



Safety & Service Committee
Tuesday, July 5, 2022 - 5:00 PM
MINUTES

1. Call to Order

Marvin Block called the Safety and Service Committee meeting for July 5, 2022 to order at 5:11 pm

2. Roll Call

Present - Marvin Block, Doug Lehner, Jon Merriman

Absent - None

Staff present - Jack Liggett - Interim City Manager, Sean Staneart - Assistant City Manager, Rusty Smart - Interim Chief of Police, Mayor Chip Dutcher, Bailey Morlan - City Planner, Teresa Monroe - Clerk of Council

Public present - None

3. Pratt Street Parking

Discussion on Pratt Street parking spaces and a newly installed garage door in the building across Pratt from Posty's Drive Thru; parking plan presented and safest options for parking were discussed. Parking spaces lost on Pratt will be picked back up on South Main Street. Mr. Block asked how the allowance for the garage came about. Ms. Morlan said the previous City Manager approved the curb cut for the garage on Pratt and the Planning and Zoning Commission approved a Conditional Use permit for a living space on the second floor. Chief Smart said he talked with John (Posty's owner) and said he would make the best decision for the most people traveling on the roadway. Discussion on Posty's employee parking as well as future bourbon bar parking. Discussion on Post Office Alley, and the potential for making it one way and which direction it would run. Further discussion on traffic patterns and ingress and egress in the area.

ACTION: Jon Merriman moved to recommend the parking plan for Pratt Street to council; Marvin Block seconded and all were in favor.

AYES: Marvin Block, Doug Lehner, Jon Merriman

NOES: None

ABSTAIN: None

Passed 3 - 0

4. Other Business

1. Jack said some have complained that areas already paved were getting paved again. Explained micro sealing, it is not pavement, it is a coating that adds life up to seven years to existing pavement.

2. US62 widening should start July 11; two lane traffic will be maintained. Should be done October 1.

4. Regarding the Pulte traffic light; thirty percent completion on plans, need to bring in Prime to get a final look at what the Alterra alternative route will cost then will compare cost

of the traffic signal to the alternate road upgrade.

5. Tree has been cut down in Rolling Meadows Park

6. Discussion on JYAA request for annexation. Having the well fields inside the city limit would be a benefit although it would be a bit more of a cost burden to city services.

Discussion on the potential for gaining other property for future well fields.

7. Discussion on Pratt Street sidewalks, replacement and where the property lines and right of way are to determine whose responsibility they are for repair.

5. Adjourn

ACTION: Jon Merriman moved to adjourn; Marvin Block seconded and all were in favor.

AYES: Marvin Block, Doug Lehner, Jon Merriman

NOES: None

ABSTAIN: None

Passed 3 - 0

Meeting adjourned at 6:18 pm