TRANSPORTATION SAFETY & ADVISORY COMMISSION
CITY OF HARRISONBURG, VIRGINIA

**TO:** Transportation Safety & Advisory Commission Members

**FROM:** Ian Pike, Transportation Systems Specialist

**DATE:** Wednesday March 1, 2017

**RE:** Transportation Safety & Advisory Commission Agenda for Wednesday, March 8, 2017

The Transportation Safety & Advisory Commission will meet on **March 8, 2017 at 8:30AM in Room 011 of City Hall, 409 S Main St.**

*Commission meetings are open to the public and citizens are provided the opportunity to voice their views/concerns about any item before the Commission. It is the policy of the Commission to move relevant agenda items to the beginning of the meeting when citizens are in attendance to avoid detaining them for the entire meeting.*

*Welcome*

*Business*

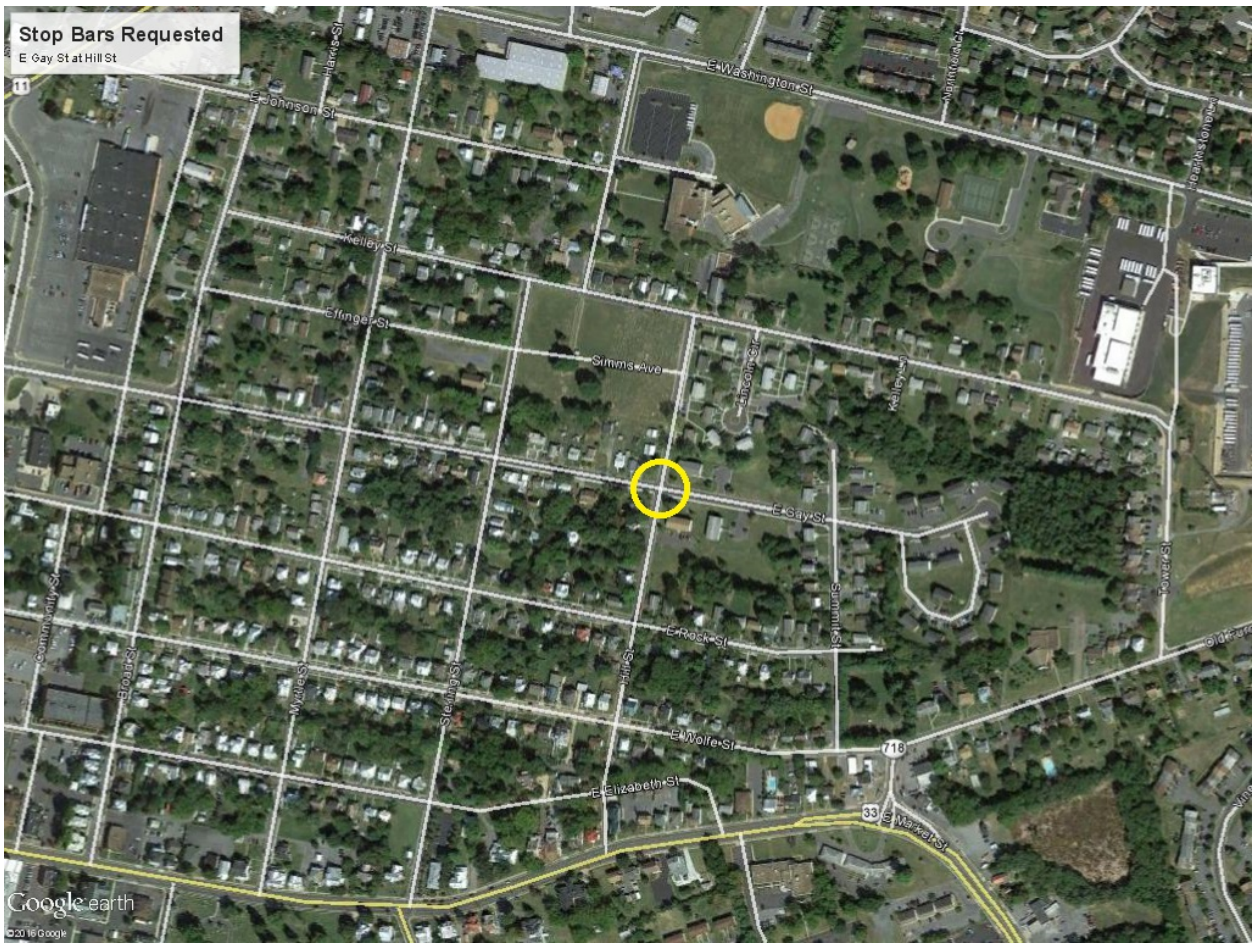
1. **Speed Limit on Peach Grove Ave from southern City Limits to Port Republic Rd**
2. **Speeding on Virginia Ave near VMRC**
3. **Stop Bar Request in Northeast Neighborhood (Attachment A)**
4. **Sidewalks Along Port Republic Rd (Attachment B)**
5. **Sight Distance Issue at Liberty St Parking Lot across from L&S Diner (Attachment C)**
6. **Sight Distance Issue at S Main St and Campbell St (Attachment D)**

*Other Business/ Announcements*

*Adjourn*

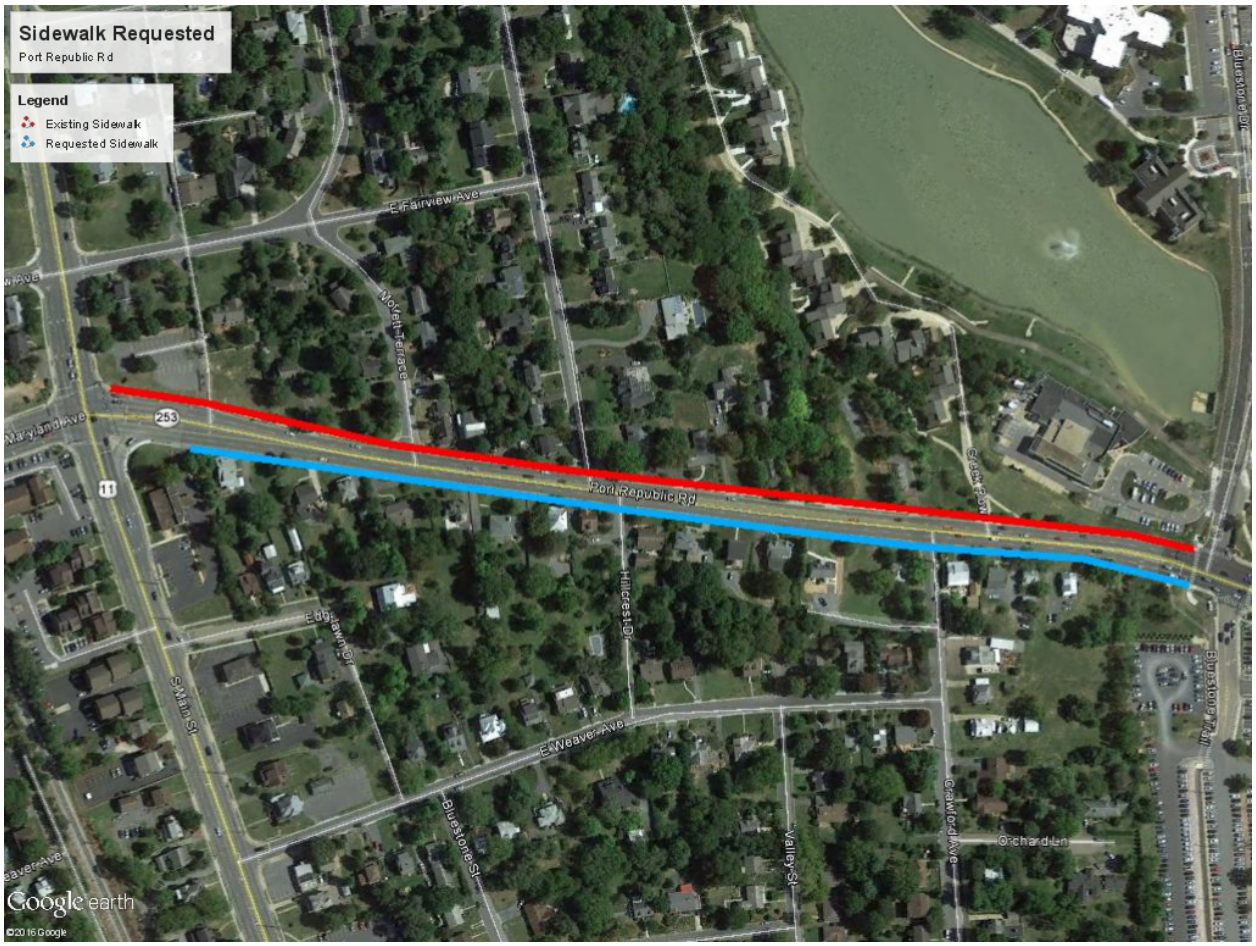
**Attachment A**

Councilmember Ted Byrd relayed a request to add stop bars on East Gay St at Hill St in the northeast neighborhood, as well as at other high crash locations in that neighborhood. This intersection was discussed at the July 2017 due to speed concerns. A speed study had been done there in the past as part of the Neighborhood Traffic Calming Program, but did not meet the requirements. There was also a sight distance issue due to foliage overhanging the street from the southwest lot that has since been addressed.



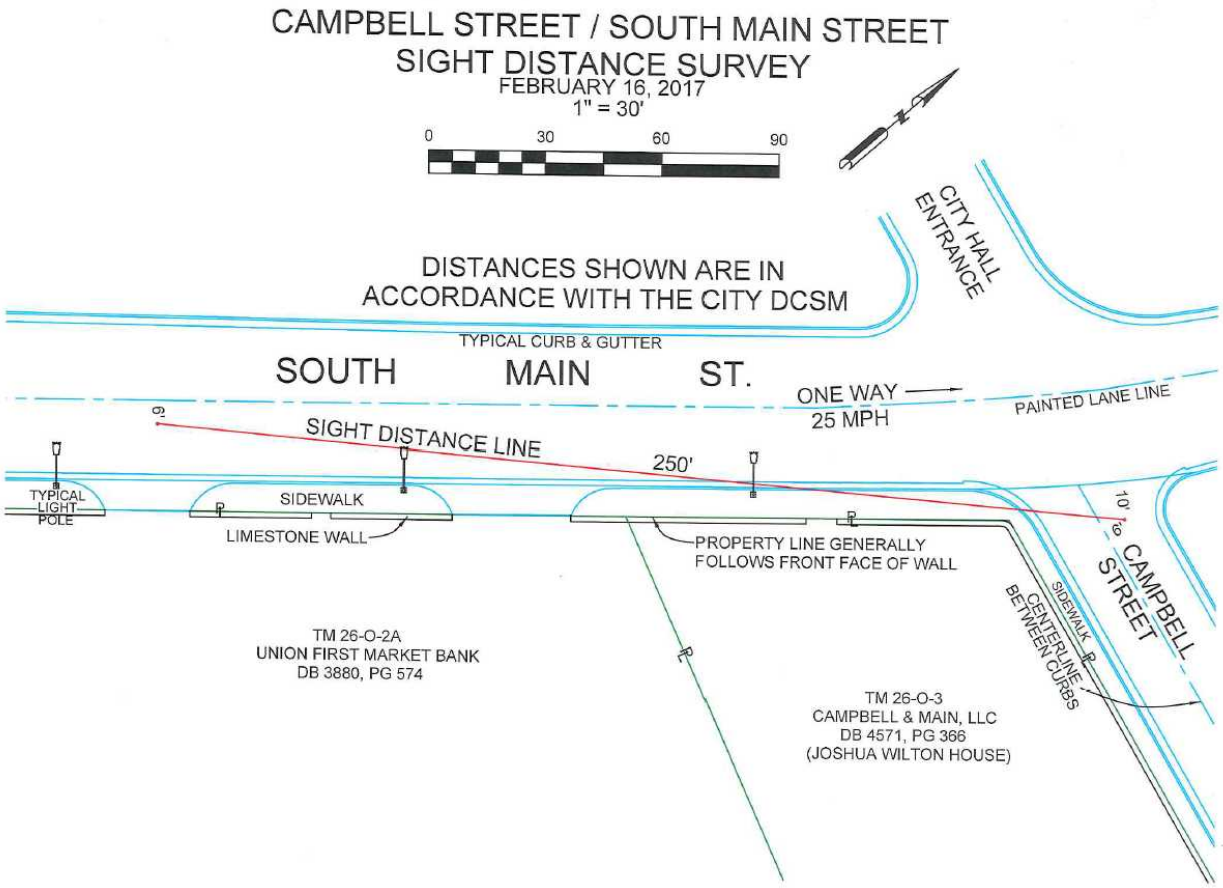
**Attachment B**

Lee Eshelman from JMU has requested that the City install sidewalk along the south side of Port Republic Rd. He is concerned about student safety after receiving multiple reports of students walking in the gutter late at night. This segment has been identified in the upcoming Bicycle & Pedestrian Plan and ranks #9 out of 77 based on a variety of factors.



**Attachment C**

Councilmember Ted Byrd relayed a request for a mirror to be placed across the street from the parking lot next to the Church of Incarnation on N Liberty St.

**Attachment D**

There have been several concerns expressed to Public Works about sight distance when turning from Campbell St onto S Main St. Below is a survey done by Community Development to show the required sight distance from Campbell St.