PATH COMMITTEE MEETING
September 10, 2020
8:30 a.m.
Instructional Planning Center, 203

I. MEETING ROLL CALL
The meeting was called to order at 8:35 a.m. by Heath Hoftiezer.

PRESENT:
Heath Hoftiezer, Troy Miller, Todd Vik, Lt. Jon Thum, Sgt. Travis Olsen, Nancy Hagen, Officer Robert Draeger, Mike Munzke, John Snobeck, Todd Thoelke

ABSENT:
Moria Beznoska, Marilyn Buskhol, Lisa Lewis-Huemoeller, Nicole Barnes, David Heinold

II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:
Motion by Hoftiezer to approve the January 9, 2020 meeting minutes. Second by Thoelke. Roll call: Yeses: Hoftiezer, Miller, Vik, Thum, Olsen, Hagen, Draeger, Munzke, Snobeck, Thoelke. Noes-None. Motion approved.

III. PUBLIC INPUT: None

IV. UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None

V. NEW BUSINESS
   a. Police Department
      i. First week of school zone safety analysis –
         Sgt Olsen presented results of this year’s school safety awareness week.
         There were 121 different zones monitored. 61 speeding citations were given
         with a total of 273 traffic stops for the week. PD will continue public education
         and revisit the week-long campaign again next spring. City public service
         announcement coming soon.

      ii. 2021 Highway Safety funds have been approved.

   b. City Engineering
      i. Harrisburg North Middle School
         2020 Construction has caused severe congestion the first week of school
         primarily due to the closure of Minnesota Avenue north of 85th Street.

      ii. Endeavor Elementary School
         DOT will be opening lanes on Minnesota Ave. Once Minnesota Avenue is
         back open, traffic engineering will be completing a 13-hour traffic count to
         review traffic volumes and whether an all-way stop, traffic signal. or a round-
         about is warranted at 95th Street and Western Avenue. Data will be available
         within a few weeks.

VI. INFORMATIONAL
Hoftiezer gave updates on informational items.
• Fred Assam Elementary School – Traffic is planning to install a Rapid Rectangular
  Flashing Beacon with a push button actuation at the intersection of Six Mile Road
and Donnelly Drive in the Spring 2021.

- Sioux Falls Christian Schools – A second access to the school has been constructed to the south from 77th Street. There have been some issues with construction vehicles parking along 77th Street and traffic has added No Parking signage. 77th & Cliff traffic signal planned for 2021.

- Whittier Middle School – installed and programmed radar feedback sign the week of September 7th.

- Garfield neighborhood – 15th Street project is planned to add bike sharrows and bump outs which will make the neighborhood more bicycle and pedestrian friendly by increasing visibility and shortening crossing distances. A new Kiwanis Avenue pedestrian crossing is also planned just north of 15th Street.

- Holy Spirit/John Harris – Bahnson Avenue crossing near Holly Spirit had previously been removed. Currently use crossing guards at 49th and Bahnson. Parents are requesting to add a crossing back at Holy Spirit. However, the multiple driveway and street intersections combined with the hill make it complex and potentially dangerous.

- Ben Reifel Middle School – Traffic is requesting a map of the bus area for new school. Traffic to work with Vik.

VII. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting was adjourned at 9:15 a.m. The next meeting will be held on November 12, 2020 at 8:30 a.m. Conference Rooms 1&2 at the IPC Building located at 201 East 38th Street.

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