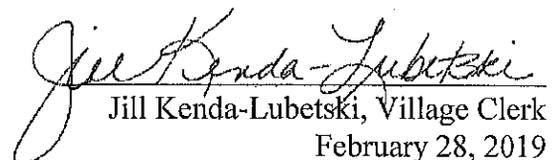


**TRAFFIC & PUBLIC SAFETY  
COMMITTEE MEETING**  
Thursday, March 7, 2019  
Village Hall Room B-26; 5:30 P.M.



**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 10, 2019
- IV. Report of Staff/Committee Members
- V. Old Business
  - A. Parking Concerns – Area of Rite Hite YMCA and Wheaton Franciscan.
  - B. N. 60<sup>th</sup> Street On-Street Bike Path Crossing at W. Fairlane Avenue and W. Tower Avenue – Update.
- VI. New Business
  - A. 4-Way Stop Sign Consideration at N. 47<sup>th</sup> Street/W. Willow Road/W. Tower Avenue.
- VII. Adjournment

  
Jill Kenda-Lubetski, Village Clerk  
February 28, 2019

**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 10, 2019 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 Springman at 5:30 PM.

I. ROLL CALL

Present: Trustee Springman, Trustee Montgomery, Dale Gass, Roger Gordon, Mike Kass, Bob Wazniak, Neil Wood

Also Present: Michael Hall, Village Manger; Matthew Maederer, Director of Public Works/Village Engineer; Michael Kass, Chief of Police; Daniel Krohn, Lieutenant of Police; Nancy Hoppe, Executive Secretary to Chief of Police

Not Present: Bob Wazniak

II. PERSONS DESIRING TO BE HEARD

Wayne Reineck, 6442 West Pierner Place, was in attendance to express his concerns as a bicyclist in the Village, specifically the area on North 60th Street by the schools. He stated that the pedestrian crossings divert the bike lane into the traffic lane and it was very dangerous for a bicyclist to go from a dedicated lane into a traffic lane. Mr. Reineck shared a possible solution and suggested a little path around the islands. Mathew Maederer advised that staff will review the area and report back to the committee.

Rob Gilbert and Jim Farmer, 8041 North Cedarburg Road, were in attendance to speak in the New Business section of the meeting.

Trustee Springman introduced Trustee Montgomery to the Committee and all members introduced themselves and provided a brief background of them.

III. CONSIDERATION OF MINUTES: August 9, 2018

*It was moved by Mr. Wood and seconded by Mr. Gordon to approve the August 9, 2018 meeting minutes. The motion carried unanimously.*

IV. REPORT OF STAFF/COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Chief Kass reported that the department has been running High Visibility Traffic Enforcement (HVTE) for numerous years and that accidents and crashes are down 11%. He further reported that crime in the Village has been on the decline with the exception of motor vehicle thefts. Chief Kass stated that two new officers started on January 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2019 and would be in field training for approximately 13 weeks. Trustee Montgomery asked if the motor vehicle thefts were actual break-ins and Chief Kass advised a high volume were actually people warming up their vehicles. Trustee Montgomery inquired if the Village ticketed for leaving vehicles unattended and Chief Kass advised the department did not.

Matthew Maederer advised that their department had a new employee in the Engineering department. He further stated that the employee had come from the Department of Transportation and various consulting engineering firms. Mr. Maederer reported that her first project would be to complete Taser ratings on all roadways to report to DOT and that the last time it was done was in 2015. He further reported on the road paving program. Mr. Maederer stated their summer intern conducted signage inventory for the Village and it was inputted into the GIS system. Mr. Gass inquired about the percentage of Village street signage was new versus old; Mr. Maederer advised that when streets are repaved the signage will be replaced. He reported that Brown Deer Road will be reconstructed in 2020 and the intersections of North 60<sup>th</sup>, 64<sup>th</sup> and 66<sup>th</sup> Streets will be reconstructed.

V. OLD BUSINESS

None.

VI. NEW BUSINESS

A. Tractor Trailer Parking Concerns – Hansen Storage

Rob Gilbert and Jim Farmer live behind Hansen Storage and reported that semi-trucks routinely park along the driveway and that Hansen Storage has a conditional use permit that states that trucks are not to park along the strip (for extended periods of time). They expressed concerns are that all truckers believe that it is a safe haven for a truck stop. They further stated that it is not in a major thoroughfare and that truckers are leaving debris in the area along the railroad tracks. They were inquiring if guidelines that are used in the area of Walmart could be adopted throughout the Village and were advised that is in the initial Conditional Use Permit. They inquired if no overnight parking at any of the businesses and no running of trucks overnight or prolonged periods of time could be enforced. Asking that if people that are violating ordinances that they should be enforced on a routine basis.

Discussion of a past practice of putting a chain across the driveway at night took place. Mr. Gilbert and Mr. Farmer also opined that Hansen Storage employees are not asking violators to leave the property. Chief Kass advised the Village can restrict street usage, per State Statute 349.17(1) (2), but cannot prohibit trucks from making deliveries. Information of the calls for service was shared for 8100 N Teutonia for 2017 and 2018. They inquired if the Village could prohibit overnight parking which is being done already, and the Conditional Use Permit for no parking on the premises. Chief Kass asked that they continue to call when there are violations occurring at the facility. Chief Kass requested an opportunity to work with Hansen Storage for some amicable solutions. Some discussion on parking on the north side of the parking lot versus parking by the docks took place. It was the consensus of the Traffic and Public Safety Committee that no ordinance is needed at this time and to continue to work with Hansen Storage.

B. Rogers Memorial Hospital (4600 West Schroeder Dr.) Mid-Block Pedestrian Crossing on West Schroeder Drive

Matthew Maederer provided information that Rogers Memorial Hospital was inquiring if a mid-block crossing could be installed as personnel are going from one of their facilities to the other. Mr. Maederer advised that a high visibility crosswalk could be installed (block type) and high visibility pedestrian crossing signage could also be installed. Rogers has offered to pay for the installation of signage, etc., and the cost of the project is approximately \$700. Mr. Maederer advised it would be installed in spring. Mr. Kass asked if "Yield to Pedestrians" signage would be provided and Mr. Maederer advised it would be just pictured signage and that orange flags would be installed for a period of time after. It was the consensus of the Committee that this request by Rogers Memorial be fulfilled.

C. Parking Concerns – Area of Rite Hite YMCA

Matthew Maederer advised that the YMCA reported that there are more cars parking on West Schroeder Drive causing a visibility issue. Mr. Kass advised that during large scale events at the YMCA parking is only allowed on the north side of the roadway. It was suggested that the increased vehicle traffic is possibly due to new and additional businesses in the area. Chief Kass reported that this area will be monitored and revisited in the future.

VII. ADJOURNMENT

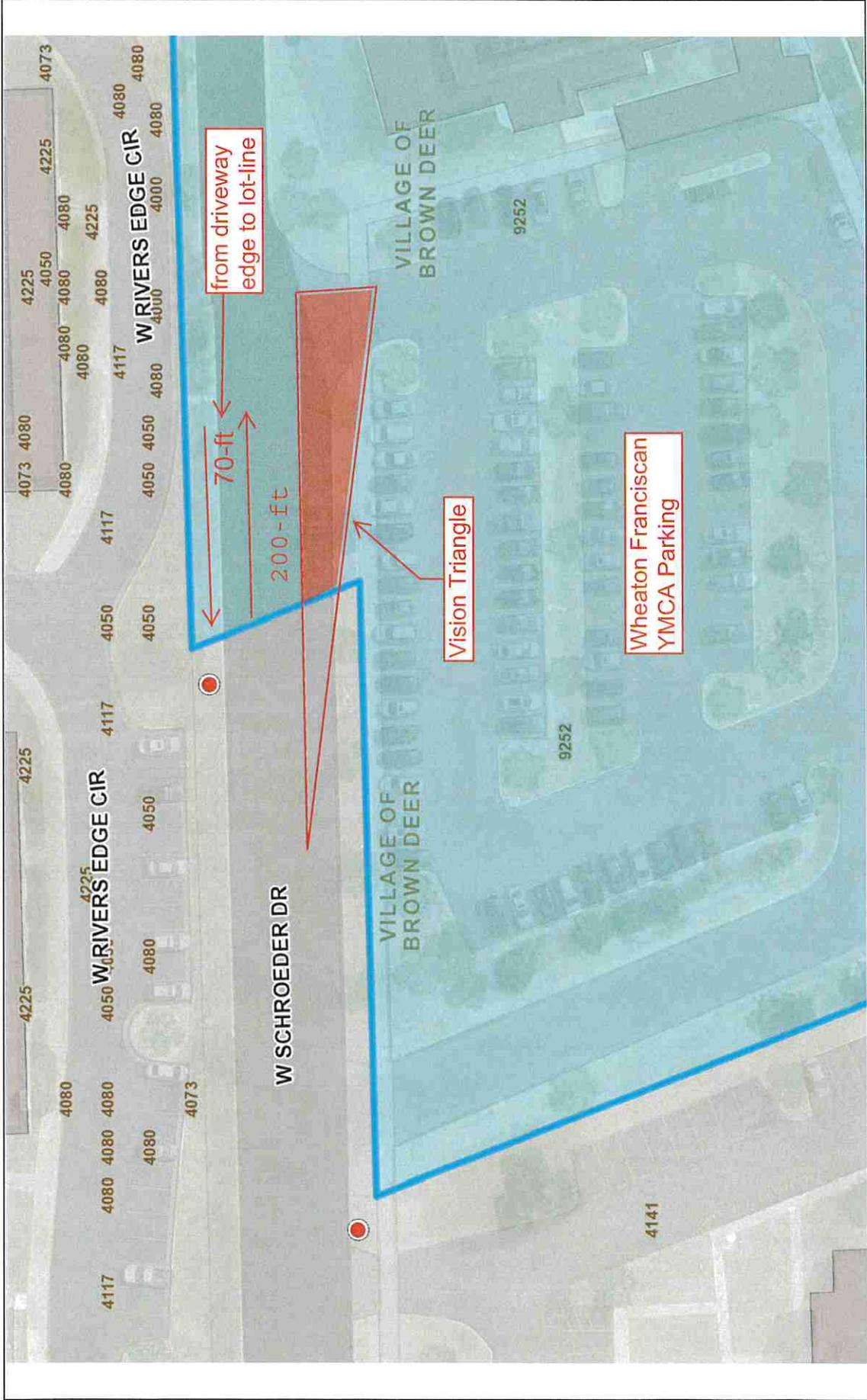
Trustee Springman reported that meetings will continue to be held in B26 until further notice.

*It was moved by Mr. Gordon, and seconded by Trustee Montgomery to adjourn at 6:31 PM. The motion carried unanimously.*



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Mike Kass, Chief of Police



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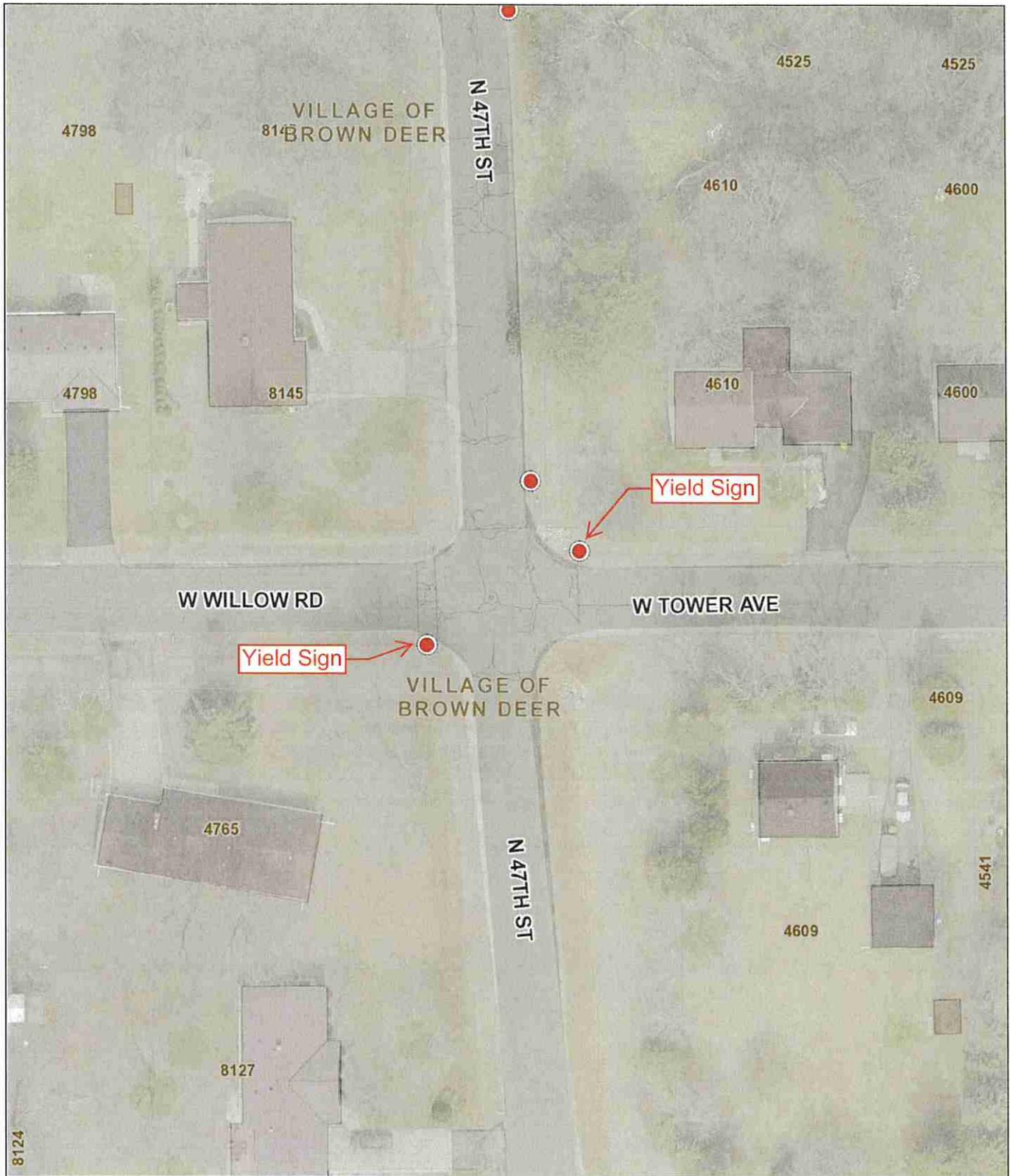
**YMCA Wheaton Franciscan On-Street Parking**

W. Schroeder Drive

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### Stop Sign Request

N. 47th Street/W. Willow Road/W. Tower Avenue

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