

## City of Canby

### Traffic Safety Commission

Minutes of the meeting of December 14, 2018

**Commission members present:** Janet Bailey, DeAnna Ball-Karb, Corey Boehler, Bob Cambra,

**City members present:** Traci Hensley

**Others present:** Karen Hill

**Introduction:** Everyone present introduced themselves.

**Approval of Minutes:** The draft of the November 9th minutes were reviewed and unanimously approved.

**Citizen Input:** **Karen Hill** expressed her frustration over the speeding on SW 13<sup>th</sup> Street and the illegal parking along the high school fields during scheduled activities. She explained currently there is lot of signage in the area including: 1) traveling west –there are 3 25 mph signs, 1 20 mph sign, and 1 “fines double in school zone”, 2) traveling east-there are 2 25 mph signs, 1 “school zone 20mph school days 7 am till 5 pm”, 1 “Fines double in a school”. She stated, “There is no excuse for exceeding the speed zone”. She stated the signs do not deter behavior. She has already contacted the Canby Chief of Police. He was responsive. He had an officer appear with a radar device and traffic slowed. However, once they are gone speeding returned. They had a trailer with a speed indicating device on it and traffic disregarded it. Also the illegal parking is so “disrespectful” and very obvious. It is also abusing the designated bike lane. She described it as a regular, on going problem. She asked for help in finding a solution.

Traci Hensley stated she will speak to Rick Robinson about asking the Chief to have a motorcycle officer on Territorial and 13<sup>th</sup> regularly for two weeks.

Cory stated, “we need to look at what are the long term solutions”?

Some of the ideas discussed included having the Neighborhood Association get involved in advocating a solution. Bob asked if the Redflex System maybe part of the answer for this roadway and Territorial. These are both very busy designated Arterial Roadways in Canby. It would involve advocating a legislative change for use in our city because it is used by a few cities already. He felt the Redflex system provides continuous enforcement.

### **Old Business:**

### **New Business:**

**Traci Hensley** informed the Commission, Jennifer Cline has resigned as the Public Works Director. For family reasons, she has decided to move to the Bend area.

### **Board Members Reports:**

**DeAnna Ball-Karb** felt there needs to be crosswalks install at various intersections on Territorial Road. She explained, despite Territorial being one of City’s busiest streets, there is only one marked crosswalk in the City portion. Which is at the Logging Road. It was requested this issue be scheduled on the Agenda to allow Public Works to prepare for a discussion.

She also wanted to thank Public Works for painting the lane roadway markings near the Space Age gas station and Hwy 99.

**Bob Cambra** explained the City recently amend the City Code after the discussion about the “No Truck Route” on 13<sup>th</sup>. The new code added some new definitions including “Local Delivery Only” and

“Local Trucks” (meaning any truck that begins in or ends a trip within the City Limits of the City). The question is “Are police going to be able to enforce this truck ordinance”? It would seem to make it very difficult for an Officer to determine Probable Cause to be able to stop any truck moving in Canby.

**Clint Coleman** wanted the following shared: He reached out to the Manager of Starbucks who is aware of the problem of kids crossing in front of his store and wants to work with us to develop a solution. He gave Clint the name of the Landlord who operates the Shopping Center. Clint will reach out to her as a next step. Regarding the Commission effort to identify all the existing and future locations for Digital Speed Signs and lighted signal crosswalks in the city, this will be carried over to the New Year for a future agenda discussion.

**The meeting was adjourned. The next meeting will be Friday, January 11, 2018 at 8:30am.**

Respectfully submitted,  
Bob Cambra  
Secretary