



BROCKTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION
Thursday, June 27, 2019
6:00 p.m.

AGENDA

Location: **War Memorial Building**
156 W. Elm Street
Brockton, MA 02301

1. Call to Order
2. Quorum
3. Reading or Waiving and acceptance of the May 23, 2019.

OLD BUSINESS

1. 19 HAWTHORNE STREET

Request received from Stephen Seaton who resides at 19 Hawthorne Street who is requesting a "Handicapped Parking" sign across from 19 Hawthorne Street as he usually has to walk from the end of his street. Mr. Seaton uses a can and cannot walk far especially with bags.

SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION: DENIED

2. SMITH AVENUE

Request received from Gilbert Gitare who resides at 21 East Union Street who is requesting a "No Loitering" sign and any other recommendations due to unwanted cars/illegal activity.

Discussion: Ken Galligan asked Commissioner Hallisey if he heard of a recent supreme court ruling on "No Loitering" signs as this would have an effect on these requests and the Traffic Commission's recommendations. Commissioner Hallisey stated that he would look into it. Mr. Galligan suggested to postpone this item until next month.

SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

3. EAST ASHLAND STREET – EAST OF NORTH QUINCY STREET

Request received from Councilor Jack Lally to place limit on truck traffic (i.e., 2 ½ tons) on East Ashland Street east of North Quincy Street and to assign enforcement.

SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

CAPTAIN HALLISEY WILL SPEAK WITH ABINGTON OFFICIALS TO PLACE SIGNAGE IN THE TOWN OF ABINGTON TO DIVERT TRAFFIC TO RT 123, COUPLED WITH TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT FOR SPEEDERS ON EAST ASHLAND STREET.

4. TROY STREET

*Request received from DPW Commissioner Larry Rowley to have “No Parking Here To Corner” sign placed 100 ft. back at the corner of Troy Street and Pleasant Street. *Per DPW Commissioner Rowley, street sign should be on the east side 200 feet in from Pleasant Street.*

SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

NO ACTION AT THIS TIME NEED FURTHER INFORMATION.

SIGN REQUESTS:

1. 15 ELLIS STREET

Requests received from Grisel and Roberto Quinones who reside at 15 Ellis Street and have children with Autism/ADHD and would like signage in front of their property indicating such. Also, they are concerned about the safety of their children and other children that play in front of their house with cars speeding.

****Previously before the Traffic Commission in June, 2018:***

15 ELLIS STREET

Request received from Orgeo Berto of 15 Ellis Street, requesting a Slow Down sign on the street due to cars speeding. Also, he states that there are a lot of children living on Ellis Street.

SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION: REFER TO POLICE ENFORCEMENT.

VOTED: TO CONTINUE TO MAY 23, 2019 MEETING PENDING MEDICAL DOCUMENTATION.

Upon motion duly made by Ken Galligan, seconded by Councilor Beauregard, and a unanimous vote of the members present, it was

VOTED: TO POSTPONE UNTIL THE 6/27/19 MEETING. CONTACT THE REQUESTING PARTIES TO INFORM THEM THAT THEIR REQUEST WILL BE DENIED IF THEY FAIL TO SHOW AT THE NEXT MEETING.

2. MANNERS AVENUE

Request received from Richard DeVasto who resides at 117 Manners Avenue for a "No Parking Here To Corner" sign along with discussing other concerns he has.

VOTED: TO CONTINUE TO MAY 23, 2019 MEETING REFER TO SUBCOMMITTEE.

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3. PERKINS AVENUE & SOUTH LEYDEN STREET, SUMMER STREET & SOUTH LEYDEN STREET

Request received Laura Lopes who resides at 81 South Leyden Street to have "No Trucks" signage posted at the intersections of Perkins Avenue and South Leyden Street as well as Summer Street and South Leyden Street.

SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

- **"NO TRUCKS" SIGN ON SOUTH LEYDEN STREET POLE #1 @SUMMER STREET FACING NORTH**
- **"NO TRUCKS" SIGN ON SOUTH LEYDEN STREET ON BACK OF STOP SIGN @ SUMMER STREET FACING NORTH**
- **"NO TRUCKS" SIGN ON SOUTH LEYDEN STREET ON POLE #13 FACING SOUTH**
- **"NO TRUCKS" SIGN ON SOUTH LEYDEN STREET ON INDIVIDUAL POST WITH YELLOW STRIPE ON SW CORNER @ PERKINS STREET 20 FT SOUTH OF INTERSECTION**

4. WEST CHESTNUT STREET AT STEWART AVENUE

Request received from Councilor Dennis Eaniri requesting for the third time to have a STOP SIGN on West Chestnut Street going westerly at Stewart Avenue. (Board members: this request was on the agenda for the 10/26/17 meeting):

- **FROM 10/26/17 MINUTES:**

WEST CHESTNUT STREET AT STEWART AVENUE

Request received from Councilor Dennis Eaniri for a Stop sign at West Chestnut Street at Stewart Avenue, heading west.

SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION: NO STOP SIGN BUT WILL ADJUST THE "DO NOT ENTER" SIGN FOR BETTER VISIBILITY.

*(Board members: 3 year accident history attached).

SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

- **ON WEST CHESTNUT STREET (BY HOUSE #167) POLE #19 REMOVE 30MPH SIGN REPLACE WITH A CROSS-TYPE FLUORESCENT INTERSECTION AHEAD SIGN.**
- **ADD AN ADDITIONAL STOP AND PAINTED STOP LINE NORTH OF 1ST STOP AND STOP LINE PARALLEL TO WEST CHESTNUT STREET.**
- **ON WEST CHESTNUT STREET IN FRONT OF SIGNS PAINT LADDER DO NOT BLOCK TILL NO PARKING SIGN.**

5. BELLEVUE AVENUE

Request received from Ivory Hunter who resides at 133 Bellevue Avenue for Speed Limit/Slow Down Residential Area/Children sign to be put up near pole #17 and #18.

SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

SIGNS ON BELLEVUE AVE:

- **REPLACE "CAUTION CHILDREN" SIGN WITH NEW FLUORESCENT SIGN, ON POLE #17**
- **PLACE 25MPH SIGN ON POLE #17 COUPLED WITH TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT.**

NEW BUSINESS

1. HAROLD STREET

Request received from Councilor Anne Beauregard on behalf of Eunice Cardosa who resides at 35 Harold Street for a handicapped parking sign for her husband.

2. COE ROAD, DAGMAR DRIVE, UPTON STREET & AMARK ROAD

Request received from Councilor Jack Lally requesting a 4-Way Stop at this intersection.

SIGN REQUESTS:

3. 275 AMES STREET

*Request received from Maria Janvier who is requesting a guardrail in front of her home for protection due to too many accident from cars driving too fast. *(Board members: 3 year accident history attached).*

4. **40-42 PARK STREET**

Request received from Charles Vaughn, Jr., who resides at 42 Park Street for "Resident Only" sign as there is no parking after work for residents.

5. **35, 39 AND 45 MULBERRY STREET**

Request received from Odarrie Jackson who resides at 39 Mulberry Street and is requesting a "Resident Parking Only" sign in front of his residence as unknown vehicles are parking there.

6. **SHEALEY AVENUE**

Request received from Eddy Pierribia who resides at 12 Shealey Avenue and is requesting a "Kids At Play" or "Slow Down" sign at both ends of the street to slow cars down for the safety of children riding bikes and running around playing with each other.