

PUBLIC MINUTES TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

November 10, 2015, 8:45 am Committee Room E, Ground Floor, City Hall

PRESENT:	Mr. K. Claffey, Chair
	Ms. C. Janzen, Vice Chair
	Councillor A. Iwanchuk
	Sergeant D. Bryden
	Mr. J. Chan
	Mr. D. Hingston
	Mr. C. Kuhnke
	Mr. A. Reichert
	Ms. D. Taylor

ABSENT: Ms. S. Bater Mr. B. Girling Mr. R. Meier

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

1. CALL TO ORDER

The Chair called the meeting to order.

2. CONFIRMATION OF AGENDA

Moved By: C. Kuhnke

That the agenda be confirmed as presented.

CARRIED

3. ADOPTION OF MINUTES [FILE NO. CK. 225-8]

Moved By: C. Kuhnke

That the minutes of regular meeting of the Traffic Safety Committee held on September 8, 2015 be adopted.

CARRIED

4. TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMUNICATION/EDUCATION [FILE NO. CK. 225-8]

The Chair provided an update regarding a recent meeting with Rawlco Transit. It was noted that Rawlco Transit will be extending the intersection safety bus tailboard campaign to the end of the year. Discussion followed regarding a social media campaign for 2016 and involving Communications to assist with the project. The Committee was in agreement to discuss this further at the next meeting.

Carl Kuhnke updated the Committee regarding the SGI Project Evaluation Report which was submitted to SGI on behalf of the Traffic Safety Committee. SGI required this report to be submitted upon completion of the project with respect to the \$2,000 grant the Committee received. Mr. Kuhnke noted SGI was pleased with the evaluation and the Committee's initiative.

Moved By: C. Janzen

That the information be received.

CARRIED

5. **REPORTS FROM ADMINISTRATION**

6. MEETING SCHEDULE FOR 2016 [FILE NO. CK. 225-8]

The Committee Assistant submitted the following proposed schedule of meetings for 2016:

Tuesday, January 12 Tuesday, February 9 Tuesday, April 12 Tuesday, May 10 Tuesday, June 14 Tuesday, September 13 Tuesday, November 8

Moved By: A. Reichert

That the meeting dates for the Traffic Safety Committee for 2016 be approved.

CARRIED

7. NEW ISSUES RAISED BY COMMITTEE MEMBERS [FILE NO. CK. 225-8]

7.1 Pedestrian/Vehicle Accidents (A. Iwanchuk)

• The Committee reviewed the submitted information.

7.2 Lorne Avenue Overpass - Signage (K. Claffey on behalf of G. Willie)

• The Committee reviewed the submitted information.

7.3 Traffic Concerns (K. Claffey)

- Add a white line on Cumberland between 8th Street and 7th Street. There are two driving lanes there, and there should also be a sign indicating that the right lane ends at the end of the block near 7th Street.
- Needs to be an added lane sign when turning right (heading north) from Hart Road east on 22nd Street.
- 23rd Street and 5th Avenue there needs to be a 4-way stop now that there are bike lanes. Visibility concerns.
- Concern about the bike lane on 4th Avenue and when parallel parking. Licence plates needed for bikes so they can be accountable for damages.
- 19th Street and 3rd Avenue needs to be a "this lane must turn left" sign (facing east).
- One way sign when behind Midtown Plaza going onto Auditorium Avenue.
- Walk lights are burned out on a lot of the intersections on 8th Street.

- Needs to be an added lane sign on Circle Drive heading south where College Drive merges on to Circle Drive to go to 14th Street.
- 3rd Avenue and 25th Street the left turn lane heading north is way too narrow. Needs to be wider.
- Advisory sign at the cloverleaf interchange needs to be changed from 30 to 40 km.
 - The Administration will review.

7.4 Bicycle Helmet Safety Study (C. Kuhnke)

• The Committee reviewed the submitted information.

7.5 Moving construction equipment on Circle Drive (A. Reichert)

o It was noted that this is an enforcement issue.

Moved By: A. Reichert

That the information be received.

CARRIED

8. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 9:56 a.m.

K. Claffey, Chair

J. Fast, Committee Assistant