



Safety & Service Committee
Tuesday, July 2, 2024 - 5:45 PM
MINUTES

1. Call to Order/Roll Call

Committee Chair Ryan Green called the Safety and Service Committee meeting for July 2, 2024 to order at 5:53 pm

Members Present - Ryan Green, Dave Selan, Jeff Barr

Absent - None

Staff present - Dave Delande, Jack Liggett, Rusty Smart, Don Barnard, Bob Orsini, Tiffany Hollis, Wess Kobel, Teresa Monroe.

Public present - Nick Hubbell

2. City messaging to public on traffic lights; Kroger/Wendy's/Bigelow

Estimate to fix the Clark Drive (Kroger) traffic signal was presented back in May, they elected to not go forward at that time. If the Clark Drive signal is fixed, will it communicate with the lights at Wendy's and Bigelow Drive; Jack Liggett said testing that has been done says it will. Discussion on the Bigelow traffic signal and whether or not the larger traffic study has been commissioned to assess if it should be turned on, unknown at this time. Jack said estimates to fix the Clark Drive signal were \$50,000. Committee direction is that the Finance Director will verify that we have the money appropriated somewhere and could be transferred for this, if so, fix the light. Mr. Barnard said he thought they were waiting on this because the light was functioning, it wasn't a safety issue, it slows things down a little but not a safety issue. Mr. Liggett said that was true, it is on a timer but they get many complaints about it. Committee direction is to check funds and see if money is available to use for repair of the light.

3. City road paving priority - discussion

The old TAM study from 2014 was sent out for review. Dave Selan said he would like to get a street map of the city and work with Jack Liggett to color code roads by their need, whether full-depth reclamation or mill and fill etc. to give a visual understanding on the state of our roads.

4. Weight limit on roadways

A discussion on truck traffic through town and setting and enforcing roadway weight limits for trucks evolved into adding signage for "No through trucks" at Saratoga, Hillview, Bigelow and Kyber. Jack Liggett said he would look at the sign budget and report back.

5. Snow maintenance in the downtown

Ryan Green said that the businesses that are open during snowfall events will shovel their sidewalks, it is the vacant or closed ones that don't get done. It is a safety issue, people have to cross snowy sidewalks to get to open businesses. Discussion on enforcing what we already have on the books, that sidewalks have to be shoveled. Decision to speak with the Chamber of Commerce members first.

6. Future Safety & Service meeting schedule vs. Finance schedule
Everyone to be thinking about an alternate schedule for not splitting the meetings.
7. Other Business
None
8. Adjourn
ACTION: Dave Selan moved to adjourn; Ryan Green seconded and all were in favor.
AYES: Ryan Green, Dave Selan, Jeff Barr
NOES: None
ABSTAIN: None

Passed 3 - 0

The meeting ended at 6:30 pm