

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY, HEALTH & TRAFFIC

December 5, 2023 at 6:15 PM

Chairman Barry called the meeting to order.

The Clerk called the roll.

Present: Aldermen Barry, Long, Stewart, Kantor

Absent: Alderman George-Kelly

Messrs.: O. Friend-Gray

1. The Traffic Division has submitted an agenda which needs to be addressed:

NO PARKING ANYTIME

On Mammoth Road, east side, from Corning Road to a point 80 feet south

Alderman Sapienza

On Chestnut Street, east side, from Webster Street to a point 55 feet north

Alderman Cavanaugh

CROSSWALK

On Calef Road, south of Elmwood Avenue

On Elmwood Avenue, west of Calef Avenue

Alderman Burkush

RESCIND NO PARKING ANYTIME

On Cass Street, east side, from Central Street to a point 55 feet north

(ORD 9842)

Alderman Fajardo

RESCIND CROSSWALK

On Calef Road, north and south of Elmwood Avenue (ORD 1749)

Alderman Burkush

*On motion of **Alderman Long**, duly seconded by **Alderman Stewart**, it was voted to approve.*

2. Communication from Christopher Goodnow, Parking Manager, regarding a request from ABC News to use the Middle Street Lot as its broadcast location for the Presidential Primary Election from January 14 through January 24.

*On motion of **Alderman Long**, duly seconded by **Alderman Stewart**, it was voted to approve.*

3. Communication from Valerie Anderson, owner of Mr. Mac's, requesting the Department of Public Works paint "Do Not Block" on the roadway in front of their driveway and install appropriate roadside signage.

Alderman Long asked when somebody request a "Do Not Block" does the city pay for that.

Owen Friend-Gray, Deputy Director of Public Works, stated historically yes because we do that work in house. We do it as part of the guys' regular painting. This time of year, we won't be painting; it is too cold. We would do this in the spring.

Alderman Long stated you have the funds to add this in there. It is not too close to the light?

Mr. Friend-Gray stated no there is enough distance. What the concern is, is from that light it is backing up through that intersection, and then the problem is turning into Mr. Mac's. That is the primary problem because that then backs up south-bound traffic and grid-locks it.

Alderman Stewart asked is DPW in support of this request.

Mr. Friend-Gray replied yes.

*On motion of **Alderman Long**, duly seconded by **Alderman Kantor**, it was voted to approve.*

*There being no further business, on motion of **Alderman Stewart**, duly seconded by **Alderman Long**, it was voted to adjourn.*

A True Record. Attest.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Matthew Normand". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Clerk of Committee