

**City of Lafayette Traffic Commission Meeting Minutes**  
**Tuesday, March 2, 2021**

**Members Present:** Cindy Murray, City Clerk introduced Dave Hittle the new Director of the Tippecanoe Area Plan Commission who will be replacing Sallie Fahey on the Traffic Commission. The following members were present: Todd Wilkins, Bob Downing Ron Campbell, Keth Sep, Sgt. Scott Anderson, Nick Sandifer, Robert Stwalley, Heather Maddox and Bob Metzger. Jeromy Grenard, City Engineer was also present. Quorum present

**Election of Officers**

Mr. Campbell moved to continue Mr. Sapp as president for 2021 Mr. Downing seconded. Motion passed. Dr. Stwalley nominated Miss Maddox as pro-tem, Mr. Campbell seconded. The motion passed by unanimous voice vote

**Approval of Minutes:**

Dr. Stwalley moved to approve the minutes of the September 1, 2020 meeting, Mr. Campbell seconded. The motion passed.

**Old Business:**

*Speeding on South 30<sup>th</sup> Street*

Mr. Grenard, City Engineer shared the area being studied was from Union Street through to Kossuth Street. Traffic Counters were placed and the average speed was 28-29 mph, 35-36 mph through the 85<sup>th</sup> percentile. Discussion ensued. Sgt. Anderson reported on increased traffic control in that area and that several warnings and tickets were issued. Sgt. Anderson noted many of the offenders were residents of the actual area. Mr. Grenard stated he would reach out to the neighborhood association for their input. Mr. Grenard spoke regarding traffic calming bump out at several intersections. Discussion ensued. The commission agreed this needs to be studied further and no commission action was taken.

**City Engineer's Report:**

Mr. Grenard gave brief updates on the following areas:

1. The Twyckenham Blvd project has been completed and the trail connection which is an important part of the trail system was also completed.
2. Park East Blvd south extension will begin later this year.
3. The new traffic signal design for Bon-Lou and Creasy Lane is 90% ready and should be going out for bid soon.
4. Work will begin soon on the drainage project for 9<sup>th</sup> and Kossuth Streets. The project will also include improvement to pedestrian crossings.

5. Mr. Standifer, Traffic Supervisor spoke regarding recent updates at Hiatt Drive and 18<sup>th</sup> Street made to assist with traffic back up during school times.
6. Mr. Standifer also gave an update on the current pavement marking projects.

Mr. Campbell moved to adjourn, Mr. Downing seconded. The motion passed by unanimous voice vote.

Meeting adjourned.

Minutes prepared by Sue Scott

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