase One by this summer. However, we did not get onto the six year plan. To implement Phase Two will cost \$6 million dollars.

Speed Limits: This will be part of Phase One and will reduce the village and transition road speed limits.

Landscaping: The tree planting date is April 5th. Hopefully sixteen trees will be planted.

Gateway Signs: The Signs are being fabricated.

Funding: Mark Dennicore visited Congress to find out about funding. It wasn't vary encouraging.

Speed Enforcement: A radar gun was purchased through donations. However, the Sheriff isn't support citizen use of speed guns. Speeding data will be gathered to see how bad it will be.

Beautification: Sixteen trees will be planted on April 5th. Volunteers are still needed. Loudoun Mutual will be funding 50% of the costs. A letter will be sent thanking Loudoun Mutual for their support.

Halloween: The WCA will work with the Waterford PTO on getting Second Street closed for Halloween. Ann Belland will look into the permit.

Old School Rebuilding: A question came up whether the WCA should donated to the rebuilding of the Old School.

Ed Lehmann
Secretary