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To the Arlington Board of Selectmen,

We are writing out of concern about the speed at which cars drive down Herbert Road in front of the entrance to Magnolia Park in East Arlington. We have witnessed many cars driving at unsafe speeds, despite the painted crosswalk. Herbert Road runs parallel to Massachusetts Avenue, and during morning and afternoon rush hour we imagine many commuters are using Herbert Road as a substitute for Mass Ave.

The recently renovated Magnolia Park is quite popular and is frequented by many children on a daily basis. Casa Esme Nursery School brings their toddler and preschool-aged students to Magnolia Park daily. Herbert Road is also along the route that many children walk each morning and afternoon on their way to and from Hardy Elementary school, located a few blocks away.

As much as we try to teach safe street crossing skills, children can be very unpredictable and are often distracted when crossing the street. Additionally, during the summer when the playground is most used, there are frequently school buses bringing soccer teams to play at Magnolia Field and the adjacent Thorndike Field. The buses will park temporarily on the side of Herbert Rd, which greatly reduces the visibility for drivers. The buses block the view of a child getting near a crosswalk, and for cars that are not driving slowly, this causes a lot of slamming on the brakes as well as honking.

As the enclosed petition will attest, there are many of us in the neighborhood who are respectfully requesting the addition of a speed bump/table/raised crossing to the intersection of Magnolia Street and Herbert Road. Keeping in mind the news of several injuries and fatalities of grown adults while in a crosswalk in Arlington in recent years, we hope you will consider this request to be in the best interest in the safety of our children.

Thank you for your consideration,



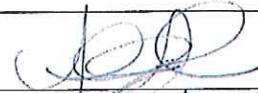
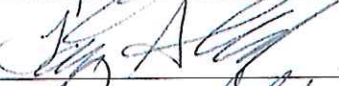

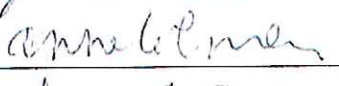


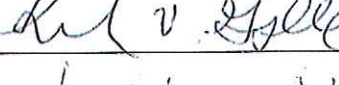
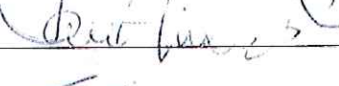

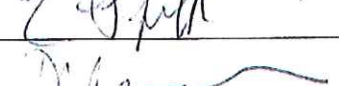






Ceillidh Yurenka, 68 Fremont Road,

Sharon Jacobson, 72 Magnolia Street

On behalf of many other Magnolia Park Parents and Neighbors

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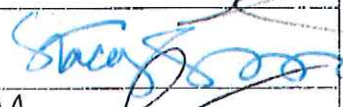
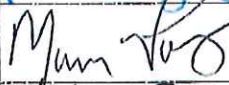
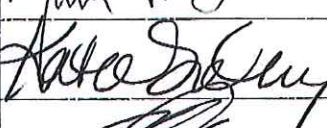
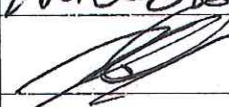
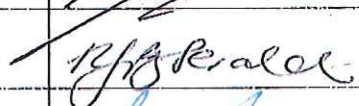
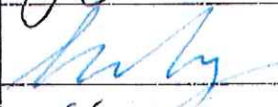
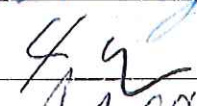
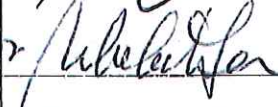
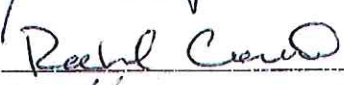
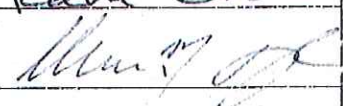
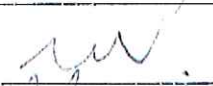
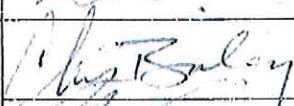

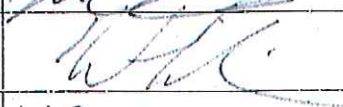
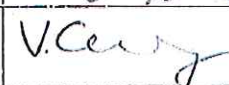
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1.	12/6/18	Allison Holt	27 LAKE ST., ARLINGTON	
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3.	12/6/18	PAUL SLOBODA	16 CHANDLER STREET	
4.	12/6/18	Anne Coleman	12 Pondview Rd	
5.	12/6/18	Kelly Bennett	17 Magnolia St	
6.	12/6/18	Sheherazade	119 Lake St.	
7.	12/6/18	Baruch Gouperil	120 VARNUM ST.	
8.	12/7/18	Leif Hach	96 Bay State Rd	
9.	12/7/18	Ellen Rohre	77 Townsend St	
10.	12/7/18	Ellen Pfister	24 Magnolia St	
11.	12/7/18	Marissa Leone	38 Teak St	
12.	12/7/18	Neil Bomberger	12 Pondview Rd	
13.	12/7/18	Marnie Weinberg	25 Linwood St. #1	
14.	12/10/18	Melissa Simmons	48 Elliot Rd	
15.	12/10/18	Chia-Feichen	122 Thurndike St.	
16.	12/10/18	Linda Friedman	5 Littlejohn St.	



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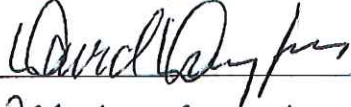
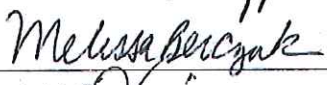
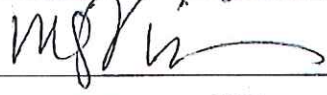

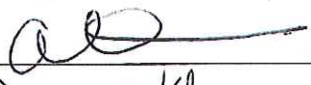
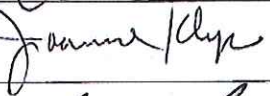

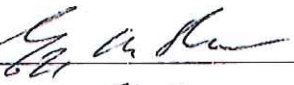
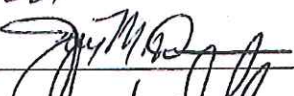
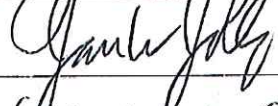
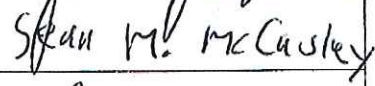
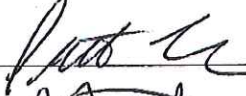
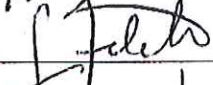
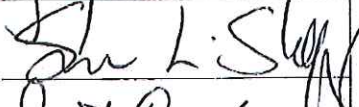

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Date	Printed Name	Street Address	Signature
12/10/18	Enn Lackey	96 Lake St, Unit 2 Arlington, MA 02474	
12/13/18	Stacey Subady	16 Chandler Street Arlington, MA 02474	
12/13/18	Maura Powers	43 Margaret St Arlington	
12/15/18	Katie Tremblay	25 Elder Terrace Arlington	
12/15/18	Josh Weinberg	25 Linwood St. #2 Arlington, MA	
12/15/18	Roslyn Fitzgerald	16 Windsor St Arlington MA	
12/20/18	Lilly Raposa	45 Churchill Ave	
12/20/18	Fred Rohrer	77 Trounburg St	
1/10/19	Rebekah Lea	5 Swan St Arlington	
1/13/19	Rachel Cawotta	96 Gardner St Arlington	
1/17/19	Sharon Taylor	70 Magnolia St Arlington	
1/17/19	Margaret Sullivan	9 Cottage St Arlington	
1/17/19	CHRIS BAILEY	19 WHITTEMORE ST	
1/17/19	Sarah Smith	91 Bay State Rd	
1/17/19	Margaret Litch	8 Windsor St	
3/11/19	Valerie Conway		

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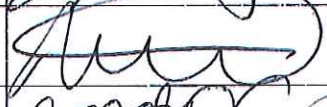

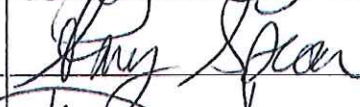

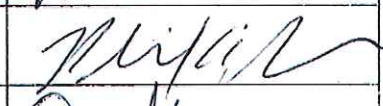
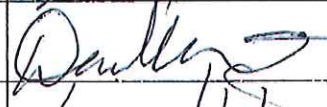


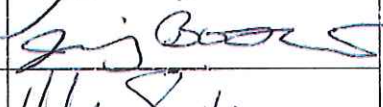



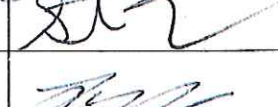
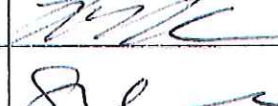

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1/16/19	MARC JACOBSON	72 Magnolia St. Arlington, MA	
1/16/19	David Dreyfus	160 Jason St Arlington, MA 02476	
1/16/19	Melissa Berczak	40 Teel St Arlington MA 02474	
1/16/19	Maryglenn Vincens	438 Mass. Ave. Arlington 02474	
1/16/19	DANA OZIK	28A PARK ST ARLINGTON 02474	
2/4/19	ATSUKO ISO	48 Magnolia St. Arlington, MA	
2/10/19	JOANNE KLYS	990 Massachusetts Ave #200 Arlington, MA	
2/10/19	Marie Meteer	14 Branford Rd Arlington MA 02476	
2/10/19	Greg Rucci	93 Main St Arlington MA 02476	
2/10/19	Jay Doyle	61 Crescent Hill Ave Arlington, MA	
2/10/19	James Jolley	200 Park Ave Arlington, MA	
2/10	Sean McCauley	1184 MASS AVE	
2/10	Scott Lever (Tmm)	81 Kensington Park	
2/10	Bill Fekete	81 Kensington Pk	
2/10	Sue Shaffer	26 Kensington PK	
2/10/19	David Desjardins	23 Colonial Drive ARLINGTON	

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3.10.19	Betsy Carlton Gysin	268 Broadway	
3.10.19	DAVID POTERRE	119 LAKE	
3.10.19	Carolyn C. Carlson	48 Crosby St.	
3.10.19	Amy Speare	118 Ridge St	
3/10/19	Michael Rie	19 Frost St. 02474	
3/10/19	Philip Speare	118 Ridge St.	
3/10/19	Dan Dischert	85 Newport St	
3/10/19	LEAH DAVIS	54 Academy St	
3/10/19	John A Shriver	23 Bailey Rd	
3/10/19	Benifer Bosco	4 Swan St., Arl.	
3/10/19	Marisa Silver	27 Rockmont Rd.	
3/10/19	DAVID KLINGBERG	4 Rhinecliff St.	
3/10/19	Shaileen Pokress	51 Crosby St.	
"	Steve Kroppen	170 SUMMER.	
3/11/19	Lauren Killian	15 Eliot Rd.	
3/11/19	Glenn Campbell	East Monroe Town	



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2/10/19	Lauren S. Cosgrove	98 Oakland Ave	Lauren Cosgrove
2/10/19	Mette Amundt	64 Gratton St	Mette Amundt
2/16/19	Alham Saadat	62 Magnolia St	Alham Saadat
3/9/19	William Garbino	11 Newbury Road #2	William J. Garbino
3/11/19	Aaron Kitzler	148 Hillside Av	Aaron Kitzler
3/10/19	Wendy Fields	175 Overlook Rd	Wendy Fields
3/10/19	Kate Tranquada	108 Park Ave Ext 02474	Kate Tranquada
3/10/19	Kathleen Greene	194 Westminster Ave Arlington MA 02474	Kathleen Greene
3/10/19	Walter Greene	194 Westminster Ave.	Walter Greene
3/10/2019	Anthony Fernandez	153 Medford Street #2	Anthony Fernandez
3/10/2019	Barbara Tosti	1 Watermill Pl. Unit 419	Barbara Tosti
3/10/19	Juliet Wendel	16 Adams St.	Juliet Wendel
3-10-19	Jim Wendel	60 Broadway 02474 Arlington, MA	Jim Wendel
3/10/19	Bradford Elmer	60 Randolph st #2 Arlington MA	Bradford Elmer
3/10/19	Sylvia Elmer	11	Sylvia Elmer
5/11/19	Chris Bennett	17 Magnolia St 02474	Chris Bennett

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3/11	Kate Leary	39 Milton St.	Kate Leary
3/11	Daniel Jalkut	17 Randolph St.	Daniel Jalkut
3/11	Heather Hogan	438 MASS AVE #142	Heather Hogan
3/11	ROSLYN FITZGERALD	16 Winter St	Roslyn Fitzgerald
3/11	Will Rury	35 Lakewood Ave	Will Rury
3/14	Ashir Mehmood	9/11 Milton St	Ashir Mehmood
3/14	Scott McClure	27 BOULEVARD RD	Scott McClure
3/14	Marta Bates	43 Chandler	Marta Bates
3/14	AMRIT PILO	43 EGBERTON RD	Amrit Pilo
3/14	Matthew Koser	28 Trowbridge	Matthew Koser
3/14	Alban Chevignard	125 Pleasant St	Alban Chevignard
3/15	Esther Lin	46 Magnolia St	Esther Lin
3/15	Rallan Kuberj	96 Chandler St	Rallan Kuberj
3/15	JENNA BELTRAM	20 MAGNOLIA ST. #3	Jenna Beltram
3/15	Michelle Phelan		Michelle Phelan 135 Thorndike St.