



**PUBLIC MINUTES
TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMITTEE**

**May 12, 2015, at 8:45 a.m.
Committee Room "E", City Hall**

PRESENT: Mr. K. Claffey, Chair
Ms. C. Janzen, Vice Chair
Councillor A. Iwanchuk, at 8:50 a.m.
Sergeant D. Bryden
Mr. J. Chan
Mr. B. Girling
Mr. D. Hingston
Mr. C. Kuhnke
Mr. R. Meier
Mr. A. Reichert
Ms. D. Taylor

ALSO PRESENT: Traffic Safety Engineer J. Nyen
Committee Assistant J. Fast

ABSENT: Ms. S. Bater

1. CALL TO ORDER

The Chair called the meeting to order.

2. CONFIRMATION OF AGENDA

Moved By: J. Chan

That the agenda be confirmed as presented.

CARRIED

3. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Moved By: R. Meier

That the minutes of regular meeting of the Traffic Safety Committee held on April 14, 2015 be adopted.

CARRIED

4. TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMUNICATION/EDUCATION (File No. CK. 255-8)

At the Traffic Safety Committee meeting held on April 14, 2015 the Committee resolved to defer consideration of the allocation of the remaining funding to this meeting.

Councillor Iwanchuk entered the meeting at 8:50 a.m.

Discussion followed regarding professional survey questions in order to assess the effectiveness of the bus tailboard ad; however, the Committee was in agreement not to invest funds into a survey at this time, but rather query friends/colleagues over the coming months to obtain feedback on the ad. This information could then be tallied for the SGI survey which is due in October.

The Committee also discussed the possibility of purchasing bicycles bells and lights/reflectors which could be distributed by the Saskatoon Police Service Bike Unit at no charge to those in need of these items. Sergeant Bryden undertook to confirm this initiative with the Bike Unit.

Moved By: C. Kuhnke

- 1) That the Committee not invest in professional survey questions at this time but rather members query friends and colleagues over the coming months whether they noticed the bus tailboard awareness campaign and provide this feedback at September's meeting; and
- 2) That the Committee allocate funding to a maximum of \$1,000 to purchase bicycle bells and lights/reflectors for the Saskatoon Police Service Bike Unit to distribute as needed.

CARRIED

5. REPORTS FROM THE ADMINISTRATION

5.1 Outstanding Issues Raised By Committee Members (File No. CK. 225-8)

The Committee Assistant provided updates from the Transportation Division, Transportation and Utilities Department regarding outstanding issues raised at the April 14, 2015 meeting of the Committee.

Moved By: A. Reichert

That the information be received.

CARRIED

Councillor Iwanchuk excused herself from the meeting at 9:35 a.m.

6. NEW ISSUES RAISED BY COMMITTEE MEMBERS (File No. CK. 225-8)

- D. Hingston – barricade over hole on Quebec Avenue by Star Egg. Difficult to maneuver around barricade with vehicles parked on the side of the street.
- D. Bryden – 22nd Street and Confederation Drive – concrete jerseys by Tim Horton's – are continually getting hit, need to be more visible.
- R. Meier – intersection of Highway 41 and Highway 5 – was traffic count done for signage and lights – update?

The Administration undertook to review and/or follow-up on the above issues as necessary.

Moved By: A. Reichert

That the information be received.

CARRIED

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7. ADJOURNMENT

Moved By: D. Taylor

That the meeting be adjourned.

CARRIED

The meeting adjourned at 10:00 a.m.

Mr. K. Claffey, Chair