



Meeting Minutes

DATE: January 5, 2011

SUBJECT: **TSAC Minutes from December 15, 2010**

Meeting called to order by acting Chairman Chief Paul Flannagan at 8:10 am..

Members Present:

- David Hickey, DPW Director
- Mike Dilusio, Resident Representative

The Traffic Safety Advisory Committee met on Decmebr 15, 2010 at 8AM to discuss the following issues brought before us:

- **Bus Route**
- **Cab stand location**

Acting Chairmen Flanagan explained that the Chair was out of Town and could not attend and also noted with the absences there was not a quorum. There were 2 members of the public in attendance and the meeting was opened for the purpose of allowing their testimony summarized as follows:

Mr. John Eade from Wadsworth Street, a 20 yr resident with a visual impairment stated that he felt bus service to the Metcalf Square area (noting Browns Drug Store, the funeral homes and the Playmakers) were important to him. He is a no driver and the service is important to him. He views Walden St as potentially more dangerous but more importantly as less convenient. Comment that the bus drivers are safe and recommend that consideration be given to restriction parking on Hermon Street.

Mr Jim Soper of Read Street, commented that he feel the Hermon / Pauline bus stops are very busy and was concerned that a route change may have an economic impact as well as a increased risk of hurting children along Ingleside Park. He continues to be concern with the large truck activity associated with Muffin Town and the lack of handicap amenities along Walden Street.

With no further comments Mike Dilisio made a motion to adjourn continuing both items to the next agenda. The motion was seconded by Dave Hickey and a unanimous vote was cast.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:40 am