TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

January 16, 2019 - 2:00pm

Attendance

Russell Timmons, Police Captain & Chairman of Traffic Safety Committee Robert Belmore, City Manager Shanna Saunders, Director of Planning & Community Development Mike Bobinsky, Public Works Director Keith Hoyle, Fire Chief Robert Gadomski, School Superintendent Paul Robidas, Member at large

The Chairman called the Meeting to order at 2:03 pm.

Review and Accept November 14, 2018 Meeting Minutes

Paul Robidas motioned to approve meeting minutes of November 14, 2018, seconded by Keith Hoyle. Meeting minutes passed.

New Business

1. Request to Add Parking Highland Street (Jack Middleton). Captain Timmons received a letter from resident Jack Middleton requesting to allow parking for 2 spaces on the north side of Highland Street between High Street and Lords Court. Captain Timmons said the reason this was posted years ago was for safety reasons, to allow ambulance, fire and plowing in the winter. Paul Robidas said what has changed; they all still need access.

Paul Robidas made a motion to deny, seconded by Chief Hoyle. Motion Carried.

2. Re-visit Time Parking on Washington Street. The City Council voted to have this re-visited by Traffic Safety Committee. City Manager Belmore concern is do we really need to promote all day parking. Captain Timmons said the original request was to extend the 3-hour parking.

Bob Gadomski made a motion to extend 3 - hour to 5-hour parking. Seconded by Shanna Saunders. Paul Robidas opposed. Motion Carried.

Captain Timmons said another New Business item came to him regarding Main Street Plaza Parking. Said his Parking Officer has been ticketing people because they are parking in the diagonal yellow lines (Fire Lane) which are painted to prohibit parking. Mike Bobinsky said they will look into hanging signs on the facade which reinforces noparking.

Paul Robidas motioned to adjourn, seconded by Chief Hoyle, motion to adjourn at 2:22 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted: Brenda Ann Breda, Executive Assistant to the City Manager