

COMPLETE STREETS COMMITTEE MINUTES November 7, 2019 4:00 PM

PRESENT: Berta Geller, Tony Omer, Tony Higgins, Oliver Osness.

ABSENT: Rachael Baumrin.

ALSO PRESENT: Jane Rossi

Berta opened the meeting at 4:00 PM.

DISCUSSION:

Flashing Speed Signs:

Jane reported that the signs had not yet been installed. She was asked to check on the status of the installation.

CPC Application/Funding:

Berta stated that the application for CPA funding had been submitted and she explained that the application required two estimates for the engineering work for shared use paths on Old County Road. She said we just received a second estimate of \$350,000.00. Berta continued by informing the committee that the hearing before the CPA has been continued to December because there are several applicants. Jane was asked to ask Heidi how long we would have to wait before hearing if we will be granted funding.

Land Bank lot across from the WT School:

Jane said she would call the Land Bank and explain that we are required to have an 8 foot wide path instead of the 6 feet we had originally requested. Berta asked who would install the path and Jane said she believed it would be White-Lynch.

Power Point Presentation for the public meeting on OC Road SUP's:

The committee reviewed the presentation slides for the public meeting and made their suggestions. Berta stated that the committee needs to point out that the volume of traffic gets worse every year. She said that Bill Veno will speak on the history of shared use paths on the island. She said she would express to those in attendance that we want to maintain our rural character. Tony stated that it is important to not make the paths too wide. He said he felt that 10 feet was a lot. Oliver stated that Berta should mention that we may need to ask for easements. Tony said it would be nice to have the paths meander around the trees as much as possible. Berta said she will mention that we have 44 projects in our prioritization plan. Jane said she would make the maps bigger and Oliver said he will provide an area on the maps for comments. Berta commented that there seems to be more room on the east side of OC Road in the right of way, and there are hardly any telephone poles.

Berta also informed the committee that Doug Marcella has agreed to conduct a survey of Lambert's Cove Beach parking lot for \$1000. Jane was asked to confirm with the Parks and Recreation Committee that they will contribute \$500 to the cost of the survey. Berta said that the committee may be applying for Transportation Improvements Program (TIP) funding.

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Jane was asked to make the maps for the presentation larger if possible. Oliver said he would create a space on the map for the public to add comments.

MINUTES:

Berta made a motion to approve the October 8, 2019 minutes and Oliver seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous.

Meeting Adjourned at 5:00 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Rossi

Approved on November 21, 2019