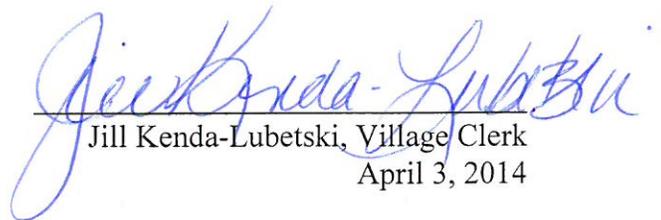


**TRAFFIC & PUBLIC SAFETY
COMMITTEE MEETING**
Thursday, April 10, 2014
Earl McGovern Board Room; 6:30 P.M.



PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a meeting of the Traffic and Public Safety Committee will be held at the Village Hall of the Village of Brown Deer, 4800 West Green Brook Drive, Brown Deer, Wisconsin at the above noted time and date, at which the following items of business will be discussed and possibly acted upon:

- I. Roll Call
- II. Persons Desiring to be Heard
- III. Consideration of Minutes: January 9, 2014
- IV. Report of Staff/Committee Members
- V. Old Business
 - A. Traffic Concerns – North Carlotta Lane and West Glenbrook Road
- VI. New Business
 - A. Traffic Concerns – North 60th Street and West Tower Avenue
- VII. Adjournment


Jill Kenda-Lubetski, Village Clerk
April 3, 2014

PERSONS REQUIRING SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS FOR ATTENDANCE AT THE MEETING SHOULD CONTACT THE VILLAGE CLERK AT LEAST ONE BUSINESS DAY PRIOR TO THE MEETING.

BROWN DEER TRAFFIC AND PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

JANUARY 9, 2014 MEETING MINUTES

HELD AT THE BROWN DEER VILLAGE HALL

4800 WEST GREEN BROOK DRIVE

BROWN DEER, WISCONSIN

The meeting was called to order by Trustee Boschert at 6:32 PM.

I. ROLL CALL

Present: Trustee Boschert, Trustee Weddle-Henning, Roger Gordon, Mike Kass, Alicia Lemke, Bob Wazniak, Neil Wood

Also Present: Steven Rinzel, Chief of Police; Lisa Kumbier, Lieutenant of Police; Matthew Maederer, Department of Public Works Supervisor; Nancy Hoppe, Executive Secretary to Chief of Police

II. PERSONS DESIRING TO BE HEARD

Police Intern, Luis Peralta, introduced himself to the committee. He stated he is a student at Gateway Technical College and that he would be interning with the department for approximately 140 hours.

III. CONSIDERATION OF MINUTES: September 5, 2013 Meeting

It was moved by Trustee Weddle-Henning, and seconded by Mr. Wazniak to approve the September 5, 2013 meeting minutes. The motion carried unanimously.

IV. REPORT OF STAFF/COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Chief Rinzel advised Officer Kern retired on December 30th; just shy of 35 years and his retirement celebration held on January 8th was well attended. He further reported that a new patrol officer will be starting on January 19th; and he would be starting the Police Academy on January 20th. Indoor range has been repaired and will be painted; new rules will be implemented and shared with all other departments that utilize the range. Chief Rinzel gave a brief overview of the fatal house fire in the Village. He reported that written testing for entry level candidates is scheduled for January 18th and that Sergeant Michael Carver will be attending the Northwestern School of Staff and Command in West Allis.

Matthew Maederer reported that pavement and regulatory signage was completed in the Original Village. He further stated that the Department of Public Works is in in full bore winter gear. Mr. Maederer reported that some signage on North 60th Street was damaged by a hit and run accident

and that replacement signage has been ordered. He stated that in discussions with School District personal, they are looking to leave the signage on for a two hour period in the morning and to repeat it in the afternoon. He and Dr. Kerr will be reviewing options at TAPCO.

V. OLD BUSINESS

None.

VI. NEW BUSINESS

A. Proposed Change to Ordinance 62-4(f) – Turns Prohibited

Lieutenant Kumbier advised the ordinance needed to be updated due to the construction and the parking lots and picking up of children. Discussion of the no parking areas around the schools took place. Chief Rinzel advised there were some training involved in the proper drop off and pick up of students following the signage changes.

It was moved by Mrs. Lemke, and seconded by Mr. Gordon to recommend to the Village Board to approve the updating of Village Ordinance 62-4(f) – Turns Prohibited. The motion carried unanimously.

B. Addition of North Parking Area to Resolution; 6000 to 6200 West Dean Road

Lieutenant Kumbier advised that this issue was brought forth by the Department of Public Works recently after a significant snowfall. She reported that cars were parking on West Dean Road in the 6000 to 6200 block and that appropriate snow plowing could not take place. Mr. Maederer also advised it was a very unsafe condition as people would park their cars and encroach in the crosswalk area. Chief Rinzel advised that Saint Martin’s Church does allow parking in their lot during the day for teachers and parents dropping off and picking up their children.

It was moved by Mr. Kass, and seconded by Mr. Wazniak to recommend to the Village Board the approval of updating the resolution table for the addition of four “No Parking” signs being added on the north side of West Dean Road between North 60th and North 62nd Street and two “No Parking” signs on the south side of West Dean Road. The motion carried unanimously.

C. Traffic Concerns – North Carlotta Lane and West Glenbrook Road

Lieutenant Kumbier stated she was asked to review the area of North Carlotta Lane and West Glenbrook Road. She reported that she reviewed the accidents that have occurred in that area for the previous ten years. She further stated some other alternatives were reviewed by the department and that the department did win a grant through the Click It or Ticket Program and has purchased an “Armadillo” Traffic Collector. When asked if it had a camera Lieutenant Kumbier advised it did not; but it did collect traffic information that shows the times and occurrences. Mr. Maederer advised that the Department of Public Works will review the

intersection and cut back foliage if needed. Trustee Weddle-Henning stated that she lives in the area and she has observed many vehicles speeding through the area going both north/south on Carlotta and east/west on roadways through there as well. The Police Department will deploy the Armadillo Traffic Collector and report back to the Traffic and Public Safety Committee at a future meeting.

D. Proposed Stop Signs – North and Southbound North Deerwood Drive at West River Lane

Mr. Maederer advised that the intersection was recently changed and that two stop signs were added to the area. He further reported that the current ordinance did not list the correct amount of signage in the Village. Trustee Boschert inquired in there would be a problem of vehicles stacking when turning into the original Village and Mr. Maederer advised there would not be any issues with vehicles cueing onto Brown Deer Road. He further stated the intent created in the Original Village was to be more pedestrian (walking) friendly.

E. Revision of Ordinance 62-4(B) – Through Streets; Stop or Yield Signs; Turns Prohibited in Certain Locations

Mr. Maederer stated the previous agenda item and this agenda item merged into each other. He further reported the Department of Public Works personnel conducted a stop sign inventory throughout the Village and found that the Village Code is no longer current and should be updated to reflect the current stop sign inventory.

It was moved by Trustee Boschert, and seconded by Mrs. Lemke to recommend to the Village Board to approve An Ordinance Amending Section 62-4(b) of the Village Code – Through Streets; Stop or Yield Signs; Turns Prohibited in Certain Locations. The motion carried unanimously.

VI. ADJOURNMENT

Prior to adjournment, Chief Rinzel thanked Trustee Weddle Henning for her years of service not only on the Village Board but as a liaison to the Traffic and Public Safety Committee.

It was moved by Mr. Gordon and seconded by Mr. Wazniak to adjourn at 7:39 PM. The motion carried unanimously.



Steven C. Rinzel, Chief of Police

Nancy Hoppe

From: Jill Kenda-Lubetski <jkl@browndeerwi.org>
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2014 8:54 AM
To: srinzel@bdpolice.org; mhall@browndeerwi.org; mmaederer@browndeerwi.org
Cc: Nancy Hoppe
Subject: FW: Traffic Meeting

FYI.....

From: Ann M Wallisch [<mailto:Ann.M.Wallisich@jci.com>]
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2014 8:27 AM
To: ijkl@browndeerwi.org
Subject: Traffic Meeting

Good morning,

My name is Ann Wallisch and I am a resident of Brown Deer. In October 2013, my son was struck by a car crossing 60th street and Tower on his way to football practice. Thankfully he made a fully recovery. My goal is to get a stop sign at that intersection. I have been working with Deb Kerr from Brown Deer Middle/High School and the police dept on monitoring the intersection for data to justify a stop sign. I am not sure who I can talk to about this situation so I was hoping you could help me. I see the last few Traffic meetings have been cancelled but I am looking for a person that I can contact. If I need to get the community involve in supporting the intersection I will.

Please let me know if you can help point me in the right direction.

Thank You,

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