

TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

January 20, 2016

Attendance

Russell Timmons, Police Captain & Chairman of Traffic Safety Committee; David Witham, City Councilor; Keith Hoyle, Fire Chief Robert Belmore, City Manager; Jeni Mosca, Superintendent of Schools; Jennifer Soldati, City Councilor; Harold Guptill, Member at Large; Jenne Holmes, Member at Large; Paul Robidas, Director of EMS; Dave Sharples, Director of Planning & Development.

Meeting called to order at 2:00 pm.

I. Minutes

Jeni Mosca motioned to accept minutes from October 21st, seconded by Paul Robidas. All in favor, minutes accepted.

II. New Business

- A. Parking Issue Kings Lane.** Captain Timmons receive communication from Nate Mears, General Foreman at Highway regarding parking at the end of Kings Lane. Paul Robidas said this is a safety issue, not enough room for emergency vehicles to pass through. Paul Robidas motioned to make this change to have a 2 car length no parking on the right side of King's Lane. Jeni Mosca seconded. Dave Witham motioned there should be no parking at all on King's Lane. After more consideration Paul Robidas and Jeni Mosca rescinded their motion for the 2 car length no parking. Dave Sharples seconded, all in favor of sending this to Council for recommendation.

Bob Belmore asked how many signs would be put up, all agree for 2 "no-parking" signs to be posted.

Councilor Dave Witham and Councilor Jennifer Soldati will be sponsors of this Ordinance change.

- B. Communication from Resident on Noble Street.** Captain Timmons received communication from Resident regarding cars parking on the North side towards the crest of the hill. Makes it really hard to pull out safely. Captain Timmons stated there is an Ordinance in place that prohibits parking on the south side with 25 feet of intersection. Councilor Witham said then this needs to be reinforced. Captain Timmons will have Police monitor this and come back at next month's meeting for an update.

Bob Belmore said we need to put up a sign if this continues to be a problem.

Miscellaneous Discussion. Councilor Soldati noted to PWD Bob Bobinsky about the Stop sign that was knocked down at the corner of Pleasant and Green Street. Mike Bobinsky said his crew will make sure Stop sign is up.

Jeni Mosca motioned to adjourn, seconded by Paul Robidas. Meeting adjourned at 2:25pm.

Next Meeting: Wednesday, February 17th at 2:00 p.m.