



STRATFORD TRAFFIC AUTHORITY
Regular Meeting — September 17, 2015

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The Stratford Traffic Authority conducted a regular meeting on Thursday, September 17, 2015 pursuant to notice duly posted.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Maurice McCarthy, Public Works Director
Frank Eannotti, Police Department
Tom Albert, Highway Department

1. CALL TO ORDER – Acting Chairman, Mr. McCarthy made a motion to call the meeting to order at 2:30 PM, seconded by Lt. Eannotti. Motion passed unanimously.

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – Mr. McCarthy made a motion to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held August 20, 2015, seconded by Lt. Eannotti. Motion passed unanimously.

3. TABLED ITEM
 - a. Spring Street – Request for an ordinance prohibiting cars to park opposite a residential parkway

LT. EANNOTTI MADE A MOTION TO REMOVE THIS ITEM FROM THE TABLE, SECONDED BY MR. ALBERT. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY. LT. EANNOTTI MADE A MOTION TO DENY THIS ITEM, SECONDED BY MR. ALBERT. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY A VOTE OF 3-0.

4. NEW BUSINESS
 - a. 311 Knowlton Street – Request for a new radar sign and 25 MPH speed sign to the pole

MR. MCCARTHY MADE A MOTION TO DENY THIS ITEM, SECONDED BY LT. EANNOTTI. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY A VOTE OF 3-0.

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- b. Franklin School on the Burritt Ave. side – Request to place a radar speed limit sign at this location

MR. MCCARTHY MADE A MOTION TO DENY THIS ITEM, SECONDED BY LT. EANNOTTI. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY A VOTE OF 3-0.

- c. 627 Honeyspot Road – Request to add back 3 to 5 “No Parking” signs in front of Com-tronics and in front of the store near Garibaldi Ave.

MR. MCCARTHY MADE A MOTION TO DENY THIS ITEM, SECONDED BY LT. EANNOTTI. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY A VOTE OF 3-0.

- d. Burritt Ave. near Hollister St. - Request to add (3) “No Parking Here to Corner” signs, one on each corner. Add the third sign to existing 25 MPH speed limit sign on Hollister St. near Burritt Ave.

MR. MCCARTHY MADE A MOTION TO DENY THIS ITEM, SECONDED BY LT. EANNOTTI. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY A VOTE OF 3-0.

- e. 2065 Barnum Ave. – Request to replace and add new “Pedestrian Crossing” sign

MR. MCCARTHY MADE A MOTION TO DENY THIS ITEM, SECONDED BY LT. EANNOTTI. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY A VOTE OF 3-0.

- f. 202 Avo St. near Summit St. – Request to add (2) “Directional Arrow” signs and “Curve Ahead” signs

MR. MCCARTHY MADE A MOTION TO DENY THIS ITEM, SECONDED BY LT. EANNOTTI. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY A VOTE OF 3-0.

- g. Lake St. and Spada Blvd – Request for “No Left Turn” and “One Way” signs

MR. MCCARTHY MADE A MOTION TO DENY THIS ITEM, SECONDED BY LT. EANNOTTI. THIS ITEM IS MERELY SIGN MAINTENANCE AND DOES NOT NEED A VOTE. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY A VOTE OF 3-0.

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- h. Seymour St. near Bruce Ave. – Request for additional “One way” sign in front of this location

MR. MCCARTHY MADE A MOTION TO DENY THIS ITEM, SECONDED BY LT. EANNOTTI. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY A VOTE OF 3-0.

- i. 85 Mead St. – Request (2) “Directional” signs, “Curve Ahead”, and “No dumping” signs

MR. MCCARTHY MADE A MOTION TO DENY THIS ITEM, SECONDED BY LT. EANNOTTI. THIS ITEM IS MERELY SIGN MAINTENANCE AND DOES NOT NEED A VOTE. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY A VOTE OF 3-0.

- j. 21 High Park Ave. – Request to add “Pedestrian Crossing” and “No Parking Here to Corner” signs near Barnum Ave

MR. MCCARTHY MADE A MOTION TO DENY THIS ITEM, SECONDED BY LT. EANNOTTI. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY A VOTE OF 3-0.

- k. Soundview Ave. side of Franklin School – Request for “Pedestrian Crossing” sign

MR. MCCARTHY MADE A MOTION TO DENY THIS ITEM, SECONDED BY LT. EANNOTTI. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY A VOTE OF 3-0.

- l. Barnum Ave. near Edgewood St. – Request to add “End School Zone” at this location

MR. MCCARTHY MADE A MOTION TO DENY THIS ITEM, SECONDED BY LT. EANNOTTI. THIS ITEM IS MERELY SIGN MAINTENANCE AND DOES NOT NEED A VOTE. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY A VOTE OF 3-0.

- m. 3 Mary Ave. – Request to add “Pedestrian Crossing” sign at this location near Barnum Ave.

MR. MCCARTHY MADE A MOTION TO DENY THIS ITEM, SECONDED BY LT. EANNOTTI. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY A VOTE OF 3-0.

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- n. Seymour St. and Hancock St. - Request “No Dumping” sign on the rail side

MR. MCCARTHY MADE A MOTION TO DENY THIS ITEM, SECONDED BY LT. EANNOTTI. THIS ITEM IS MERELY SIGN MAINTENANCE AND DOES NOT NEED A VOTE. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY A VOTE OF 3-0.

- o. Barnum Ave, Route 1 in front of Franklin School - Request State Traffic Commission add (2) “Pedestrian Crossing” sign, one in each direction and “Reduce speed to 25MPH” signs in front of Franklin School

MR. MCCARTHY MADE A MOTION TO DENY THIS ITEM, SECONDED BY LT. EANNOTTI. THIS ITEM IS A STATE DOT ISSUE. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY A VOTE OF 3-0.

Mr. McCarthy made a motion to add the following items to the agenda, seconded by Lt. Eannotti. The motion passed unanimously by a vote of 3-0.:

- p. Sheppard St. and Monroe St. – Install a larger stop sign at the intersection of Sheppard St and Monroe Street

MR. MCCARTHY MADE A MOTION TO DENY THIS ITEM, SECONDED BY LT. EANNOTTI. THIS ITEM IS MERELY MAINTENANCE AND WILL BE COMPLETED BY THE SIGN SHOP. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY A VOTE OF 3-0.

- q. Monroe St. – Paint a stop line/stripe at the stop sign on Monroe St

MR. MCCARTHY MADE A MOTION TO DENY THIS ITEM, SECONDED BY LT. EANNOTTI. THIS ITEM IS MERELY MAINTENANCE AND A VOTE IS NOT REQUIRED. ITEM WILL BE COMPLETED BY THE SIGN SHOP. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY A VOTE OF 3-0.

- r. Sheppard St. and Monroe St. – Install a “Slow Children” sign at the intersection of Sheppard St. and Monroe St.

MR. MCCARTHY MADE A MOTION TO DENY THIS ITEM, SECONDED BY LT. EANNOTTI. THIS ITEM DOES NOT CONFORM TO NATIONAL STANDARDS. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY A VOTE OF 3-0.

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- s. Birdseye St. and Dover St. – Request to install a painted crosswalk and proper signage at this location

MR. MCCARTHY MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE THIS ITEM, SECONDED BY MR. ALBERT. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY A VOTE OF 3-0.

5. ADJOURNMENT

Mr. McCarthy a motion to adjourn, seconded by Lt. Eannotti. Motion passed unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 2:35 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Marjorie Dunbar
Secretary