

From: Beryl Harron  
Sent: Thursday, December 12, 2013 9:11 AM  
To: Stephen Wilson

Hello Steve,

Please pass this on to the planning board for the meeting tonight.

I am a Maine resident who lives on Chestnut Street. This is a wonderful residential zone. We should not compromise this by changing the zoning laws as this changes the precedence for the entire town.

I am concerned that Chestnut Street will be affected by the change in a zoning law even more than Bay View Street as the road is wider and straighter and therefore easier to drive. Chestnut Street has a large pedestrian presence in all seasons who enjoy the peaceful and safe area to walk and jog with children as well as dogs. There are many adults and children on bicycles especially during the busy summer months.

I believe added traffic would be a real danger to those people. We do not need more traffic on a daily basis. I am certain the residents of Chestnut Street and Bayview Street bought our houses in the belief that the present residential laws would not be changed when they made their investments.

Camden Planning should consider the needs of the present homeowners and those in other residential areas who might be affected in the future planning. Camden already has business zones. Please keep businesses where they belong in those zones. Once the zoning laws are changed it will be difficult to stop other proposals.

Sincerely,  
Beryl Sexton Harron  
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