

TIME: 7:00 a.m.
PLACE: The Dalles Public Works Department
Conference Room
1215 W 1st Street
The Dalles OR 97058

AGENDA
TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMISSION
APRIL 16, 2014

- I. CALL TO ORDER
- II. ROLL CALL
- III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – March 19, 2014
- IV. PUBLIC COMMENT
- V. AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION OR PRESENTATIONS
- VI. OLD BUSINESS
- VII. NEW BUSINESS
- VIII. ADJOURNMENT

TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMISSION
April 16, 2014

COMMISSION PRESENT: John Nelson, Frank Pyles, Chuck Covert, Mike Kilkenny,
ABSENT MEMBERS: John Layson, Jim Bishop and Donna Lawrence
STAFF PRESENT: Dale McCabe – City Engineer, Bill Barrier – Transportation
Manager, Dawn Marie Hert – Senior Planner, Tim
McGlothlin – Council Representative and Cindy Keever –
Administrative Secretary
PUBLIC PRESENT: Ethan Wray

Chuck Covert moved to approve the March minutes. Mike Kilkenny seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

PUBLIC COMMENT/AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION/PRESENTATIONS:

None.

OLD BUSINESS:

1) Reappointment of Mike Kilkenny

Mike Kilkenny was reappointed by the Mayor for another 4 year term.

2) Traffic Study at 10th & Thompson

Dale McCabe reported the traffic study funding for the 10th & Thompson intersection did go before the Council. A decision by the City Council was postponed until the Planning Commission Standards and Finance meetings are completed.

3) Visibility Issue at 9th Street and Kelly Avenue

Bill Barrier brought pictures taken on Kelly Avenue and 9th Street showing the terrain. Vehicles entering onto Kelly Avenue from 9th Street do have a difficult time due to the slope and curve of the hill, vegetation, fences and speed of oncoming traffic. The Federal MUTCD book (Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices) states that the stop bar has to be within 12 feet of a stop sign. Bill and Dale will look at the site and try to determine some way to help traffic entering onto Kelly Avenue.

NEW BUSINESS:

1) 9th and Trevitt Street Bottleneck

John Nelson said he has observed drivers exiting from the 9th Street Shopping Center parking lot onto Trevitt Street and it has been causing the traffic to back up on Trevitt. Discussion followed.

2) Garage Sale Signs

Tim McGlothlin led a discussion regarding garage sale signs around the City. People are still using signs on boxes weighted down with rocks at corners which don't work well for several reasons. There are several plexiglass posterboards around town and they are a much better option.

3) Traffic Paint Around Town

Chuck Covert pointed out how important the white fog lines and yellow and white traffic lines are for safety of both pedestrians and drivers. A discussion was held regarding how different (from years past) the standards which are now placed on paint manufacturers are and the decline in the life of the paint on the roads. Lines fade quickly which makes the cost of regular maintenance increase substantially.

4) Street Conditions

Chuck Covert asked the question of how much it would cost to get the City Streets up to 90% in good condition. Group discussion followed.

There being no further business to come before the Commission, Chuck Covert moved to adjourn. Mike Kilkenny seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

Cindy Keever
Administrative Secretary
City of The Dalles

Final approval



John Nelson



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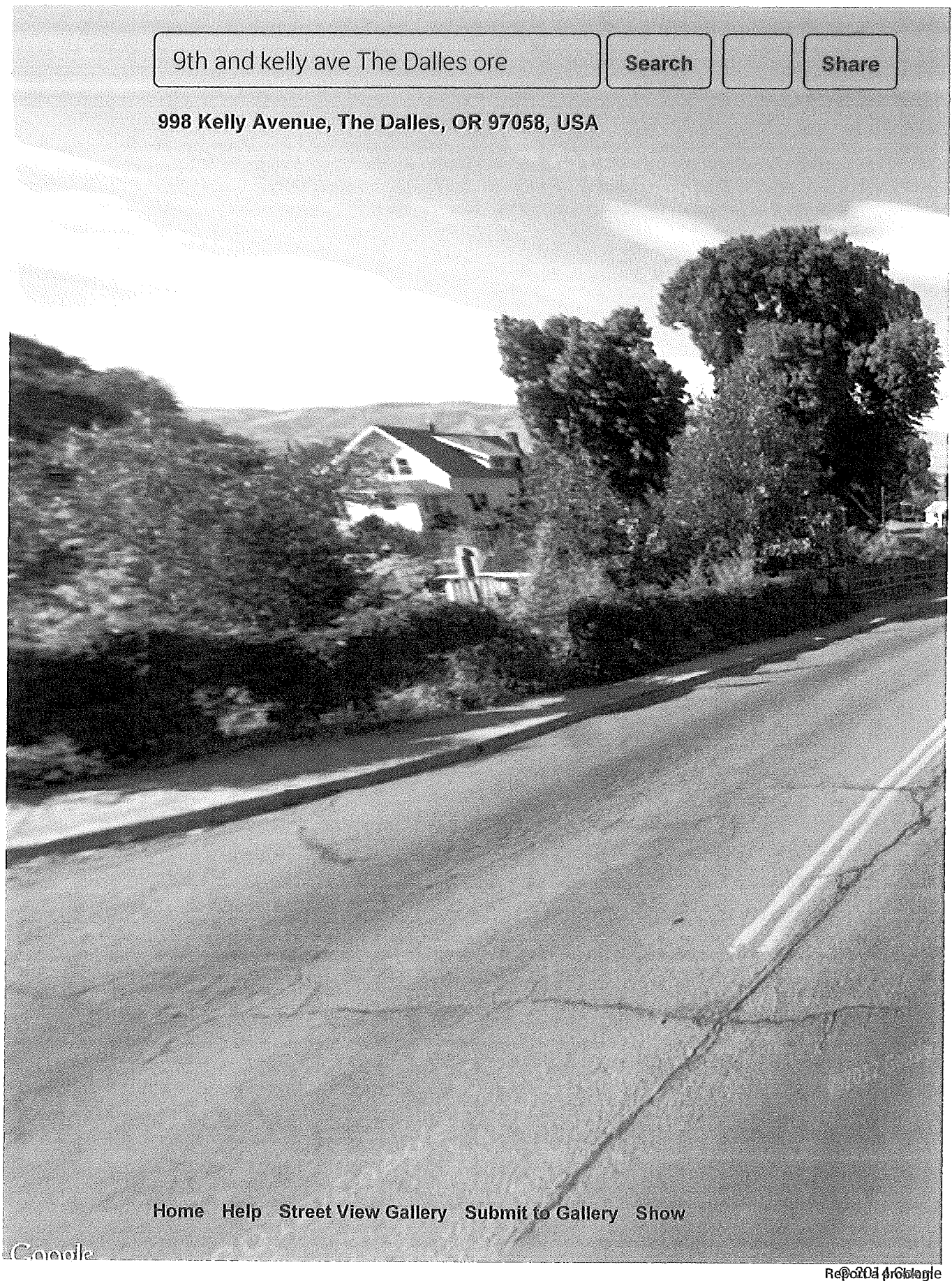
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RESOLUTION NO. 14-019

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**A RESOLUTION CONCURRING WITH THE MAYOR'S
APPOINTMENTS TO VARIOUS COMMITTEES AND COMMISSIONS**

WHEREAS, there are vacancies on the several Committees and Commissions; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor has selected Terry Trapp and Dave Griffith for appointment to the Airport Board; and

WHEREAS, Sandy Bisset has been selected to fill a vacancy on the Historic Landmarks Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor has selected Mike Kilkenny for re-appointment to the Traffic Safety Commission; and

WHEREAS, Gary Grossman has been selected for re-appointment to the Urban Renewal Advisory Committee and to the Urban Renewal Budget Committee; and

WHEREAS, Ken Farner has been selected for re-appointment to the QLife Budget Committee;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AS
FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. The City Council concurs with the re-appointment of Terry Trapp and Dave Griffith to the Airport Board, terms to expire December 31, 2016.

Section 2. The City Council concurs with the appointment of Sandy Bisset to the Historic Landmarks Commission, term to expire May 31, 2018.

Section 3. The City Council concurs with the re-appointment of Mike Kilkenny to the Traffic Safety Commission, term to expire April 30, 2017.

Section 4. The City Council concurs with the re-appointment of Gary Grossman to the Urban Renewal Advisory Committee, term to expire December 31, 2016 and Urban Renewal Budget Committee, term to expire December 31, 2015.

Section 5. The City Council concurs with the re-appointment of Ken Farner to the QLife Budget Committee, term to expire June 30, 2017.

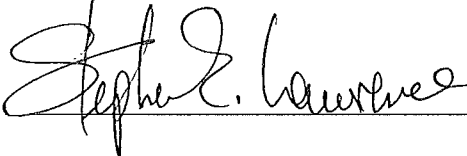
Section 6. This Resolution shall be effective June 23, 2014.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 23rd DAY OF JUNE, 2014

Voting Yes, Councilors:	<u>Spatz, Wood, Dick, McGlothlin, Miller</u>
Voting No, Councilors:	<u>None</u>
Absent, Councilors:	<u>None</u>
Abstaining, Councilors:	<u>None</u>

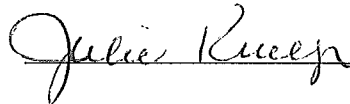
AND APPROVED BY THE MAYOR THIS 23rd DAY OF JUNE, 2014

SIGNED:



Stephen E. Lawrence, Mayor

ATTEST:



Julie Krueger, MMC, City Clerk