



MINUTES
Council Study Session
Clyde Hill City Hall
Tuesday, August 9, 2016
6:00 PM

COUNCIL PRESENT:

Marianne Klass
Scott Moore
Chris Baker
Barre Seibert
Bruce Dodds

STAFF PRESENT:

City Administrator Wasserman
Assistant City Administrator Greenwood
Public Works Director Olson
Police Chief Archer
Deputy City Clerk Benjamin

1 CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Martin opened the study session of the Clyde Hill City Council on Tuesday, August 9, 2016, 6:00 PM, at the City Hall.

2 ROLL CALL

3 STUDY ITEMS

- a) Traffic Study Follow-Up Discussion and Development of a Cut-Through Traffic/Speeding Management Policy

Administrator Wasserman provided a power point presentation that highlighted the following: cut-through traffic & speeding problem(s), history surrounding traffic in Clyde Hill, challenges in managing the problem, specific Clyde Hill problems, traffic policy principles, ideas considered by staff, staff suggested ideas and how to evaluate what's next. Overall, the presentation was intended to help focus the Council's discussion at this study session and to provide the city staff with further direction on what to do next. Mr. Wasserman recommended that the Council develop some principles around trying to alleviate cut-through traffic and speeding and pick some ideas that reflect those principles.

The Council members discussed the issues of cut through traffic and speeding in Clyde Hill. There was a strong consensus among all the members that these issues need to be addressed. It was agreed that a traffic sub-committee will be implemented that will establish guiding principles, have further in depth discussions and ultimately make specific recommendation/s for action to the Council. The traffic sub-committee will consist of the following Council members: Klaas, Moore and Seibert.

The Council also received public comments from residents of the community.

Steve & Sharon Friedman discussed their concerns on cut through traffic.

Phil Kenney discussed the safety issues associated with cut through traffic.

Pamela Phillips also discussed her concern on cut through traffic and safety issues related to pedestrians and speeding.

Martha Nalebuff discussed traffic congestion on 24th Street and suggested we utilize traffic cameras or speed bumps.

Nan Humble also discussed cut through traffic and the increase of speeding in the City.

Nany Aguado-Scheyer noted her concern on the cut through traffic and the speeding of cars in her neighborhood of Aqua Vista.

4 ADJOURN

The Council adjourned the study session at 7:00 PM.