

## **TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MINUTES**

**Monday, October 11, 1993**

**7:00 p.m., Newberg Public Library**

**PRESENT:** Chairperson Doris Brandt; Andy Anderson; Ray Buckley; Glenn Benedict; Richard McCabe; Bob Andrews; Earl Sandager, Larry Anderson; Richard Meyers; Russel Pack; Police Chief Bob Tardiff, and D.T. James.

### **I. CALL MEETING TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order at 7:05 p.m. by Chairperson Doris Brandt.

### **II. OLD BUSINESS**

#### **A) Parking problem, 1200 E. Sheridian**

Problem caused by students of George Fox College. Larry Anderson will make contact with George Fox College and discuss the parking problem with them for solutions. He will report back at the next meeting.

#### **B) Parking strip in front of Cameo Theater**

Larry Anderson shared with the group the City ordinance regarding parking in front of theaters. Parking is restricted only during open hours.

Larry Anderson will do some research on how to properly mark the area. He will make contact with the owner and advise him that there have been inquiries about changing the parking during other business hours when the theater is not open. Anderson is to report back next meeting.

#### **C) Traffic Safety Grant**

A draft was shown to each member and explained by Chief Tardiff. Information regarding radar reader boards was presented for review.

#### **D) Parking problem on East Hancock**

A video regarding the problem was shown by Chief Tardiff.

Clarence Fry, Big Dipper Transport (538-2660), voiced his concern regarding painting yellow curbs restricting truck parking spaces on East Hancock, east of the intersection of Elliott Road. Mr. Fry felt this was unfair because there is no space available for truck parking in Newberg.

After some discussion by Traffic Safety members, it was decided not to take any action for 90 days regarding this issue. This would allow Big Dipper Transport to find another parking

location for his trucks. Mr. Fry was also asked to work with the original Complainant Williams regarding this issue. Mr. Fry agreed. A letter is to be sent to Williams regarding the findings of Traffic Safety.

### **III. NEW BUSINESS**

#### **A) Traffic problems on east First Street (Letter from Scott E. Reinhardt)**

The letter was read by Chairperson Doris Brandt.

The issues were discussed by Committee members. It was felt that a radar reader board would help with the speeding issue.

Regarding the exhaust brakes (jake brakes), this issue was discussed by members. It was felt signs should be posted prohibiting this type of brake within the City limits. It was moved and seconded to ask the State to place the signs at city limits. Larry Anderson is to make contact with the State.

### **IV. MISCELLANEOUS**

#### **Current Electronics, Inc., 125 South Elliott**

Letter to be sent by Larry Anderson, thanking them for their cooperation and help when dealing with the parking issue.

### **V. ADJOURN**

Meeting was adjourned.

Submitted by \_\_\_\_\_  
D. T. James, Secretary