

PSAC Meeting  
**February 27<sup>th</sup> 2025**  
Public Safety Building

**Attendance:**

**Chair:** Shimron Tubman (Linwood) **Vice Chair:** Stephan Lashbrook (Lewelling/TSP) **Secretary:** Jessica Peterson (Hector Campbell) **NDA Representatives:** Andy Fisher (Historic Milwaukie), Elvis Clark (Ardenwald) Julie King (Island Station), Christine Giatti (Lake Rd- TSP) **At-Large members:** Jack Hudson, Rachel Burlington **City Engineering Liasons:** Jeff Tolentino, Ben Green **Police:** Tony Cereghino **Community Members:** Anonymous **Zoom:** Camden Mckone (At-large)

A quorum was established  
The meeting was called to order at 6:00pm by Chair Tubman

**I. Approve Minutes**

Two proposed amendments to January minutes-

1. Future proposals should be in by the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday
2. On the last page: Proposal #2- much less than the cost of hardwiring which is \$50K

(Jack/Stephan) Motion to approve the minutes from 1/23/2025

# 8 approved/0 opposed/0 abstentions Motion Carries

**II. Public Comment**

Julie King- with Island Station NDA- we are working on SPOT proposal to be submitted

**III. Reports**

Emergency Management- Dan Harris

- Separating the position of events coordinator and emergency management coordinator into separate roles. It is being discussed by council this coming Tuesday.
- March 8<sup>th</sup> grand opening in City of Milwaukie- Noon to 3pm- Entertainment and light refreshments.

Police Report- Tony Cereghino

- Officers- 33 sworn officers- 8 non-sworn officers. Currently trying to fill a school resource officer
- Use of Force in PD: 93% of calls used no force, 6% used force with minor injury, 1% force with no injury. Examples of threatened use of force: pull tazer or presenting a firearm without discharging it. Use of force: A tackle to the ground. Anything that could potentially create injury.
- There has been a drastic decrease in use of force due to drone use. PD is able to watch, look for subjects, shift the perimeter offering greater collaboration with whole department and therefore has decreased injury from use of force.

#### Heat Maps-2022/23/24 Police Crash Data

- This data is useful to see the high use areas
- Can be helpful to focus limited funds from Spot Program to areas of greatest need
- Time component- does this give us data on daytime vs nighttime events? Response: No, but that would be useful to look into.

#### IV. NDA Concerns

Ardenwald: Construction of cottage clusters on Harvey & 37<sup>th</sup> – the construction crew is parking along the north side and even on the corners of 36-38<sup>th</sup>. It cuts down the visibility for people trying to cross Harvey.

Linwood: Spot Program

Hector Campbell: no concerns

Historic Milwaukie: Construction on sidewalk- Main St to Jefferson/Monroe. Businesses would like more communication on schedules, traffic control measures. They are losing parking and not sure the plan.

Response: Full closure until Mon-Tues at the latest.

Island Station: no concerns

Lake Rd: no concerns

Lewelling: SPOT Program-will discuss later in the meeting

#### V. Action Items

Bylaws

Article IV. Section G. Public comments 3-5min

Change the bylaws to limit public comment to 3 minutes

(Christine/Jack) Motion to change public speakers to a limit of 3min each

8 approve Motion Passes

#### VI. Discussion

Spot Proposals

Wichita Ave speed bumps

- Talked to engineering about this proposal. Looking to fold this proposal into summer projects  
Need signage in addition to speed bumps- typical for bumps. More info at next meeting
- What about snow plow usage? Any conflicts? Response: not too many concerns since plowing is done mainly on arterial roads.

Flashers on Stanley

- Received another email from a parent who was talking about a flasher or crosswalk at a lower section on Stanley. Currently the route through Stanley Park with the proposed flasher is not available as a route after school. Custodial staff has this gate locked until 4:45pm. Kids and parents are using the driveway of the church south of Stanley Park to walk home west of the school. ~~Tony~~ <sup>Jeff</sup> observed around 20 people using this route when onsite.

- ~~Tony~~ <sup>Jeff</sup> met with security officer and is working with school to make changes so there are safer routes out of school-encouraging the route back thru Stanley Park.
- How many users justify a safety intervention? Discussion of a mechanical counting machine vs volunteer counters. There is potential for city to invest in a counting machine. Need to identify peak times. It is difficult to acquire cameras with long periods (8hrs) of recording capacity. ~~Tony~~ <sup>Jeff</sup> reiterates the data (low incidence of crashes/speed data/# of users of Stanley Park after school) does not show a safety need for flashers at this intersection.
- Given the reports of large fluctuations in usage patterns driven by seasonal changes in the sports being played, the weather and the number of daylight hours, it would be difficult to define a decision rule in advance of data collection
- Since this would be Milwaukie's first solar powered flashing crosswalk signal, there is an interest in getting one installed as soon as practical, so Public Works and Engineering can start getting hands-on experience with the system, which is widely used across the rest of Clackamas County.

(Jack/Stephan) Motion to approve the proposal for flashers at Stanley

5 approved/3 opposed/1 abstentions (Elvis Clark- lack of data)

Motion Passes

#### Spot Program- New Proposals

Harrison & 24<sup>th</sup> Street

- Crosswalk near Waldorf School on Harrison needs more visibility. Motorists often see it too late or not at all. Proposed solution: change existing crosswalks to have LED flashers on 24<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup> and additional signage
- Safety assessment from Harrison to McLoughlin is funded with a federal grant. We may consider waiting until the data comes in to give further recommendations.

(Christine/Andy) Motion to move forward with second application

8 approved/0 opposed/0 abstentions Motion Passes

TSP Update

- Many maps reviewed- Can look at these maps on Engage Milwaukie- Planning
- Redefining arterials, collectors, greenways, etc.
- A public comment meeting in the spring. The maps have determined all areas in the city that need improvement. Presented in order of highest priority.

(Christine/Jack) Motion to Change the Agenda – Spot Program within Discussion (instead of Action Items)

8 approve Motion Passes

## **VII. Future Meeting/Agenda Items**

March 27<sup>th</sup>, 2025

**VIII. Adjourn**

Meeting ended at 7:50pm