



**COMMUNITY AND POLICE ADVISORY COMMITTEE
VILLAGE OF LAKE ZURICH
70 EAST MAIN STREET
April 9th, 2008 AT 7:30 PM
(approved)**



Meeting held at the Lake Zurich Village Hall, 70 East Main Street, Lake Zurich, IL 60047

Present: G. Filenko, T. Vandergrift, J. Schultz, John Ridgeway and M. Brown

Absent: T. Goodyear and Tom Poynton

Visitor(s): Nancy Bourke 177 Pine Tree Row, Lake Zurich IL 60047
Mel Svendsen 759 Huntington, Lake Zurich IL 60047

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 P.M.

New Business

- Resident Nancy Bourke addressed the Committee regarding a problem she is having with parking at her residence on Pine Tree Row. She recently learned that it is a violation of ordinance to park her car even partially on the parkway. She explained that Pine Tree Row is a narrow roadway and there are no restrictions against parking. She said that if she was to park on the street and the neighbor across the street were to park on the street that a Fire Truck could not pass between them. Discussion was held regarding options including, placing gravel on the parkway to allow parking, or restricting parking. Mike Brown indicated that the options to add gravel or sod could lead to damage to the drainage areas. In past cases where a road is found to be too narrow to support parking on both sides the Committee has recommended that parking be restricted on one side of the street. A motion to recommend that the Village Board establish a no parking area on one side of the street on Pine Tree Row (fire hydrant side) was made by Mike Brown and seconded by Jim Shultz. All were in favor and the motion passed.
- Resident Mel Svendsen addressed the Committee regarding restriction of door to door soliciting after darkness. Mr. Svendsen believes that Solicitors should not be allowed to approach homes after darkness. He views this as a safety issue. He believes that safety should be a priority and not before commerce. Discussion ensued regarding the issue. Committee members were concerned if there are legal constraints controlling what restrictions could be made by a municipality. It was also discussed that persons who are under 17 who reside outside the community should be required to obtain permits. The Committee felt that any restrictions should apply to everyone. It was also discussed that during the winter months the sun sets at an early hour and would limit the ability of persons to solicit. Mr. Svendsen requests that the Ordinance be changed to reflect no soliciting after sunset or 7:00 pm whichever occurs first. He feels there should be additional restriction for juveniles who solicit. The Committee members expressed concerns that before any additional restrictions were proposed that we determine if there are any legal guidelines or restrictions in place to prevent the Village from passing further restrictions on soliciting. A Motion was made by John Ridgeway and seconded by Jim Shultz to request the Village Attorney to research what if any legal concerns exist that would limit the Villages ability to restrict soliciting. All were in favor and the motion passed.

- Commander Vandergrift requested the Committee consider further restrictions to parking on all industrial roads. There are issues in which trucks are being parked on village streets and not in business parking areas. There are at least 2 semi-trucks who park all the time on Rose Rd. Many other industrial roads currently have 2 hour parking limits. After discussion Jim Shultz made a motion seconded by John Ridgeway to recommend to the Village Board restricting parking on industrial roadways to 2 hours. All were in favor and the motion passed.

Old Business

- None

Motion to adjourn The meeting adjourned at 8:45 PM.