

TRAFFIC ENGINEERING STAFF REPORT

Agenda Item 4.a. Pedestrian Access Closure on Norma Lane at Chapman Avenue, January 4, 2011

OBJECTIVE

To consider a request to close the pedestrian access at the end of Norma Lane just south of Chapman Avenue.

BACKGROUND

The City of Garden Grove has received a request from Ms. Jean Conners to close the pedestrian access at the end of Norma Lane just south of Chapman Avenue. Ms. Conners has provided a petition with twenty-six (26) signatures representing twenty (20) homes in the neighborhood. The petition cites concerns over neighborhood safety with the opening in the existing block wall that provides direct pedestrian access from Chapman to Norma.

DISCUSSION

The existing masonry block wall that separates Chapman from Norma is nearly seven feet high. It has some wrought iron near the opening that allows for pedestrian access between the two streets. The opening is approximately three feet wide.

Staff has confirmed the crime activity in the neighborhood and believes closing the pedestrian access could provide some measure of improved safety.

RECOMMENDATION

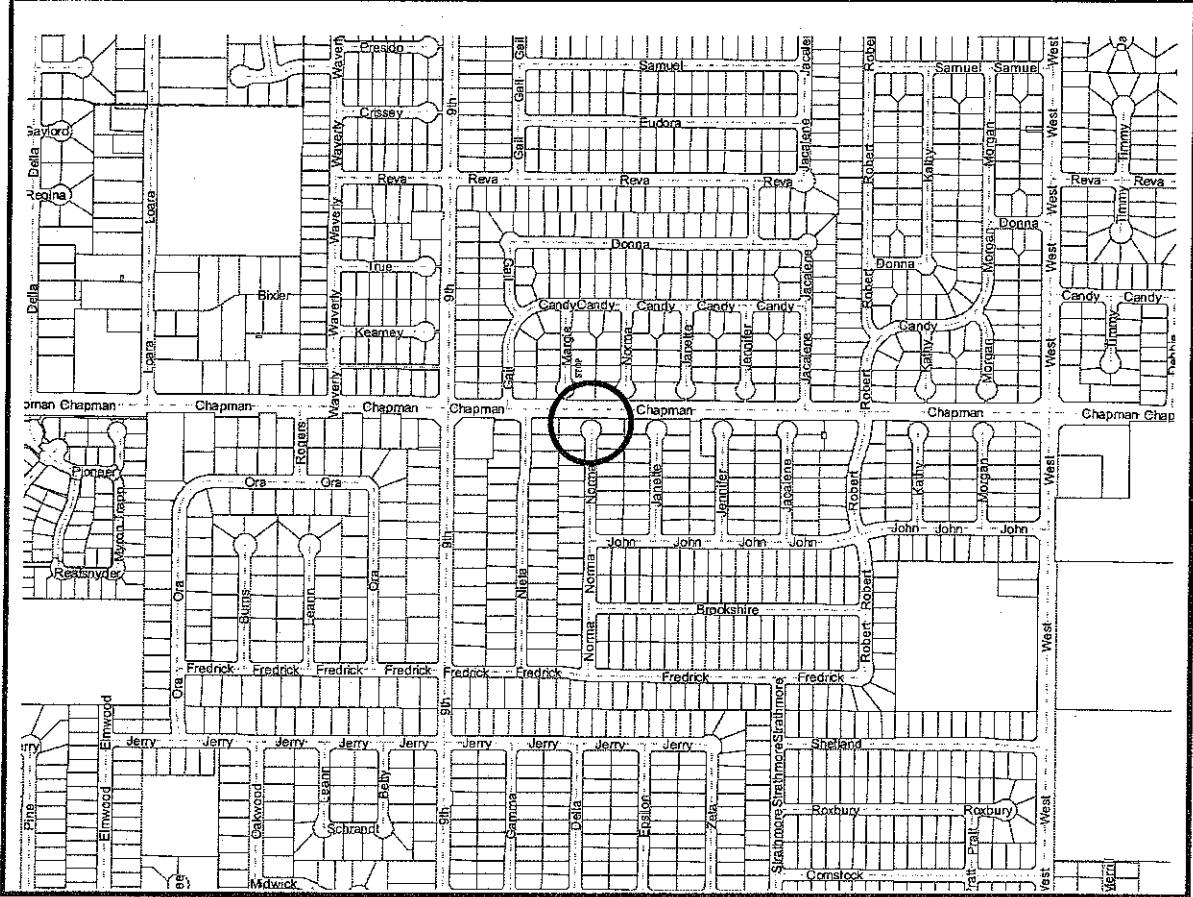
It is recommended that the Traffic Commission receive public input and approve staff's recommendation to close the pedestrian access at the end of Norma Lane just south of Chapman Avenue.



Dan Candelaria, P.E., T.E.
Executive Secretary

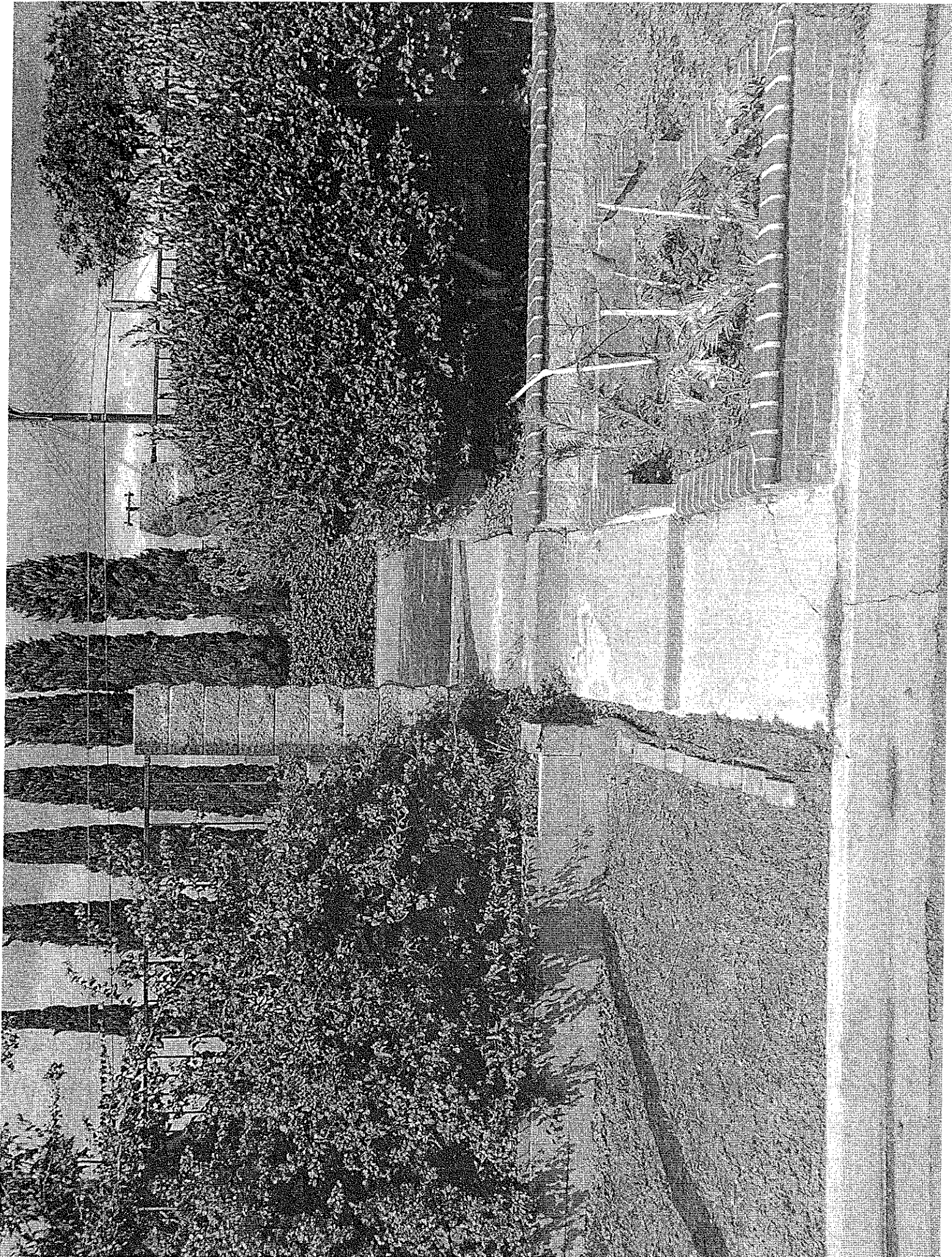
Attachments: Vicinity Map
Site Photo
Neighborhood Petition

LOCATION MAP



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Norma Lane onto Chapman Ave.

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neighborhood. There have been activities that endanger
our neighborhood with a quick access out to Chapman to
help them escape easily. We are concerned about our
neighborhood and the safety of our children.

Below are the signatures, address's, and phone number's
of the people in the neighborhood that wish to have this
action taken.

1. Veronica San Allan (714) 636-9475
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2. Salina DeHart (714) 534-3196
12151 Norma Ln. Garden Grove, CA 92840
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8. Guadalupe Fisher 12101 Norma LN G.G. (714) 534-2047
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8. Robi Sue Harrison 12071 Norma Ln, G, Ca 534-3941
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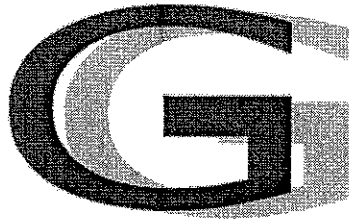
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GARDEN GROVE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC FORUM

Dear Resident:

The City of Garden Grove Traffic Commission will hold its regularly scheduled meeting on Tuesday January 4, 2011 at 6:00 p.m. The meeting will be held in the City Council Chambers of the Community Meeting Center, 11300 Stanford Avenue.

We will be considering a request to close the pedestrian access at the end of Norma Lane just south of Chapman Avenue.

We welcome you to attend and provide input at this meeting. **(AGENDA ITEM 4-A)** If you have any questions, please call Traffic Engineering at 714.741.5185.

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