

City of Canby

Traffic Safety Commission

Minutes of the meeting of June 8, 2018

Commission members present: Corey Boehler, Bob Cambra, Jackie Jones, Andrea Warnock
Excused: Bob Backstrom, Clint Coleman,

City members present: Jennifer Cline, Director Canby Public Works; Traci Hensley, City Council liaison for the TSC;

Others present: Julie Rushton, Tom Rushton, Julie Wehling Canby Transit Director

Introduction: Everyone present introduced themselves. Jackie chaired this meeting.

Approval of Minutes: The draft of the May 11th minutes were reviewed and unanimously approved.

Citizen Input:

Julie and Tom Rushton: They explained their interpretation of the present Beck development plan indicates the Hope Village private roads are being considered as access road options. (They presented a written statement.) Discussion: This matter will be scheduled for next month's agenda. This will allow all members time to examine and research the concerns enabling a more thoughtful and complete discussion. It also allows for a more planned agenda. It is expected a member will be assigned to each concern for follow up if necessary.

They stated the development discussion is planned for the next Planning Commission meeting, which will be prior to our next meeting. They were encouraged to gather their support group including the Hope Village Association to testify at the Planning Commission with their concerns. It was also noted private roadways are not normally considered for public access. Bob Volunteered to follow up with the Planning Department in preparation for next month's meeting.

Post note: In talking to the Planning Department it was indicated: 1) Hope Village roadway are not being considered as access routes for any outside development. 2) The Rushton were assured when they testified at the Planning Commission their private roads are not being considered as access points for the Beck Development. They were also told the steps their association can further take to enhance their privacy.

Carolyn Adkins: Carolyn Adkins submitted a written request to the Commission to consider creating a 4 way stop at the intersection of Elm and 2nd street. The request had been emailed to all members with the agenda for the meeting. This matter will be scheduled for next month's agenda. This will allow all members time to examine and research the concerns enabling a more thoughtful and complete discussion. It also allows for a more planned agenda. It is expected a member will be assigned to each concern for follow up if necessary.

Julie Wehling, Canby Transit Director: Julie explained Canby Area Transit (CAT) wants to move the present transit bus stop located on South 2nd and Knott. The signpost is located right on one of the corners of this small intersection. She provided printed information and a map describing the need for the move, situation, and alternatives. The material can be seen on page 37/38 of the Canby Transit Master Plan Volume II: Draft Plan. One alternative being considered is located on the near the corner of SE 2nd Ave. and S Locus St. This matter will be scheduled for next month's agenda. This will allow all members time to examine and research the concerns enabling a more thoughtful and complete discussion. It also allows for a more planned agenda. It is expected a member will be assigned to each concern for follow up if necessary.

Old Business:

Regarding high school students jaywalking and distractively crossing S 13th Street at lunchtime, Bob Cambra and Andrea Warnock volunteered to approach both the High School and Dutch Brothers' coffee shop to partner with them to see what can be done to educate students and also to utilize the new PSA when it becomes available.

New Business:

Board Members Reports:

Jackie announced her resignation from the Commission because she just got a position with the State of Oregon PERS. Her work schedule does not allow her to attend our meetings. She is committed to remaining active in helping with our PSBs effort. She was thanked for her service to the city.

Following up on last month's concern regarding pedestrians at crosswalks on S Ivy and vehicles not stopping to yield to pedestrians attempting to cross the street, it was pointed out the police had recently completed an educational effort regarding this concern. This issue has been continued for further discussion.

Social Media concerns: When a unique social media concern was presented, it promoted a discussion on how we handling these internet expressed concerns. This will be continued for further discussion.

Canby Public Works News & Announcements: Jennifer Cline shared Clackamas County will be sponsoring an informational event on June 13 at the Canby Library looking at the present Canby Ferry system and future alternatives. Members were encouraged to become educated on the issue and the possible impacts on the City of Canby especially if alternatives increase traffic flow in to the city.

Meeting adjourned. The next meeting will be Friday, July 13th at 8:30 am.

Respectfully submitted,
Bob Cambra
Secretary