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Minutes

Meeting of the Twin Falls Traffic Safety Commission

August 13, 2015

City Council Chambers

305 3rd Avenue East Twin Falls, Idaho

CONFIRMATION OF QUORUM

CALL MEETING TO ORDER: 9:00 A.M.

CONSIDERATION OF THE AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA:

AGENDA ITEMS	Purpose	By:
I. <u>CONSENT CALENDAR:</u> 1. Consideration of the Minutes for July 9, 2015.		Randall Watson
II. <u>ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION:</u> 1. Discussion on speed study at South Park Ave. W. from Washington St. N. to Butler St.	Discussion	Michael Sullivan
III. <u>PUBLIC HEARINGS</u>		
IV. <u>ADJOURNMENT</u>		

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT: Brady Dickinson, Ted Warren, and Dennis Magill

COMMITTEE MEMBERS ABSENT: Randall Watson and Dave Benefiel

STAFF PRESENT: SSgt. Ron Fustos, Traffic Engineering Tech. Mike Sullivan, and Recording City Secretary Tina Kelley

STAFF ABSENT: Captain Matt Hicks, and Councilman Greg Lanting

Commission member Brady Dickinson called the meeting to order at 9:02 a.m. There is a conformation of a quorum present.

CONSIDERATION OF THE AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA:

I. CONSENT CALENDAR:

1. Consideration of the minutes for July 9, 2015.

MOTION:

Commissioner Ted Warren made the motion to approve the minutes for July 9, 2015. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Dennis Magill, all members present voted in favor of approving the minutes.

II. ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION:

1. Discussion on speed study at South Park Ave. W. from Washington St. N. to Butler St.

There is a short 25 mph section approximately 1/3 of a mile from Russet St. to Butler St. Traffic Engineering Tech. Mike Sullivan did a speed study on Sparks and on Victory and recommended to up the speeds back up to 35 mph on Washington St. to Butler St.

MOTION:

Commissioner Dennis Magill made a motion to increase the speed limit from Washington St. N. to Butler St. to 35 mph; with the recommendation going to city council. Commissioner Ted Warren seconded the vote. All present were in favor.

OLD BUSINESS:

Staff Sergeant Ron Fustos brought up citizens making left turns at intersections that have no left turns. Some areas include Washington St. and Addison Ave. Another section is Falls Ave and Blue Lakes Blvd. There is also a divider at Walmart off Cheney Ave. that people still make the S turn. Staff Sergeant Ron Fustos would like future discussion for ideas on preventing citizens to turn when they are not supposed to. Commissioner Ted Warren would like stats on crashes and citations in the problem areas. Commissioner Brady Dickinson would like this added to the agenda on the next meeting.

NEW BUSINESS:

Commissioner Ted Warren advised the Golden Corral's parking lot is now smaller since the new businesses have come in. Employees now have to park across the street in the other parking lot. Commissioner Ted was inquiring on the possibility of putting a crosswalk on Fillmore St. in the area of the Golden Corral parking lot. Traffic Engineer Tech. Mike Sullivan will look at the area to see if that is possible.

Commissioner Brady Dickinson was asking if all the school flashers were working. Both Traffic Engineer Tech Mike Sullivan and Staff Sergeant Ron Fustos advised they were all working.

III. **PUBLIC HEARINGS:** None.

IV. **ADJOURNMENT:**

MOTION:

Commissioner Ted Warren made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Dennis Magill. All were in favor. Commissioner Brady Dickinson adjourned the meeting at 09:24.

Tina Kelley
Recording Secretary