

Safety, Traffic, & Parking

11/30/10 Meeting MINUTES

Present: L. Denamur, P. Kohlmeier, Alderman S. McMeans, R. Wolfe, R. Kramer

Absent: D. Weber, A. Habeck, J. Zimmer

Other Staff & Alderpersons: Deputy Chief B. Brennan, City Engineer V. Mellon,
Deputy City Engineer G. Minikel, MMT Mgr D. Muench, Alderman J. Brey

1. Called to Order at 4:00 by S. McMeans.
2. Motion to approve 9/28/10 & 10/26/10 Minutes made by R. Wolfe.
Seconded by L. Denamur. Motion carried unanimously.
3. Items referred from Public Property & Safety 11/15/10:
 - 624 **D. Muench, Maritime Metro Transit, request for No Parking on North 6th Street**
D. Muench distributed photos and explained that his request for No Parking on the east side of North 6th St just north of the Manitou Manor entrance would help the city buses to safely make the turn onto North 6th St especially in the winter.
L. Denamur made a motion to approve the request. Seconded by R. Kramer. Motion carried unanimously.
 - 625 **J. Brey request for discussion and possible action on the following:**
 - a) J. Brey explained Randy DeRoche's request for parking along the east side of his building located at 1701 Washington St. G. Minikel recommended removing the current restrictions and allow unlimited parking in front of the Maritime Insurance building. L. Denamur made a motion to allow unlimited parking in front of the business. Seconded by P. Kohlmeier. Motion carried unanimously.
 - b) Residents from North 24th St and North 23rd St near Fairmont St voiced their concerns about Federal Mogul employees parking on the streets rather than parking in the designated employee parking lot. Their request was to have two hour parking on both sides of North 24th Street near Federal Mogul and two hour parking extended on North 23rd St to Markham Street. An employee of Federal Mogul was present who confirmed that the company does encourage employees to use the parking lot but also confirmed that most of the employees parking on the street are doing so because it's closer for them than the parking lot is. The committee felt that approving this request will just push the problem further down Fairmont and LaFollette Ave so R. Wolfe made a motion to table this issue and bring it back with the neighbors from Fairmont and LaFollette Ave. He also told the neighbors that STP normally doesn't meet in December, unless something urgent needs to be addressed, so the next meeting will most likely be January 25.
4. Old Business: None
5. Meeting Adjourned