

City of  
**Neptune Beach**

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**Jim Jarboe**  
City Manager

November 25, 2008

Ms. Stephanie Manabat  
Neptune Beach Elementary  
1515 Florida Boulevard  
Neptune Beach, FL 32266

Dear Ms. Manabat:

We are in receipt of the petition concerning the request for a police officer to direct traffic at the school. The petition is being sent to the Council. It will be placed on the January Workshop. (The Council requires all items to be on a workshop before it takes action at a meeting.) The workshop will be held at 6:00 pm on the 19<sup>th</sup> of January.

As a point of information, the Jacksonville Sheriff's Office, to our knowledge, doesn't provide this service. Normally, the entity responsible for the traffic hires an off-duty police officer. However, Mayor Pruette said she is willing to write the School Board to request the funding.

As I am sure you know, funding for local government and schools is extremely tight. Costs such as you have requested have not been budgeted. It may be possible for the Council to address it in the 09/10 budget, but that would likely mean a tax increase would have to be considered.

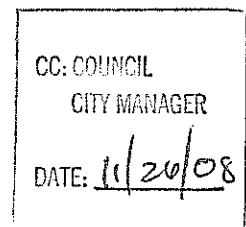
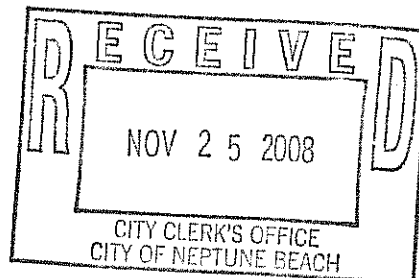
The Chief and I did discuss this today; he thought that the plan he worked out for you last March should be given serious consideration. If you would like, we will be glad to meet with the School Board Representative on cost and implementation.

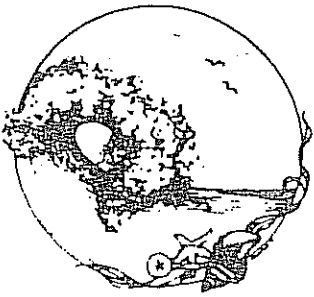
We look forward to seeing you at the meeting on the 19<sup>th</sup> of January.

Sincerely,

James R. Jarboe

cc: Dale Hatfield, President SAC  
Anne Devereux, President PTA  
Honorable Mayor & City Council





# Neptune Beach Elementary

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Jim Jarboe  
City of Neptune Beach  
116 First Street  
Neptune Beach, FL 32266-6140

Mr. Jarboe:

On behalf of the students, parents, teachers and staff at Neptune Beach Elementary, we the undersigned hereby submit the enclosed petition seeking the assignment of a Neptune Beach Police Officer to control and direct traffic at the entrance to Neptune Beach Elementary during morning drop off and afternoon pick up. As the petition states, there is significant traffic congestion on Florida Boulevard during these periods impeding ingress to and egress from the school. This traffic situation poses unacceptable risks to both the pedestrian and vehicular traffic in the area.

We at Neptune Beach Elementary are doing our part to facilitate safe and orderly drop off and pick up at the school. Our Safety Patrols, parent volunteers and staff members assist in getting students safely out of and into vehicles and directing the flow of pedestrian traffic in the parking lot. Additionally, last spring we solicited the help of Chief Davidson and another Neptune Beach Police Officer and a civil engineer to survey and evaluate the traffic pattern and layout of the parking lot and discuss available options. We continue to evaluate the cost and feasibility of alterations to the parking lot and traffic patterns. However, comprehensive improvements to the school parking lot design cannot be undertaken while school is in session.

While we can and are taking steps to promote the safe and efficient flow of traffic within the parking lot area of Neptune Beach Elementary, we have no authority to control the flow of traffic on Florida Boulevard at the entrance to the school. We need your help. Thus, we respectfully request that you place this petition on the agenda for the December meeting of the Neptune Beach City Council for consideration and immediate action to address these safety concerns.

Respectfully,

Stephanie Manabat, Principal  
Neptune Beach Elementary

Dale Hatfield, President  
Neptune Beach Elementary  
School Advisory Committee (SAC)

Anne Devereux, President  
Neptune Beach Elementary  
Parent Teacher Association (PTA)

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Your immediate positive response to this urgent need is eagerly anticipated.

Susan Moore	M. Rios
Paras (remember)	Incarnate
Jamie Binks	Sham Khanna
<del>_____</del>	Jane Newell
Linda Smith	Ramona Lee
Stacy O'Keefe	Zeid Franco
Rosalinda R. Ace	Jori Franco
Amy Terry	<del>_____</del>
Wig Lee	D. B. P.
Sarah & Thomas	Cheryl Berque
Clairville	<del>_____</del>
Nyssa Braman	Ashley Lopez
Sarah H. Jurendine	Deborah H. Glover
Z. H. Rth	Allyson Kimm
Anthony Jones	Joe & Madis

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Kortney Webb  
Adrienne Webb  
Robert Krennweber  
Stephanie Kuckert  
Angela M. Luzzetti  
Jesse Lingerfelt  
Zach  
Melina  
Cait  
John  
Jennifer Mabisch  
Brenda Rodgers  
Kim Marshall  
Kim Kapely  
Doris Hulth

Cynthia Lourey  
Gunnie Pank  
Bob A. Gray  
Howard M. Gray  
Matthew Jozzola  
Lance R. Riker  
Staci Keller  
Catalina Rodriguez  
John C. Gray  
Cynthia Lourey  
Ester O. Bredan  
Joanne Hardsley  
Alan Hardsley  
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Katrina Silvia

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Danielle Mesnick

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E. B.

Roy Ersh  
Dorothy G. Tomlin  
Nikki DeWitt

Todd B.

H. Jaye Heath  
Armedra Merison  
Steph Hubres

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Danae Lopez  
Crystal Rodgers

B. C. Burns

Kenny Monest

Jessie Starnes

Rene Scalf

John J.

Shirley White

David Boggs

Paul Charleson

Michael Barkensh

Heatherley Bloomer

Shannon Rieman

Kimberly Grossman

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Christie J. Harney

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Jessica Miranda	Maria Myers
Maria Miller	Chavis
Vicki L.	Alvin
Whitney L. Grache	Desiree Mikhitarian
Leticia Scott	E. Co. J.
Dawn S. Pitt	Cornie M. Munoz
Mary Bates	Jinica Hauss
Ange Lal	Gerard Boyd
Eileen Sneyden	Melli M. Wheeler
Stacey Williams	Scott M. Wheeler
Rana Hatfield	Nevee Carr
Marcy S. Bo	Wendy Carr
Karen M. T.	James Rhoads
Od'rien	Camy Sauls
Gloria Altick	Kristen Dafford

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Alma Palmer  
Bonnie Palmer  
Shelley Fingers  
Jessie Montoy  
Sandra O. Coleman  
MaryEllen Palmer  
Lore Whitaker  
Adm. M. P. ...  
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Heather Duffer  
Stephanie Witt  
Susan Clapp  
Gloria Belton  
Jan Ketterer  
M. M. ...

Christy Greer  
Mitchell Atkins  
Christy Greer  
Sharon L. John  
Cassandra John  
Holly ...  
Shelley McCaffrey  
Jarrell Hall  
Suzanne Oaks  
Fangui Asinger  
Nancy ...  
Jan ...  
Kobye Russell  
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Deborah Rhode	Melinda Sue King
Jason K. Patchor	Walter Brothers
Janna Cumber	Alena Roberts
Tom P. Kussa	Wendy Coyle
Others	Cip Swartz
Others	Carrie Griffin
Others	Dianna Someday
Others	Monty Don Arnold
Others	John E.
Others	Others
Others	James Edwards
Others	Chris Jimenez
Others	Kimberly
Others	Others
Others	Qua Rightfoot

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Debra E. Hayman

Cynthia L. Vitkuskaro

Lisa Mawhood

Joshua C. Agnes

Angela Dennis

E. E. Cooper

Reidlin Davis

Kenneth C. Harrison

Todd Rice

Archie V. Har

Valerie Limage

Janet Hoff

Brenda Hernandez

Janice Bezaros

William H. Hill

Clare Overstreet

GREG SCHEER

SUSAN SCHEER

Tom S.

Krista Dunn

Erica Philips

Ch. Fabara

AB. Spalter

Justin

JK. Seabrook

Allyson Perry

Lindsay Librant

Laura Schell

Danika

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Casal A. Datt

Mike Perry

Patricia Pennington

Kara M. Hugh

Margia Coney

Andy C.

Kathleen Meyn

Bob F. Spitzer

Thomas W. Johnson

Charles Brown

Bruce W. Rehmy

Shauna Winchester

Andie Mancini

Kelly McPhaul

Kimberly Colburn

Ag L. Miller

Alvin Lane

Joseph Guiseppe

Shaeley Jolley

Colleen McSherry

Harrison

Jim Moore

Janice Madonna

Rebecca O'Neil

Jo Ann

Fred Neulle

Bob

Wayne K. Campbell

J.P.

Lisa Allison



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Shannon J. McCall  
Michelle Sizemore  
Kim Eikner  
Cheryl Cassady  
Chris Fleming  
Sally Yochem  
DANIEL TERRY  
MIMI HARM  
Beth King  
Tammy Barber  
Carrie Brown  
William Wyché  
M. Robinson

Jenifer Reed  
April Medina  
Bliss McMillan  
Julie Scordian  
Mary C. Dake  
J. Kelly (F. Dake)  
Wanda Jimbaugh  
Mandy J. Locke  
Carolyn D. Harris  
Barbara Krauss  
Ray Bond  
Lafae S. Abney  
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Rose Samnell  
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Marcus [Signature]  
Mary Doerr  
Lindsay M. [Signature]  
[Signature]  
Lyndzee Dunn  
Ann [Signature]  
Marilyn [Signature]  
Irelia Y. Jenkins  
Beth Smith  
Carol Hicks  
Lou [Signature]  
Cindy [Signature]  
Susan [Signature]  
Alison [Signature]  
Genny [Signature]

Mari Buckner  
Kendall Meeks  
Mary McElhenny  
Don Goodling  
Elizabeth Otterbein  
Cynthia [Signature]  
Dane [Signature]  
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*Line 1*  
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*Johns Ware*  
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*Brett Wacker*  
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*Caroline Ann*  
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*Don Hu*  
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*Diana Pereira*  
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*Denissa Porter*  
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*Marcus Porter*  
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*Janice Ann*  
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*Kristi Hutchins*  
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*Dann Burges*  
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*Katherine Orsall*  
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*Sina Olufs*  
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*Ann A. Z...*  
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*Arlo Abraham*  
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*Cristen Alford*  
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*Barb Cleland*  
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*Barrin Cleland*  
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*Jed Cleland*  
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*Conrad D. Wright*  
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Lynne Morris

Gary Abban

Ken C. Heron

Paul Nulish

Shannon deSmit

Jonell Ceda

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Ann Nett

Valleri J. Cone

Victoria J. Herman

Kristi StH

Dry a Burt

Barbara W. Bennett

Sharon Bell

Elizette Qui

J.R.

Jennifer Schmuck

Mark St. Paul

Wanda Bean

K.M. M

Scott

Ann C. H

Ken O. Coe

Kathleen H. Kelley

Kim Sporn

Lance Sporn

Velita Simbaugh

Jane Kasper

Guy M. M

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Emmanuel M. Cottrodge SA  
Camie Puga  
L.W. Chin  
Phil Nadeau  
Phyllis A. Moore  
Angela Barbera  
Stacy B. Kuchak  
Sackie Fetner  
Felix Fetner  
Jade Cary  
Elizabeth Archer

Janette Liliak  
Melisa Bousley  
Jermal Waco  
Wasa Hobbs  
Emmett L. Jones  
Karen E. Kelly  
Cynthia K. Long  
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