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TRAFFIC & SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING

Tuesday, June 26, 2012

Committee Room #1

PRESENT: Alds. McBride, Moldenhauer, Pantuso, Wilke – 4

EXCUSED: Ald. Roznowski

ALSO PRESENT: Mayor Ehley; Alds. Hanson; J. Archambo, City Admin.; W. Porter, Public Works Dir.; P. Enders, Development Dir.; R. Kelly, Street Design Engin.

Ald. Wilke as Chair called the meeting to order at 7:34 p.m.

Ordinance amending Chapter 11.32.080 of the city code to add a ‘no parking here to corner’ restriction on Elm Lawn and a ‘no parking’ restriction on Watertown Plank Road during the morning and evening rush hours

The committee reviewed the above ordinance that had been re-referred from Council.

Moved by Ald. McBride, seconded by Ald. Moldenhauer to recommend approval of the ordinance amending Chapter 11.32.080 of the city code adding a ‘no parking here to corner’ restriction on Elm Lawn and a ‘no parking’ restriction on Watertown Plank Road during the morning and evening rush hours – 4

Ordinance amending Chapter 11.32.080 of the city code to add a 15-minute parking zone on the north side of Warren Avenue between Wauwatosa and Underwood Avenues near Lincoln School

The committee reviewed the above ordinance that had been re-referred from Council.

Moved by Ald. Moldenhauer, seconded by Ald. Pantuso to recommend approval of the ordinance amending Chapter 11.32.080 of the city code adding a 15-minute parking zone on the north side of Warren Avenue between Wauwatosa and Underwood Avenues near Lincoln School – 4

Ordinance amending Chapter 11.32.080 of the city code to add two-hour parking restrictions for 11127 W. Blue Mound Road

The committee reviewed the above ordinance that had been re-referred from Council.

Moved by Ald. Pantuso, seconded by Ald. McBride to recommend approval of an ordinance amending Chapter 11.32.080 of the city code to add two-hour parking restrictions for 11127 W. Blue Mound Road – 4

Request for a 90-day trial for ADA compliant on-street parking at 6502 W. North Avenue

The committee reviewed a request for a 90-day trial for Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) compliant, on-street parking at 6502 W. North Avenue. Mr. Porter noted that this request was from the owner of a medical equipment store at that location. The owner was looking for ADA compliant parking for his customers. The parking space will line up with the ADA ramp the owner had installed at the front of the store.

Moved by Ald. Pantuso, seconded by Ald. McBride to approve a 90-day trial for ADA compliant on-street parking at 6502 W. North Avenue – 4

Options for improvements to the pedestrian crossing at Harwood Avenue and W. State Street

Mr. Porter described the deteriorating conditions of the cross walk located at Harwood Avenue and W. State Street. The location and the condition of the pavement pose a safety hazard for pedestrians visiting the Village area. An estimated crosswalk upgrade would cost approximately \$25,000. He noted other safety projects that were being considered especially railroad crossings. Mayor Ehley commented that the pedestrian crossing was critical. If the repairs are put off too long they will be close to the start of the next project in the Village area. One suggestion was to move the current crosswalk further east to line up with the sidewalk in front of Bartolotta’s restaurant. There was also a suggestion to add a concrete island as a pedestrian stopping point.

Moved by Ald. Pantuso, seconded by Ald. McBride to direct the Public Works Director to pursue and consider options for the crosswalk area and to report back to the committee in a timely manner – 4

The meeting adjourned at 8:04 p.m.

Carla A. Ledesma, City Clerk

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