



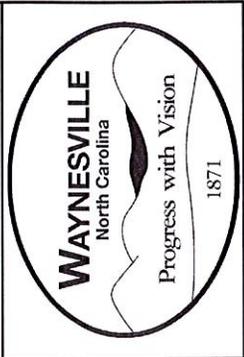
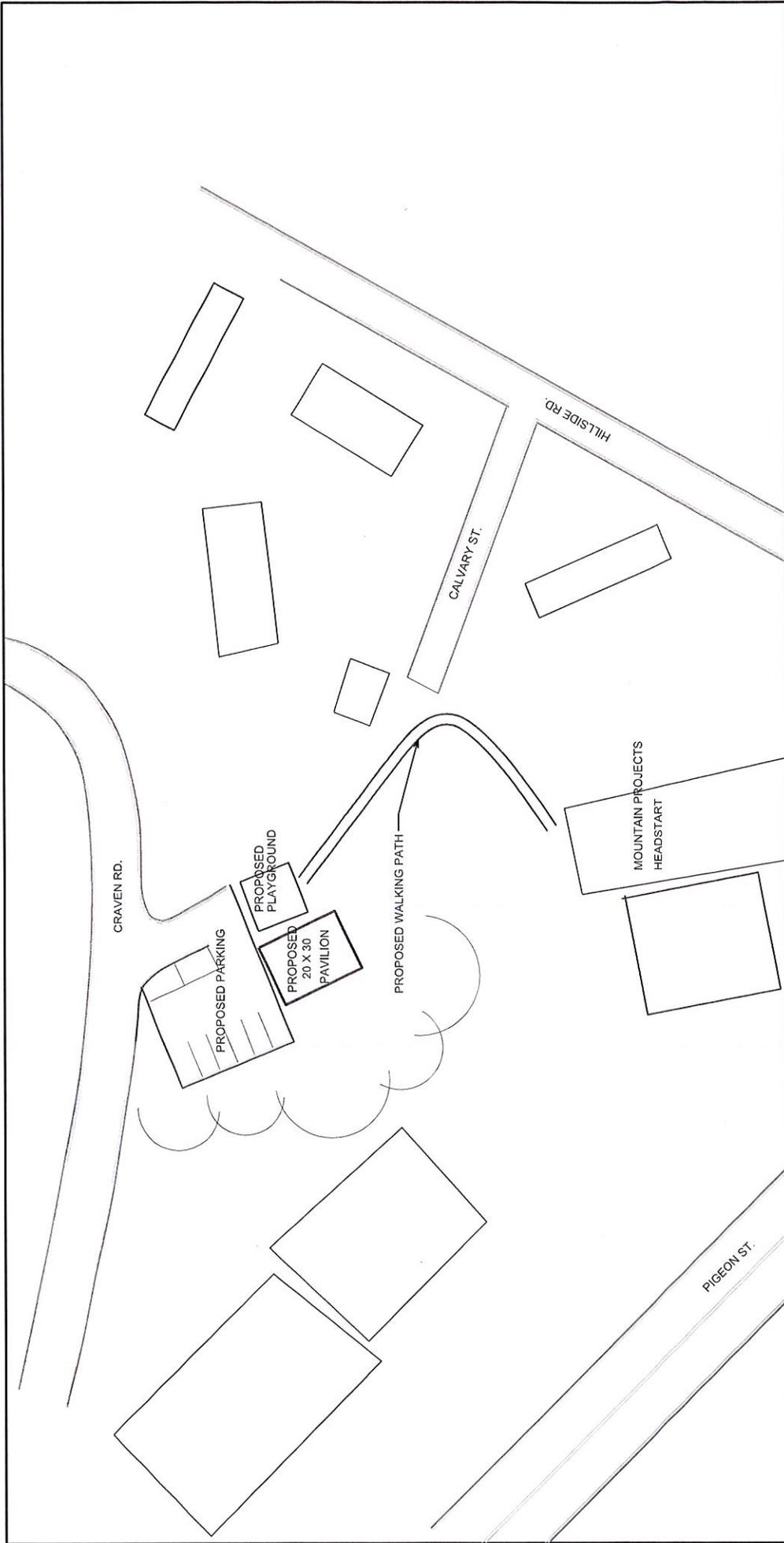
Gavin Brown, Mayor
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Robert W. Hites, Jr. Town Manager
Woody Griffin, Town Attorney

Memorandum

To: Ira Dove, Haywood County Manager
From: Rob Hites,
Date: 1-11-17

During the Town's 1-10-17 meeting the Board of Aldermen took up the issue of the property Haywood County recently obtained on Calvary Street in Waynesville. The Mayor stated that he discussed the concept of constructing a park on the property with Mountain Projects who operate a Head Start Center adjacent to the property. They are in favor of a park due to the fact that they are land locked and have no place to build a recreation area for their kids. The park would serve that need. The Mayor opened the floor for comments. Phillip Gibbs a member of the Waynesville Planning Board and neighborhood resident endorsed the idea of a park. Two other neighborhood residents addressed the Board about the need for a park. They also stated that they worried that placing it in the private sector would deny the community a free meeting place for recreation and family events such as cookouts, birthdays etc. After hearing the public's comment the Board discussed the issue and unanimously voted to request the Board of Commissioners to enter into negotiation with the Town to acquire the Calvary Street property for purposes of constructing a park.



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CALVARY ST. PROJECT

DATE: 1/7/17
SCALE: N.T.S.
SHEET NO.: 1 OF 1
LOCATION: CALVARY ST.
DRAWN BY: PRESTON GREGG, PE