

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

AGENDA  
TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMISSION  
June 20, 2018

- I. CALL TO ORDER
- II. ROLL CALL
- III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – May 16, 2018
- IV. PUBLIC COMMENT
- V. OLD BUSINESS
  - A) Election of Officers
  - B) Corner of W 7<sup>th</sup> & Floral – “No Parking Beyond This Sign” Request – Harrell/McCabe
  - C) Status of Request for Change of Crosswalk Location on Union (to City Park) – McCabe/Harrell
  - D) Request for Clear Vision Triangle @ 12<sup>th</sup> & Laughlin - Bybee
  - E) Request for Clear Vision Triangle @ 12<sup>th</sup> & Thompson - McCabe
  - D) Status Update of Dry Hollow & 19<sup>th</sup> Change of Traffic Plan – McCabe
- VI. NEW BUSINESS
  - A) Request for T's & L's on Union between 3<sup>rd</sup> Street and Alley – Harrell
  - B) Columbia View Heights & Brentwood Drive Crosswalk Safety - Keever
- VII. ADJOURNMENT

TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMISSION  
June 20, 2018

COMMISSION PRESENT: Frank Pyles, Larry Fairclo, Fred Davis, Mike Kilkenny, Donna Lawrence and Michael Holloran

ABSENT MEMBERS: Brent Bybee

STAFF PRESENT: Dale McCabe – City Engineer, Chris Harrell – Transportation Manager, Jeff Halter – City Police, and Cindy Keever – Administrative Secretary

PUBLIC PRESENT: Dana Campbell, Rick Bohn, Jim Foster plus three residents who live in the area of 12<sup>th</sup> & Thompson

Mike Kilkenny made a motion to approve the May minutes. Donna seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

Jim Foster requested an ADA parking space in front of 420 E 3<sup>rd</sup> Street. Members discussed other nearby ADA spaces, with one near the Social Security Office and the other near 207 E 2<sup>nd</sup>, both on the opposite side of his request. It was suggested members should look at the area and a decision can be reached at the July meeting.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

A) Election of Officers

Mike Kilkenny made a motion to move the Election of the Officers to the July meeting because of time constraints. Michael Holloran seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

B) Corner of W 7<sup>th</sup> & Floral – “No Parking Beyond This Sign”

Members looked at this intersection before the meeting and agreed it is similar to others in the area. Michael made a motion to not do anything at this time. Mike seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

C) Status of Request for Change of Crosswalk Location on Union

Dale McCabe called Scott Baker, Director for Parks & Recreation and talked to him about the request. He was unaware of the original request. The NWCP&R would have to install ADA ramps on the sidewalk corner and does not have the funds budgeted at this time, so no further action will occur at this time. Dale did let members know MCCED had requested (and received permission) for a Saturday morning, 9:00a – 1:00p, pick up/drop off parking spot on Union Street directly adjacent to the gravel entrance to the park. A sign will be installed stating hours for bus parking only.

D) Request for Clear Vision Triangle @ 12<sup>th</sup> & Laughlin

Members were not sure of the exact problems at this intersection. Donna Lawrence made a motion to table this discussion item until the July meeting. Fred Davis seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

E) Request for Clear Vision Triangle @ 12<sup>th</sup> & Thompson

Dale told members he and Chris Harrell had gone to that area and did a clear vision triangle. The SE corner has a combination of problems because of the shrubs, the hill and the bank and the area did not meet the

clear vision triangle standards. Residents of area spoke about problems, the near misses they have all had and the accident that was recently experience by a wife of one of the guests. The residents of the area requested a 4-way stop at that intersection. A discussion followed.

Donna made a motion to trim (or remove) the bushes in the clear vision triangle area. Mike seconded the motion, all in favor.

Donna made a motion to have staff do a study of a 4-way stop at 12<sup>th</sup> & Thompson. Fred seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

The Transportation Division will remove the blackberries on the SW corner (and up the hill).

F) Status Update of Dry Hollow & 19<sup>th</sup> Change of Traffic Plan

Dale spoke to the group about the "trial pop up" change that occurred. A discussion was held regarding the drone footage of the before the pop up trial and during the pop up trial period. All members were impressed with the changes.

Donna did want to go on record that she did not like the roundabout which she said caused people to drive back through the congestion. All other aspects of the changes were well thought out and seemed to be really good.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

A) Request for T's & L's on Union between 3<sup>rd</sup> Street and Alley

Rick Bohn talked about the need for T's & L's on Union, in front of his business between 3<sup>rd</sup> Street and the alley.

Michael made a motion to install T's & L's in front of his store. Mike seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

B) Columbia View Heights & Brentwood Drive – Crosswalk Safety

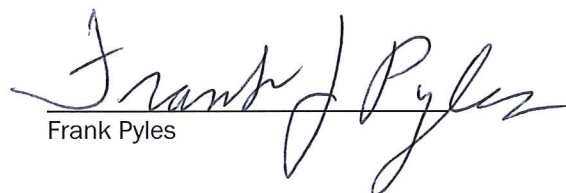
Dana Campbell spoke to the group regarding pedestrian safety as people try to cross Columbia View Heights. She explained the school bus drop off/pick up locations and the increase of children in the neighbor.

Michael suggested going to the Police Station and borrowing the radar gun to track traffic patterns and speeds. He also suggested touching up the crosswalk with fresh paint to make it more visible. Members suggested taking the radar trailer up there to help drivers become aware of their speeds.

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

Cindy Keever  
Administrative Secretary  
City of The Dalles Public Works

Final approval

  
Frank Pyles

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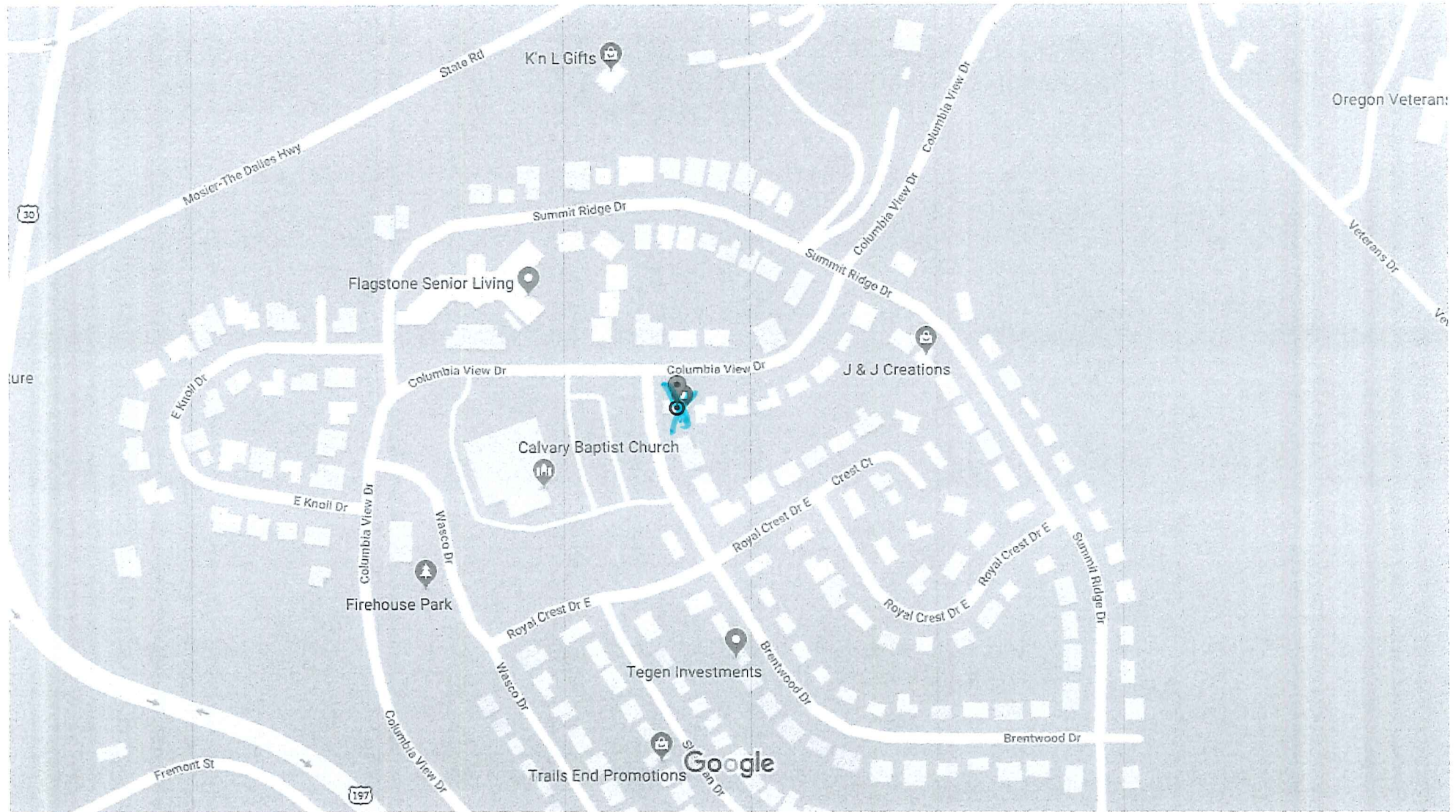
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**DELAYS**

Light traffic in this area

No known road disruptions. Traffic incidents will show up here.



