

Council Notes

For questions or additional information, contact the Town Hall at 886-2177 or council members at signalmountaintn.gov.

- Public Works Director Loretta Hopper has scheduled several paving projects as part of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA). Streets included are South Palisades from the intersection of Palisades to the town limit; James Blvd. from Signal Mtn. Blvd. to Maryland; James Blvd. from Rolling Way to Inverness; and, James Blvd. from Grayson to the town limits. Paving on James is scheduled for October 18-22nd, weather permitting, to coincide with Thrasher Elementary School's Fall Break, to avoid interfering with school traffic.
- Sections of James where the sidewalk is under construction and Signal Road, where pavement cuts necessary for sewer repairs are being completed, will be paved in the spring.
- The Transportation Committee met with the council at its work session to discuss projects and goals. Mayor Bill Lusk suggested that the Committee create an inventory/map of pedestrian/bicycle transportation facilities that currently exist in order to determine where to create connections and improvements.
- Town Manager Honna Rogers and Human Resource Coordinator Gigi Williams attended an MTAS class on HR Hot Topics. The class presented an overview of current issues, including health care, the Fair Labor Standards Act, the Family Medical Leave Act, and repercussions of recent court cases.
- Next Wednesday, September 22nd, the Alexian Village will hold a town council candidates' forum at 7pm in the Alexian Town Hall. Candidates will answer prepared questions from the public. Email Dudley Meadows at cdmeadows35@comcast.net or call 886-0735 to submit questions. The candidates to be interviewed are Jason Bowling, Dick Gee, Frank Preston, Jeremy Rardin, Bill Wallace and incumbent Susan Robertson.
- Several Tree Board members will attend the 19th Annual Urban Forestry Conference, which will be held at the Chattanooga Choo Choo October 28-29th.