

**City of Lockport  
Traffic Advisory Committee  
(COLTAC)  
Regular Meeting – Official Record**

**Site: M-24  
Monday, January 22, 2024**

**Members Present:**

Chairman Lt. Anthony Pittman, LPD  
Michael Tracy, Citizen  
Clayton Dimmick, Highways & Park  
John Lombardi, III, Mayor

Steve Abbott, Police Chief,  
Luca Quagliano, Fire Chief  
Steve Pump, City Engineer  
Anita Mullane, 2<sup>nd</sup> Ward Alderwoman

**Members Absent:**

Richard Clark, Citizen  
Lucius Brundage, Citizen

Mike Sobieraski, Citizen  
Roger Pittiss, Citizen

**Elected Officials Present:**

Maggie Lupo, 5<sup>th</sup> Ward Alderwoman

- Meeting was called order by Lt. Pittman at 3:04 pm.
- Quorum was achieved for this meeting.

**Items of Discussion:**

1. An email was received by Lt. Anthony Pittman from a resident at 64 Bonner Drive. The resident has two (2) autistic children living at the residence, and requested the City install a sign notifying motorists driving within the neighborhood “Autistic Children in Area”, or to that extent. Chief Steve Abbott suggested that a total of two (2) signs be installed in this area to provide notice to the motorists, with one specifically near the intersection with Davison Road. Luca Quagliano made the motion to approve the request, Steve Abbott seconded. 8 Ayes. 0 No.
2. Application for on street parking permit by a resident of 159 Genesee Street near the intersection with Waterman Street. This residence and the circumstances have been discussed by the committee. Anita Mullane made the motion to approve the request, Clayton Dimmick seconded. 8 Ayes. 0 No.
3. Application for on street parking permit by a resident of 249 Genesee Street between Washburn Street and Locust Street. This residence and the circumstances have been discussed by the committee. Steve Abbott made the motion to deny the request, Michael Tracy seconded. 8 Ayes. 0 No.

\*\* Note: Items are listed in order discussed.

**New Business / General Discussion Items:**

Lincoln Avenue and Locust Street

- The four-way stop at the intersection is being questioned. What other options are there for this intersection? In 2021, the City of Lockport and the Lockport City School District partnered up and hired Fisher Associates to perform a “Safety Study” at this intersection. Anita Mullane is looking for a copy of this report to review.
- It was suggested that Chief Steve Abbott and Lt. Anthony Pittman meet with the school’s new superintendent to discuss the intersection and discuss the findings of the “Safety Study”.

#### Main Street Diagonal Parking

- Mayor Lombardi opened a discussion on increasing parking along Main Street between Locust Street and Washburn Street. The initial idea is to remove the islands on Main Street and make it a one-way in the east bound direction. This would allow for diagonal parking on both sides of the street, increasing the overall number of parking spaces.
- Additional information needs to be collected to determine how many parking spaces would be added if the one-way and diagonal parking spaces were implemented.

The next scheduled meeting of the City of Lockport Traffic Advisory Committee is Monday, February 26, 2023, at 3:00 pm.

Minutes recorded by: Steve Pump, City Engineer