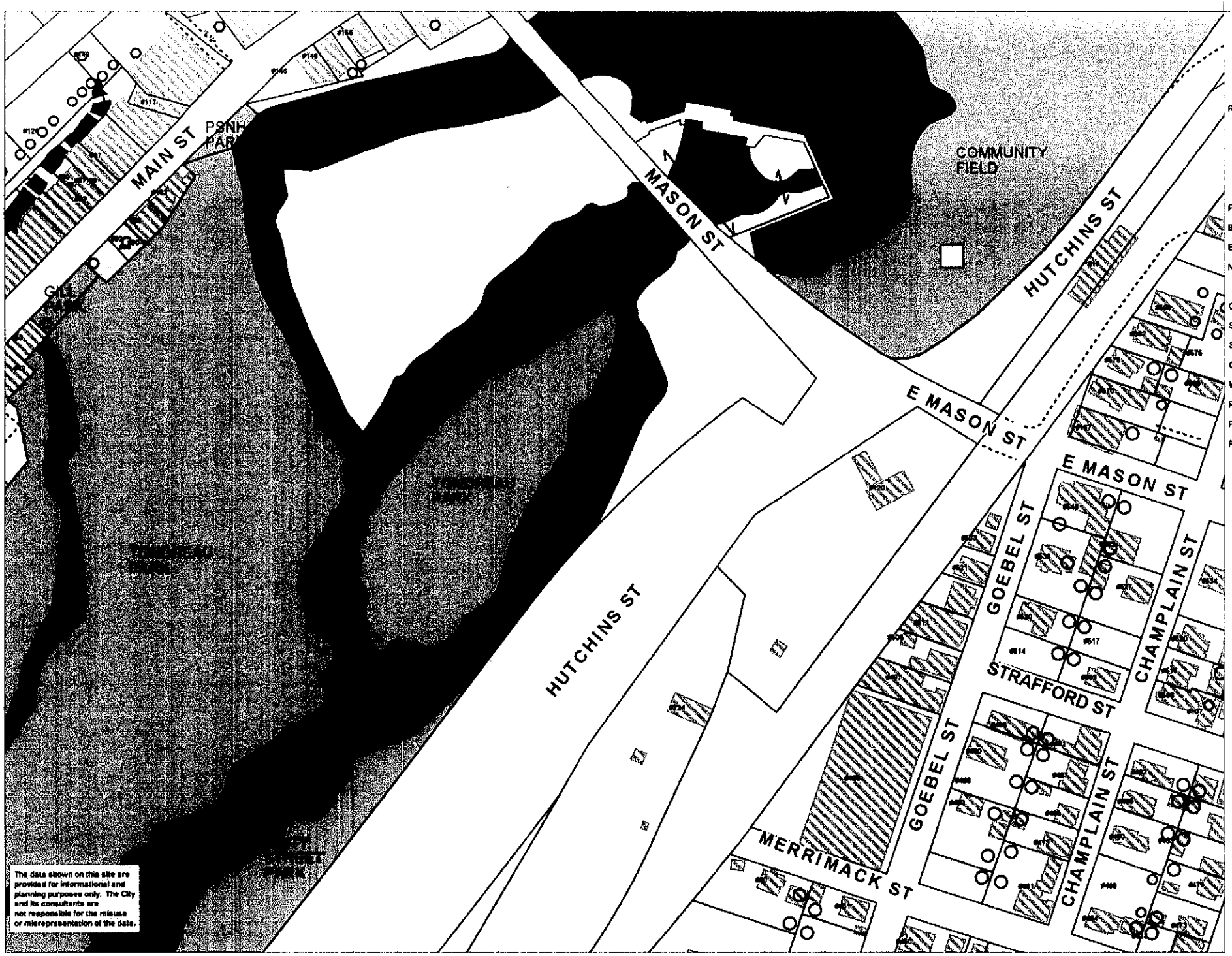

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Hutchins (Unity) St & East Mason

-------- Original message --------
From: Peter Higbee <phigbee@ne.rr.com>
Date: 07/06/2016 8:51 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: rozemike@yahoo.com
Subject: traffic request

Mike,

When I got home last night I had an email from an eastside Berlin business owner with an inquiry about the intersection of Unity Street and East Mason at the lights.

"Going south on Unity street, where it crosses East Mason, how about putting lines on the road to indicate that it is two lanes so someone wanting to turn right onto East Mason can do so while the others going south wait for the light. It might mean moving the double yellow line over some to make a little more room for two lines of south traffic. It might also be nice to put up a sign showing two lanes so people going south will move closer to the yellow line and allow room for those turning right."

I know that sometimes people form 2 lanes there naturally, but it does require the cars continuing southward to be close enough to the yellow line to allow for that. The road there is as wide as East Mason, and East Mason has such an arrangement at that intersection for cars that just came eastward over the bridge.

Interestingly, there are also two traffic signals facing that traffic, as if maybe once there were separate forward and right turn signals in use.

I'd appreciate the Traffic Committee taking a look at this. Thanks, in advance.

- Peter