



AGENDA

VILLAGE OF OAK PARK
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION MEETING
MONDAY, JUNE 10, 2024 – 7:00PM
COUNCIL CHAMBERS – VILLAGE HALL

- 1) Call to Order / Roll Call
- 2) Agenda Approval
- 3) Approval of the Draft Transportation Commission Meeting Minutes
 - 3.1) April 8, 2024 Draft Transportation Commission Meeting Minutes
- 4) Non-Agenda Public Comment – up to 15 minutes

Public statements of up to three minutes may be made in person or writing. Written comments will be read into the record at the meeting. To comment, email a request to transportation@oak-park.us, indicating an intent to speak at the meeting or including a statement to be read into the record. Requests must be received no later than 120 minutes prior to the start of the meeting. Written comments also may be placed in the Oak Park Payment Drop Box across from the south entrance to Village Hall, 123 Madison St., no later than the day prior to the meeting.

- 5) New Business
 - a) Review of 2024 Neighborhood Greenways Designs
- 6) Old Business
 - a) None
- 7) Adjourn

DRAFT Meeting Minutes
Transportation Commission
Monday, April 8, 2024 – 7:00 PM
Council Chambers - Village Hall

1) Call to Order

Staff Liaison Jill Juliano called the meeting to order at 7:05 PM.

Roll Call

Present: Jack Eskin, Jenna Holzberg, Julie Johnston-Ahlen, Jason Nudelman, Chair Ron Burke.

Absent: Jason Jenkins

Staff: Jill Juliano, Steve Pautsch- Village Consultant from CivilTech Engineering.

2) Agenda Approval

The motion was approved by a unanimous voice vote of 5 to 0

3) Approval of the Draft Transportation Commission Meeting Minutes

3.1) None

4) Non-Agenda Public Comment- up to 15 minutes

4.1) None

5) New Business

5A) Petition to Implement Traffic Calming Measure on the 600 Block of Gunderson Avenue.

Steve Pautsch gave a summary for the traffic calming petition for the 600 block of Gunderson.

- Collected intersection peak hour turning movement counts during rush hours
- No reported run off accidents within this time frame.
- Data has shown crash rates at the intersections have been below critical crash rates.

Based on data, CivilTech and staff are recommending to deploy portable speed radar signs on the 600 block of Gunderson Ave on an intermittent basis.

Public Comment:

Etienne Pelaprat 600 block of Gunderson is concerned about the speed at the intersection of Gunderson Ave and Adams St. Many close calls and is very concerned about the children on the block that may be hurt by residents speeding down the street.

Hanna Pelaprat 600 block of Gunderson child does not feel safe when walking home due to cars speeding at the intersection.

Commissioner Eskin made a motion to concur with Civiltech and staff's recommendation to deploy portable speed radar signs on the 600 block of Gunderson Ave and make the additional recommendation of installing paint and post bump-outs at the intersection of Adams St and Gunderson Ave with staff to evaluate if it is feasible. Commissioner Nudelman seconded the motion.

The roll call vote was as follows:

Ayes: Eskin, Nudelman, Holzberg, Johnston-Ahlen, Burke

Nays: None

The motion was passed unanimously with a vote of 5 to 0.

6) Old Business

A) None

7) Adjourn.

With no further business, Commissioner Holzberg made a motion to adjourn the meeting. It was seconded by Commissioner Johnston-Ahlen. The motion was approved by a unanimous voice vote.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:17 PM

Submitted by,
Anita Bahena
Administrative Assistant.

Village Of Oak Park
Transportation Commission Agenda Item

Item Title: <u>Review of the 2024 Neighborhood Greenways Designs</u>
Review Date: <u>June 10, 2024</u>
Prepared By: <u>Jill Juliano</u>
Abstract (briefly describe the item being reviewed): The Village’s consultant generated draft plans for the next two segments of the neighborhood Greenways / Bike Boulevard system. The first segment is the north-south route that runs through the middle of the Village along East Ave and Scoville Ave. The second segment which will be part of this year’s resurfacing project includes Kenilworth Ave from Madison St to Chicago Ave, Erie St from Marion St to Forest Ave, and Elizabeth Ct from Forest Ave to Kenilworth Ave. The consultant is in the process of revising the plans based on staff’s comments; therefore, sketches are not included in this agenda. Instead staff will be presenting the draft designs for the next two segments of the Neighborhood Greenways system at Monday’s meeting. Staff is looking for the Transportation Commission to give feedback on the plans to provide additional enhancements on these streets that prioritizes people of all ages and abilities to walk and bike; and where people drive slower.
Staff Recommendation(s): Transportation Commission to comment on these Neighborhood Greenway plans to increase safety on these blocks and increase their appeal to vulnerable road users.
Supporting Documentation Is Attached