

Waterford Citizens Association
Minutes of the Business Meeting, September 9, 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 27 members of the Waterford Citizens Association

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

Financial statements were reviewed

July 4th activities were reviewed. There was a problem in getting enough volunteers to carry out all of the tasks required. A suggestion was made to use the PTO contact list next year to ask for volunteers

Halloween Road Closing. A permit has been applied for by the PTO to close 2nd and Factory Streets on Halloween for two hours. VDOT has been resisting this effort.

Fall Tree Planting. The next tree planting will be on November 1. Volunteers were needed.

Traffic

- Main Street still has a speeding problem.
- Tom Edmonds, Mark Denicore, and Supervisor Sally Kurtz met with the VDOT district administrator. They found VDOT's attitude toward traffic calming improved.
- The temporary signs warning of upcoming stop signs have been taken down except for the one on Butcher's Row.
- An effort is underway to push for 20mph on all streets in the village. However, additional speed signs will not be added. It is proposed to have a 35mph speed zone before entering the village.
- Stop signs for Factory and High Streets are being considered by VDOT at our request.
- A speed table may provide help in slowing down cars on lower Main Street. However funding is an issue.

- **Speed Gun:** Although the WCA now owns a radar speed gun, it cannot get it authorized for use. The Sheriff has asked the FCC to revoke our license. The FCC asked the WCA to turn the gun in. The WCA has been proving speeder's licenses to the Sheriff Department. However, the Department is against our doing this. The WCA goal is to make sure the repeat offenders are listed in the Sheriff's records.

Nominating Committee: JoEllen Keating is the head of this committee to offer 2009 officer candidates.

WCA BBQ Booth: Only a few more volunteers are needed.

Walkway on Water Street: The WCA is asking for a SAFETEA-LU grant to put a walk on Water Street to the Elementary School.

Next meeting is scheduled for November 18th.

Ed Lehmann
Secretary