



City of Pekin

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE REGULAR MEETING
OF THE TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF PEKIN, ILLINOIS,
HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS OF CITY HALL
111 S. CAPITOL ST
ON FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 2024 AT 8:30 AM**

Call to Order

Approve Agenda

A motion was made by Trent to approve the agenda. The motion was seconded by the Dean, all approved.

Approval of Minutes

A motion was made by Trent to approve the April 5, 2024, meeting minutes. The motion was seconded by Dean, all approved.

Public Comments (Each speaker will be limited to 3 minutes)

Dan Shipman attended the meeting once again to discuss his requests for parking on Park Ave. between Garden and Court St.

Unfinished Business

New Business

6.1. Accessible parking space request - 224 Catherine St.

The committee discussed this location and noted it does not currently have an accessible parking spot. A motion was made by Seth to add an accessible spot in the location of 224 Catherine. The motion was seconded by Trent, all approved. The street department will add the necessary striping for this spot.

6.2. 4-Way Stop request - Charlotte and N. 14th St.

The committee discussed this location and noted that Charlotte does not have a lot of traffic and it wouldn't necessarily warrant a four-way stop. They discussed the citizen's specific concern of several large trees possible being in the sight line as well as it is on a hill, which could potentially make it harder to see oncoming traffic. The street department will take a look to see if any trees need to be trimmed back for a better line of sight. A motion was made by Trent to table this discussion once the committee has a better idea of traffic counts. The motion was seconded by Brian, all approved.

6.3. No Outlet sign request - Cape Ct.

The committee discussed this area and noted it did not currently have a no outlet sign. A motion was made by Dean to add a No Outlet sign to this street. The motion was seconded by Trent, all approved.

6.4. Speeding Concerns/Speed Spy Request - 11th St. and Hamilton

This committee discussed this area and possible traffic patterns that would be cause for concern. The committee noted they would like to have more data in regards to traffic. A motion was made by Trent to continue enforcement in the area. The motion was seconded by Dean, all approved.

6.5. Speeding Concerns - 14th St. at Catherine and Henrietta

The committee discussed this area and previous crash reports. Crash reports did not raise any areas of concern. A motion was made by Trent to continue enforcement in this area. The motion was seconded by Dean, all approved.

Any Other Business to Come Before the Committee

Seth reported to the committee that the Police Department continues to have complaints of illegal street parking on Koch St. from 5th St. to 2nd St. The PD will be adding more no parking signs up and down Koch Street. This item will be added to the next Traffic Safety agenda for further discussion.

Josie reported that the signals at Court and Parkway have been switched to make it safer for traffic. However, this may cause longer delays and wanted emergency vehicles to be aware they may need to use alternate routes.

Adjourn