

KETCHUM TRAFFIC AUTHORITY

Thursday, May 12, 2016, 9:00 A.M.

Location: Ketchum City Hall Third Floor Conference Room
480 East Avenue North
Ketchum, Idaho

Present: Robyn Mattison, Public Works Director
David Kassner, Chief of Police
Micah Austin, Planning and Building Director
Brian Christiansen, Street Superintendent
Michael David, Councilmember
Shellie Rubel, Recording Secretary

Also Present: Margaret Ferris, Ketchum Resident
Randy Flynn

1. OPENING OF MEETING

Meeting began at 9:04am
The meeting began with item #4

New Business

2. Adoption of Minutes

April 21, 2016,

Motion to approve.

Mover: Robyn Mattison, Public Works Director

Seconded: Micah Austin, Planning and Building Director

All in favor.

3. 15 minute parking on west side of Washington Avenue between Sun Valley Rd and Second.

David Kassner explained the issues of parking on Washington to the group and talked about enforcement. During the discussion Michael David brought up metered parking and having an overall parking plan. They then discussed painting the 15 minute parking spots as well as signage. They agreed to have Robyn Mattison and Brian Christiansen take a look at that half of the block and painting the spots.

Motion to approve 15 minute parking and painting based on the recommendation of Robyn Mattison and Brian Christiansen.

Mover: Robyn Mattison, Public Works Director

Seconded: Micah Austin, Planning and Building Director

All in favor.

4. No overnight parking on 10th Street west of Warm Springs

Robyn Mattison introduced the item and asked Margaret Ferris, Ketchum Resident to inform the group of the situation on 10th Street by her home. Ferris explained that there was an issue of people parking there late at night and partying on the street. The group discussed the issues on 10th and the parking situation and different types of signage that could solve the problems. David Kassner questioned why the police hadn't been called and asked Ferris to call

them in the future. The group decided to install no parking overnight signs as determined by Brian Christiansen's recommendation.

Motion to install No Overnight Parking on 10th Street as recommended by Brian Christiansen.

Mover: Robyn Mattison, Public Works Director

Seconded: Micah Austin, Planning and Building Director

All in favor.

Old Business

5. Install 2-20 mph speed limit signs on Skiway between Picabo St and Skiway drive hill

David Kassner told the group he went over and ran radar himself. They talked about what signage was already in place a 5 mph sign was the only sign. They talked about enforcement and what was needed. The group agreed to install 2 x 20mph signs.

Motion to approve installation of 2 x 20mph speed signs on Skiway Drive.

Mover: Micah Austin, Planning and Building Director

Seconded: Robyn Mattison, Public Works Director

All in favor.

6. Fish eye mirror on WRT at 4th Street connector (on hold)

Robyn Mattison and Micah Austin gave an overview that Suzanne wanted to make sure that the group was looking at the effects of using the fisheye mirrors and commented that the suggestion was made for safety reasons. Mattison commented that they had once talked about painting a triangle by the bike bath. David Kassner suggested that painting be used mark the locations by the bike path and the city could do that now. Mattison asked the group if they would rather have the painting than the fisheyes and they agreed.

Motion to approve painting triangle sign on 4th street WRT by the bike path.

Mover: Robyn Mattison, Public Works Director

Seconded: David Kassner, Chief of Police

All in favor.

7. Speeds on residential streets (recommendation Chief Kassner)

No discussion on this item.

8. Main Street/Sun Valley Road signal timing (Mattison ITD)

Robyn Mattison informed the group that she had a call from an electrician from Twin Falls that's been hired by ITD to replace all the controllers on our lights and he's replacing video detectors on 1st Street and Sun Valley Road S. The group discussed how best to do a study at Sun Valley Road and that they would need something real time to show what's actually happening there, everyone liked that idea.

9. No right turn sign Warm Spring/Bald Mountain Rd (Christiansen lengths of speed)

Brian Christiansen gave the group an overview of why the item was up for discussion and that a request was made for lengths of speed during a discussion on speed limits for Warm Springs. Christiansen explained that he had spoken to Bruce Christensen at ITD in which Bruce commented that it would be hard to enforce. David Kassner commented on enforcement and pointed out that there have been no crashes there. ***No decision was made for this item.***

Items not on the agenda

10. 4 way stop on Washington/2nd Street

Robyn Mattison asked the group if before they took any action should they have a traffic engineer take a look at it and the group discussed having someone look at it. They then went on to a bigger discussion of signage throughout the city. Dave Kassner talked about Main & River and Mattison commented about the concrete barriers on the corner. Kassner talked about the line of site and visibility at the corner. Michael David said the group should look at 4th, 5th and 6th. They all agreed that this intersection was a bad intersection. David Kassner commented that they needed a plan and everyone agreed. Mattison said she would talk administration about doing a study for the community core, she then talked about a grant that was received for \$15k in 2017. Christiansen said that he would contact the Limelight project to have them move the concrete barriers back.

11. 1st / Washington Ave Stop Sign

Micah Austin requested a stop and stated his concerns. David Kassner suggested a temporary sign and the group discussed the issues there. They talked about temporary stop signs in Hailey and how it's working.

Motion to adjourn at 10:20am

Mover: Robyn Mattison, Public Works Director

Seconded: Micah Austin, Building & Planning Director

All in favor.