



**PUBLIC AGENDA
TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMITTEE**

**Tuesday, February 9, 2016, 8:45 a.m.
Committee Room E, Ground Floor, City Hall
Members**

**Ms. C. Janzen, Chair
Mr. C. Kuhnke, Vice-Chair
Councillor A. Iwanchuk
Sergeant D. Bryden
Mr. J. Chan
Mr. K. Claffey
Mr. B. Girling
Mr. D. Hingston
Mr. R. Meier
Mr. A. Reichert
Ms. D. Taylor
Mr. S. Shannon**

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1. CALL TO ORDER

2. CONFIRMATION OF AGENDA

Recommendation

That the agenda be confirmed as presented.

3. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Recommendation

That the minutes of regular meeting of the Traffic Safety Committee held on January 12, 2016 be adopted.

4. PRESENTATION

4.1 Saskatoon Health Region - Draft Report on Injury Prevention

Mr. Josh Marko, Epidemiologist with the Saskatoon Health Region Public Health Observatory will be in attendance to present information regarding injury/hospitalization rates for motor vehicle accidents, pedestrian injuries and cycling injuries.

Recommendation

That the information be received.

5. REPORT OF THE CHAIR

6. TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMUNICATION/EDUCATION

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Attached is an excerpt from the minutes of meeting held on January 12, 2016.

As noted, the Committee agreed to further discuss two possible themes for the 2016 Traffic Safety Campaign:

1. Inattentive/distracted driving
2. Courteous driving

The Committee is requested to choose a theme.

Recommendation

That the Committee provide direction.

7. REPORTS FROM ADMINISTRATION

8. NEW ISSUES RAISED BY COMMITTEE MEMBERS

8.1 Dan Bryden

- Idylwyld Drive and 25th Street - traffic heading south on Idylwyld and attempting a left turn to go east on 25th Street must climb the hill in the center of the intersection, cross the railroad tracks and get to the crest of the hill before the oncoming northbound traffic is visible. When snow is piled on the raised concrete centre median on the south side of the intersection, seeing oncoming traffic is more challenging. More attention is needed at this intersection.

8.2 Ken Claffey

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- Trees blocking the view heading west on 113th at Lanyon Avenue. Traffic travels very fast and you have to have your car part way into the intersection to see if there is traffic. The one evergreen should not be there (picture attached).

8.3 Al Reichert

- Could a "no left turn" sign be put up for traffic driving north on Idylwyld Drive to stop vehicles from turning left on Jamieson Street (intersection where 23rd Street becomes Jamieson Street in the downtown). There are two left turning lanes at the light just before

and none at this intersection. An example where this was put into place to solve traffic backup is Broadway Avenue and 11th Street East.

8.4 Carl Kuhnke

- Impact of snow clearing and snow removal on traffic safety.

9. ADJOURNMENT

Traffic Concerns February 9, 2016

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