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VILLAGE OF MAMARONECK BOARD OF TRAFFIC COMMISSIONERS THURSDAY, JANUARY 11, 2018

 PRESENT: Chairman, Abby Roberts, Brian Kerr, David Salko, Ed Zagajeski
Vincent Keck, Fire Department Liaison
Daniel Sarnoff, Assistant Village Manager
P.O. Patrick Nadolske, Police Department Liaison
George Latimer, County Executive (8:10 pm)
Joe Mazzullo, Myron Tannenbaum, Shannon Purdy

Chairman Abby Roberts called to order the meeting at 7:30 p.m.

Ms. Roberts said that the meeting will start with an update from Mr. Sarnoff on where things stand on Fenimore Road based on our recommendations from last year.

Agenda will be taken out of order.

New Business

6. Parking Restrictions east of Palmer Avenue on Fenimore Road and traffic light.

Mr. Keck mentioned that there is construction when coming out of Prospect Avenue. It was suggested that parking be restricted 30 feet on each side of the intersection. Mr. Sarnoff said that to restrict parking does not solve the geometrics of the roadway.

Ms. Roberts said at the November and December meetings LED lights and a crosswalk were recommended to help with crossing and motorist's line of sight at Prospect Avenue and Fenimore Road.

Mr. Sarnoff said there was a request for proposal (RFP) to retain a traffic consultant for the village who will be paid on an hourly basis and will report to the Village Manager.

Ms. Roberts suggested that the consultant look over the Fenimore Road area first. She asked what rules other Village committees follow. Mr. Sarnoff said the more formal, then more time is taken. He stated that he plans to attend more Traffic meetings.

Village of Mamaroneck Board of Traffic Commissioners January 11, 2018 Page 1 of 4 Mr. Keck said that the consultant hired should be familiar with the Village of Mamaroneck and its roadway issues and also have a genuine interest in the Village.

On motion of Mr. Zagajeski, seconded by Mr. Kerr, the newly hired Traffic Consultant review the Fenimore Road area as a first assignment. Motion passed.

5. Beach and Tompkins Avenue – Street Lights

Mr. Sarnoff said he will contact Con Edison regarding solar lights at this intersection and will discuss at the next meeting. Put on February agenda.

Mr. Sarnoff asked that a Board member serve as a point person to relay relevant information to him. Mr. Keck offered.

1. Hoyt Avenue – Traffic Light

Traffic light under bridge from Mamaroneck Avenue to Hoyt Avenue was discussed by Ms. Tatavitto at the last meeting.

Messrs. Sarnoff and Keck both said the light does not appear to be out. Mr. Sarnoff said that the light is County property. Any light fixture changes are complex and hardware is expensive, e.g., adding a turning arrow.

Ms. Roberts asked if there is a traffic incidence report available. Mr. Sarnoff responded yes. She suggested to first get the report for Hoyt Avenue and upon review, and if appropriate, speak with the County on adding a turning signal to the light fixture.

2. Jefferson Avenue Stop Sign – No Left

At a previous meeting it was recommended that there be no left-hand turn between 8 am and 4 pm onto Mamaroneck Avenue from Jefferson Avenue. Mr. Zagajeski said on occasion it gets backed up. Mr. Sarnoff said there is no easy solution here and that holds true for many streets in the Village.

3. Avalon Willow – Left Hand Turn from Avalon Willow on to Mamaroneck Avenue

Mr. Sarnoff stated that the former owner for the A & P property on Mamaroneck Avenue, now a CVS, paid for the light at this location to allow easier egress from the parking lot.

Village of Mamaroneck Board of Traffic Commissioners January 11, 2018 Page 2 of 4 Mr. Sarnoff said that they cannot force any change to be made. He said Mamaroneck Avenue is a County road and he can make a request to the County to take a look at the roadway. He will get the accidents data report. Put on February agenda.

4. Honda Bob – Construction

The Board was unclear as to what Ms. Tatavitto's major concern was and she was not present. Mr. Sarnoff said the business is located on E. Prospect Avenue and the property was sold. Put on February agenda.

County Executive, George Latimer, joined the meeting at 8:10 p.m.

Mr. Latimer stopped by the meeting and asked what he can do to help. Mr. Sarnoff said that there are issues with certain County roads such as Mamaroneck Avenue at Hoyt Avenue and that a turning arrow be considered. Mr. Latimer mentioned that the turn is a hard left.

Mr. Sarnoff said that a timing study and analysis should be done from the Bridge to I-95. He will send the accidents data report to Mr. Latimer. Mr. Latimer provided his contact information.

Also, the crosswalk at Waverly and Mamaroneck Avenues should be relocated from the north side to south side of the intersection.

Mr. Latimer mentioned that he would like for the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program to come back. He asked that a letter be sent to him for the crosswalk change on Waverly Avenue.

The Board members thanked Mr. Latimer for his time and visit to their meeting.

County Executive, George Latimer, left the meeting at 8:20 p.m.

<u>Other</u>

- Hornridge Road. Ms. Roberts stated that she received an e-mail from a resident regarding speeding during school hours. Officer Nadolske said that there is much congestion at drop off and pick up times and speeding is unlikely with the volume of motorists. He said he will bring this to his boss's attention. The area will be patrolled for speeding and enforcement.

- Mr. Kerr suggested that there be a Village requirement that motorists who park in the road be required to shovel the snow around their vehicle. Mr. Sarnoff said that this action cannot be regulated.

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Minutes

Draft December Minutes

On motion of Mr. Keck, seconded by Mr. Kerr, the December Minutes were approved. Motion passed.

Adjournment

On motion of Mr. Zagajeski, seconded by Mr..Keck, the meeting was adjourned at 8:28 p.m. Motion passed.

PREPARED BY: Anne Hohlweck RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED BY: Agostino A. Fusco Clerk-Treasurer

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