

Citizens Advisory Traffic Commission (CATC) September 12, 2018 Traffic Control Center Conference Room 325 MINUTES

MEMBERS PRESENT	MEMBERS ABSENT	STAFF PRESENT
John Ledger	Zeke Liming	Kevin Hottmann
Alan Scott	Stephen Price	Tony Martin
Denise Van Dyke	Lowell Wetzel	Anthony Gamallo
Reuben Worster		Toni Whitler
Keith Quick (late)		

1. ROLL CALL AND INTRODUCTIONS

Liming, Stephen Price, and Lowell Wetzel absent Keith Quick arrived late.

2. MINUTES

July 11, 2018 minutes were not approved due to lack of quorum.

3. PRESENTATION

a. Process for Traffic Control Requests – Tony Martin

Mr. Martin went over the process for traffic control requests and answered questions from the Commission.

Commissioner Worster asked about areas with impaired vision. Mr. Martin responded that there are staff available to investigate those issues. Worster asked about county areas and Mr. Martin replied that the City cannot do anything about issues in the county. If vision is blocked, the property owner is required to trim bushes/trees.

Mr. Martin went over the process for a neighborhood to submit a complaint. Complaints regarding speeding total about 10-15 per month. A radar gun is loaned to a resident so they can see how fast people are going.

Commissioner Quick said people are often unaware of where to take an issue, and the City website doesn't clearly direct you to the necessary steps. He would like more engagement of the website for residents. Mr. Hottman noted that issues come through Facebook, Twitter, and NextDoor. People also call dispatch, Police, and are routed to him.

Quick noted that an email address would be helpful. Hottmann said he would look at how to make it easier.

Commissioner Scott added that Northeast Neighbors (NEN) has a section on its agenda for residents to address these issues.

b. Pedestrian Safety Study – Anthony Gamallo

Mr. Gamallo presented the Pedestrian Safety Study and the development of safer crossings and providing a means for residents to request a safe crosswalk. The idea is to have a website to go to and answer criteria to rank the request. There will be a prioritized list when funding opportunities become available.

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Mr. Gamallo said they are currently developing criteria with two levels, the second being more robust. He said there will be a committee with staff, members of the public, and CATC members. Commissioner Scott expressed interest in being part of the committee.

4. ADJOURN

Meeting adjourned at 7:05 p.m.