

Wildwood Neighbourhood Traffic Review
Tuesday, December 05, 2017, 7:00pm – 9:00pm
McClure United Church - 4025 Taylor St E

Agenda

1. Welcome & Introductions
2. Traffic Management Presentation - Draft Neighbourhood Traffic Plan
3. Draft Plan (small group) Discussion - Seeking Your Input
4. Next Steps - Where From Here?
5. Question/Answers

1. Welcome & Introductions

(Presented by Mitch Riabko and Kathy Dahl, Facilitators)

2. Traffic Management Presentation – Wildwood Neighbourhood Traffic Review

(Presented by Yang Li, Transportation Engineer, Engineer-in-Training)

- Presentation Outline
 - Neighbourhood Traffic Management Program
 - How We Got Here
 - What We Heard
 - What We Did
 - What We Propose
- Neighbourhood Traffic Management Program
 - Address neighbourhood traffic issues on local and collector streets:
 - Speeding concerns
 - Short-cutting concerns
 - Pedestrian safety
 - Intersection safety
- How We Got Here
 - May 2017 – Initial Traffic Meeting
 - May to December – gather feedback, conduct traffic studies, collect data, develop traffic plan
 - December 2017 – Follow Up Traffic Meeting - display proposed traffic plan and gather feedback
- What We Heard
 - Speeding Concerns:
 - Moss Ave
 - Parkdale Rd
 - Rosedale Rd
 - Avondale Rd

- Acadia Dr
 - Pedestrian Safety & Intersection Concerns:
 - Moss Ave & Parkdale Rd
 - Parkdale Rd
 - Avondale Rd
 - Intersection Safety Concerns:
 - Moss Ave & Parkdale Rd
 - Avondale Rd & Richardt Crt
 - Taylor St & Kingsmere Blvd
 - Other Concerns:
 - Parking
 - Maintenance issues
 - Major intersections
- What We Did
 - Compiled Information received:
 - Past Studies
 - Comments from initial meeting
 - Resident responses (phone calls, emails, letters)
 - Comments from Shaping Saskatoon discussions
 - Collected Data:
 - Traffic Studies
 - 5 Intersection / Pedestrian counts
 - 7 – 7 day traffic count (24 hour) & speed measurements
 - ADT studies
 - Collision history
 - Site visits / Field Reviews
 - Assessed the Issues
 - Generated proposed recommendations
- What We Propose
 - Curb Extensions
 - Zebra Crosswalk
 - Speed Display Board
 - Parking restrictions
 - Tree trimming
 - Accessibility ramps

3. Draft Plan (Table Group) Discussion

- Residents were divided into small groups to discuss the proposed recommendations

Refer to separate attachment for small group comments

4. Next Steps

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1. Send comments no later than January 05, 2018
2. Additional public input via Shaping Saskatoon no later than January 05, 2018
<http://shapingsaskatoon.ca/discussions>
3. Additional consultation if required
4. Present traffic plan to City Council
5. What if I don't agree?
6. Implementation to begin Spring 2018

5. Question & Answers

Residents: Moving transit mall from Circle Mall to 8th St?

City: It is part of BRT project on 8th St. Engagement will be taking place tomorrow.

Residents: Two Heritage Cres confuse people. Can we change E-W lane to Heritage Rd?

City: We will pass this to Planning Department. We only change signs if incorrect spelling. It is rare due to the impacts to residents.

Residents: How can this happen?

City: It is decided by Planning during concept plan stage.

Residents: We want a traffic light at the intersection of Avondale Rd & Mckercher Dr.

City: We will do a signal study to determine if it's necessary.

Residents: All NTRs done soon. Is there a follow-up? Are you starting all over again?

City: 2018 NTRs were selected and starting in January. We will have some changes when starting over again.

Residents: Speeding on 8th St, excess of 60kph. Eastbound vehicles are speeding from 50kph to 60kph to catch traffic light. Want it to be reduced 50kph to Mckercher Dr.

City: More enforcement is needed too. We review speed limit annually and we will look at this location.

Residents: We want to thank the city for the traffic plan.

List of Representatives:

- Mitch Riabko, Kathy Dahl – Great Works Consulting
- Lanre Akindipe - A/Senior Transportation Engineer, P.Eng., Transportation & Utilities
- Nathalie Baudais - Senior Transportation Engineer, P.Eng., Transportation & Utilities
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- Minqing Deng - Transportation Engineer, Engineer-in-Training, Transportation & Utilities
- Yang Li - Transportation Engineer, Engineer-in-Training, Transportation & Utilities