

City of Norwich  
TRAFFIC COMMISSION MINUTES  
City Hall  
March 11, 2015

**Members Present**

Chairperson Judie Wright  
Terri Grey – Wessels  
Alana Golden  
Frank Revoir  
Christine Edwards  
Brian Doliver

**Others Present**

Media: None  
Guests: None

**Absent Members**

Shawn McGrath  
ACP Scott Burlison

Chairperson Judie Wright called the meeting to order at 7:09 pm. A quorum was present. There was a motion by Frank Revoir to accept the minutes from the February, 2015 meeting, seconded by Alana Golden.

**Correspondence:**

None

**Old Business:**

Flashing warning lights on Borden Avenue – The Commission's suggestion went to Committee. They considered the need for the flashing light, and the possibility of solar powering the lights to save money (total cost of \$1500). There was no money allocated in the budget, and the Committee was concerned about vandalism. Reflective signs were also discussed, but this did not answer the original concern. The concern still remains, and Judie will discuss with Scott Burlison, and they may possibly approach the Common Council.

Reserved parking signs at the Courthouse – these were denied, although the move of the court to Eaton Avenue has not eased the parking issue. The Commission is wondering if temporary parking during trials is an option. Chairperson Judie Wright will discuss with ACP Burlison.

Guernsey Street parking – tabled until April meeting.

North Broad Street/Mechanic Street Intersection – want to address the concern of being able to see northbound traffic when trying to enter onto North Broad Street. Commission discussed freeing up the first two spots to the south of the intersection. Frank Revoir made a motion to put the “no parking here to corner” sign where regulation would require (50 feet) and keep a watch on the situation from that point. Alana Golden seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously approved.

Locust Street no parking on East Side of street – Brian Doliver reported the two residents who were contacted (out of a four total) said they were in favor of the parking restriction. The parking restriction would ease congestion caused by parking on both sides of the street. A motion was made to institute no parking on the east side of Locust Street between Eaton Avenue and Hayes Street. Alana Golden seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously approved.

**New Business:**

Street signs at three new intersections completed by the State – East Main and Birdsall Avenue, Rexford/Pleasant and Route 23, Cortland/Mitchell and Broad Street. Members discussed whether the street signs were accurate and informative. Everyone was asked to observe, and further discussion was tabled until the April, 2015 meeting.

Motion by Frank Revoir to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Terri Grey-Wessels, meeting adjourned at 7:35 pm. Next meeting will be April 8, 2015 at 7:00 pm.