



City of Ketchum

CITY OF KETCHUM, IDAHO TRAFFIC AUTHORITY MEETING MINUTES

Thursday, October 21, 2021 9:00AM
Ketchum City Hall Council Chambers
480 East Avenue North
Ketchum, Idaho

Present: Jade Riley, City Administrator
Suzanne Frick, Director of Planning & Building
Brian Christiansen, Director of Streets & Facilities
Jamie Shaw, Ketchum Chief of Police
Seth Martin, Ketchum Fire Marshall
Cameron Rendahl, Ketchum Community Service Officer
Kelli Trapp, Recording Secretary

Not Present: Michael David, City Councilmember

1. Opening of Meeting

Meeting called to order at 9:00 AM by City Administrator Jade Riley

ACTION ITEMS

2. ACTION ITEM: Adoption of Minutes

A. September 16, 2021

MOTION:

Motion to approve the adoption of the minutes of September 16, 2021

MOVER: Brian Christiansen

SECONDER: Jamie Shaw

All in favor

3. ACTION ITEM: Discussion and potential action on speed data from 2nd Avenue, north and south of Trail Creek Bridge

Brian Christiansen explained the results of the speed data collected from this location. There is currently one 15 mph cautionary sign on Serenade turning right onto 2nd Ave and four speed limit signs between Serenade and Cottonwood, so basically there are two in each direction on either side of the bridge. On Hwy 75 the City is already on record with potential reengineering of south of town to look at that 25-35 speed transition zone, which is currently ITD jurisdiction, not the City's, Jade Riley stated. The Group agreed that an engineering analysis is critical for evaluating what the speed should be in this location. *One action could be for Brian to work with our traffic engineer to look at 5-10 streets in town for illuminated speed signs.*

MOTION:

Motion to create a criteria for evaluation and priority for placement of illuminated signs and to establish this street 2nd Avenue, as a priority for placement

MOVER: Suzanne Frick

SECONDER: Brian Christiansen

All in favor

4. ACTION ITEM: Discussion and potential action on speed data from Saddle Rd between Spur and Valleywood

Christiansen explained the results of the speed data collected from this location. Jamie Shaw explained the accident data from this location. Frick said that the City has to allow a level of truck route for construction sites. *Riley said the City can speak to the City of Sun Valley's engineer for some participation on their part and see if there is a global strategy between the two communities.*

5. ACTION ITEM: Discussion and potential action on speed data from Warm Springs Road between Exhibition and River Run

Christiansen explained the results of the speed data collected from this location. The speed limit is 20mph going up the hill on Warm Springs Rd, right before the bridge going uphill, and right past Canyon Run at the bus stop. Right past the bus stop is the 30mph sign.

Riley stated that the City just recently kicked off the Main St and Warm Springs Intersection Alternatives Analysis and the City will be looking at ways to keep intersections safer. Frick suggested a traffic engineer look at the whole thing to see what measures should take place. Riley said that we can put this as part of HDR's evaluation. *Christiansen will get information from the sign manufacturer on sign placement and forward the information to the Group.*

MOTION:

Motion to look at Warm Springs Rd from the intersection of Saddle up to Skiway and determine an appropriate speed and put this as Phase One

MOVER: Suzanne Frick

SECONDER: Brian Christiansen

All in favor

6. ACTION ITEM: Discussion to hold a KTA Special Meeting and Public Hearing for Winter Parking Plan

This meeting will be similar to last year's meeting on the Winter Parking Plan. The City is looking to simplify the signs and make improvements to towing operations. Riley will put slides together and open it up to public testimony. Lisa Enourato will do a press release and public outreach. *This meeting is scheduled for November 3 at 9:00AM.*

MOTION:

Motion to adjourn at 9:31AM

MOVER: Seth Martin

SECONDER: Brian Christiansen

All in favor



Jade Riley
City of Ketchum Traffic Authority Chairperson

Kelli Trapp
City of Ketchum Traffic Authority Recording Secretary