



MINUTES
Traffic Engineering Committee
Tuesday, November 5, 2013

PRESENT: Scott Hinton
Shawn Christ
Tim DeVrieze
Mike Waldron
Todd Allen

STAFF: Andrea Peterson

OTHER: Scott Raes
Dick Brown

Scott Hinton called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

Agenda Items:

- 1. Approval of minutes of the Traffic Engineering Committee meeting of October 2, 2013.** Prior to approval of last month's meeting minutes the Committee discussed the request to make 12th Street from 19th to 23rd Avenue a school zone. Committee found this request to be justifiable. A large number of children walk this section of 12th Street to go to school. Motion to make 12th Street from 19th to 23rd Avenue a school zone by Waldron, seconded by Christ. Motion carried unanimously. Motion to approve minutes by Waldron, seconded by Christ. Motion carried unanimously.
- 2. Request for a 3-way stop at the intersection of 18th Street and 5th Avenue.** Resident requested a 3-way stop to prevent speeding and any future accidents from occurring at the intersection of 18th street and 5th Avenue. Committee discussed that stop signs are not used to prevent speeding in an area. There is a stop sign heading south on 18th Street to prevent accidents occurring between southbound traffic and east and west bound traffic. Motion to deny request by Christ, seconded by Waldron. Motion carried unanimously.
- 3. Request that parking be prohibited in the cul-de-sac at 52nd Street Court, south of 34th Avenue, off of 53rd Street.** If a cul-de-sac's radius is less than 40 ft, the cul-de-sac would warrant no parking. This particular cul-de-sac has a radius of 37 ½ feet. Motion to approve and install a no parking sign by Waldron, seconded by Christ. Motion carried unanimously.
- 4. Request for additional signage on 17th Avenue between 15th Street Place and 16th Street to inform drivers that 17th Avenue is a one-way.** After reviewing the request our Committee concluded that additional signage was needed to inform drivers that 17th Avenue between 15th Street Place and 16th Street is a one way. An order will be issued for additional street sign installation.
- 5. Request for a street light at 2nd Avenue and 35th Street.** Motion to install a light on an existing poll at 2nd Avenue and 34th Street by Waldron, seconded by Christ. Motion passed 4 to 1 with DeVrieze voting nay.

Other:

Mayor Raes requested an update on the possible left turn only lane at 1st Street and 19th Avenue. Hinton plans to count cars here as well as 41st Street and 32nd Avenue this winter when construction season slows down.

Hinton updated the Committee on the change to the intersection of 42nd Street and 23rd Avenue. The City of Moline's Traffic Light Specialist added an additional second of timing to the green light leaving Aldi's to allow drivers more time to exit the intersection prior to the green light at Hy-Vee.

Motion to adjourn by Hinton, seconded by Waldron. Meeting adjourned at 2:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Andrea Peterson
Administrative Secretary, Public Works - Engineering