

**MINUTES OF THE
MONROVIA TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
HELD THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2018**

CONVENE: Chase Buckelew, Field Services Manager, convened the Regular Meeting of the Traffic Safety Committee on Thursday, February 15, 2018, at 4:05 p.m., in the Public Works Training Room, 600 South Mountain Avenue, Monrovia, California.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Chase Buckelew, Field Services Manager
Teresa Santilena, Assistant Planner, Community Development
Chad Harvey, Sergeant, Police Department
Lisa Cindrich, Patrol Officer, Police Department
Richard Gibson, Gibson Transportation Consulting, Inc.

ALSO, PRESENT:

Todd Hull, Field Services Superintendent, Public Works
Alex Tachiki, Management Assistant, Public Works
Sophia Nakov, Senior Administrative Assistant, Public Works

A. MINUTES FOR APPROVAL

Approval of the Minutes from the January 18, 2018, meeting: approved.

B. REVIEW ITEMS

None

C. FOLLOW-UP ITEMS

1. Req. #2015-188: Gold Line – Mayflower and Central Aves – Safety

2. Mayflower and Huntington

Preliminary plans were discussed at the December 17, 2015 meeting. Intersection is currently being evaluated by Gibson Transportation Consulting, Inc. for the re-adjustment of lane lines. Committee to review signal timing. DO NOT BLOCK INTERSECTION signage installed on November 16, 2017, for north and southbound traffic. *Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*

2. Req. #2016-026: North and South Mayflower Ave (from Huntington Dr) – Safety

Resident requesting to refresh street striping on North and South Mayflower from Huntington and/or to add raised pavement markers. Intersection is currently being evaluated by Gibson Transportation Consulting, Inc. for the re-adjustment of lane lines. DO NOT BLOCK INTERSECTION signage installed on November 16, 2017, for north and southbound traffic. *Cross-referenced with Req. #2015-188 and Req. #2017-054. Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*

3. Req. #2017-008: Parkrose Ave at Bradoaks Elementary School – Traffic

Resident requesting additional Police patrol to monitor traffic violators; NO U-TURN and parking in striped red curb zone during school drop-off and pick-up hours. Police Department to provide visual presence and to monitor traffic. Location is currently being evaluated by Gibson Transportation Consulting, Inc. New signage installed on November 16, 2017; seven regarding parking, two Stop, and one NO U-TURN. *Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*

4. **Req. #2017-026: Alta Vista and Chestnut Aves – Safety (signage)**
Resident requesting a 4-way Stop controlled intersection; currently a 2-way (east / west) Stop intersection. The Police Department records indicate that six collisions have occurred as of June 2016. Of the six collisions, four were non-injury and two were injury. Message boards placed on Tuesday, February 13, 2018, for a two-week period, prior to the installation of a 4-way Stop controlled intersection scheduled for Monday, February 26, 2018. *Cross-referenced with #2017-035. Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*
5. **Req. #2017-028: 700 – 800 blocks of Wildrose, Oakdale, and Lime Aves – NO PARKING**
Resident requesting enforcement of NO PARKING on the 700 – 800 blocks of Wildrose, Oakdale, and Lime. Staff to conduct an on-site visit and evaluation of current signage to determine how the hours need to be adjusted. *Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*
6. **Req. #2017-029: 329 Linwood Ave alleyway – NO PARKING (signage)**
Resident requesting NO PARKING signage in the alleyway where his garage is located. Vehicles have been parked in the alleyway and block his garage. Staff to conduct and on-site visit and evaluation. *Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*
7. **Req. #2017-032: Mayflower and Evergreen / Diamond intersection – Safety**
Resident requesting a signal intersection due to traffic violators not adhering to the current 4-way Stop controlled intersection. Police Department to provide visual presence and to monitor the traffic. Letter to be sent to the resident. *Cross-referenced with #2017-016. Closed.*
8. **Req. #2017-035: Alta Vista and Chestnut Aves – Safety (signage)**
Business owner requesting a 4-way Stop controlled intersection; currently a 2-way (east / west) intersection. The Police Department records indicate that six collisions have occurred as of June 2016. Of the six collisions, four were non-injury and two were injury. Message boards placed on Tuesday, February 13, 2018, for a two week period, prior to the installation of a 4-way Stop controlled intersection scheduled for Monday, February 26, 2018. *Cross-referenced with #2017-026. Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*
9. **Req. #2017-037: Magnolia and Palm Aves – Safety (signage)**
Resident requesting a 4-way Stop controlled intersection at Magnolia and Palm; currently a 2-way (east / west) intersection. The collision statistics state that one collision occurred in 2013 due to wet conditions and two in 2017; one at the intersection and one 120' south of the intersection. Letter to be sent to the resident. *Closed.*
10. **Req. #2017-039: Mayflower and Olive Aves (Monroe Elementary) – Traffic / Safety**
 1. Resident requesting a 4-way Stop controlled intersection at Mayflower and Olive; currently 2-way (east / west) intersection.
 2. Resident requesting ADA parking at the Mayflower and Olive intersection, at Monroe Elementary.

Staff to conduct an on-site visit and evaluation, with the school Principal and City Engineer, regarding the current ADA parking, drop-off and pick-up zones, and the flow of traffic. *Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*
11. **Req. #2017-046: 120 El Nido Ave – Speeding / Traffic / Safety**
Resident requesting a speed study, speed cushions, and enforcement of the NO LEFT TURN from Hillcrest. The Police Department conducted a data-trailer speed study on Wednesday, February 7 through Tuesday, February 13, 2018. The statistics indicate that 2,738 vehicles were tracked southbound. The 85th percentile of speed driven was 24.8 mph with the overall average speed of 20.52 mph driven. The posted speed limit is 25 mph. *Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*

- 12. Req. #2017-047: 600 block of West Olive Ave (north side) – Speeding / Traffic / Parking**
Resident requesting a speed study and the evaluation of limited street parking due to street sweeping and trash pick-up days. The Police Department conducted a data-trailer speed study on Wednesday, December 13 through Tuesday, December 19, 2017. The statistics indicate that 2,917 vehicles were tracked westbound. The 85th percentile of speed driven was 34 mph with the overall average speed of 27.5 mph driven. The posted speed limit is 25 mph. NO PARKING (street sweeping) signage adjusted on the north and south sides of W Olive, at Lucinda Garcia Park. *Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*
- 13. Req. #2017-048: 311 South California Ave – Speeding / Traffic / Safety**
Resident requesting a speed study and speed cushions, on California at Palm, due to excessive speeding in a school zone. The Police Department conducted a data-trailer speed study on Wednesday, December 13 through Tuesday, December 19, 2017. The statistics indicate that 8,994 vehicles were tracked southbound. The 85th percentile of speed driven was 30.64 mph with the overall average speed of 24.76 mph driven. The posted speed limit is 25 mph. *Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*
- 14. Req. #2017-049: 637 West Lemon Ave – Speeding / Traffic / Safety**
Resident requesting a speed study and speed cushions, on Lemon between Violet and Mayflower. The Police Department conducted a data-trailer speed study on Wednesday, November 29 through Friday, December 5, 2017. The statistics indicate that 4,012 vehicles were tracked westbound. The 85th percentile of speed driven was 23.63 mph with the overall average speed of 18.91 mph driven. The posted speed limit is 25 mph. *Crossed referenced with Req. #2018-006. Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*
- 15. Req. #2017-050: 103 East Altern Ave (at Peck Rd) – Speeding / Traffic / Safety (red curbing)**
Resident requesting a speed study due to excessive speeding, on Peck at Altern, and red curbing at the north side of the driveway apron, for line-of-site traffic safety. The Police Department conducted a data-trailer speed study on Wednesday, December 27, 2017 through Tuesday, January 2, 2018. The statistics indicate that 6,828 vehicles were tracked southbound. The 85th percentile of speed driven was 34.39 mph with the overall average speed of 27.17 mph driven. The posted speed limit is 35 mph. *Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*
- 16. Req. #2017-051: 148 East Altern Ave (at Myrtle Ave) – Traffic / Safety (red curbing)**
Resident requesting red curbing, at the northwest corner of Myrtle at Peck, for line-of-site traffic safety. 20' of red curbing installed on Tuesday, February 13, 2018. *Closed.*
- 17. Req. #2017-052: Parker Ave (at Monroe Elementary School) – Speeding / Traffic / Safety**
Resident requesting a speed study and speed cushions on Parker, at Monroe Elementary School, due to excessive speeding in a school zone. The Police Department conducted a data-trailer speed study on Tuesday, January 23 through Tuesday, January 30, 2018. The statistics indicate that 1,705 vehicles were tracked both east and westbound. The 85th percentile of speed driven was 32 mph with the overall average speed of 25.5 mph driven. The posted speed limit is 25 mph. *Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*
- 18. Req. #2017-053: North Canyon Blvd (north of Foothill Blvd) – Speeding / Traffic / Safety**
Resident requesting a speed study and speed cushions on N Canyon. The Police Department conducted the following data-trailer speed studies:

Wednesday, December 20 through Tuesday, December 26, 2017. The statistics indicate that 15,373 vehicles were tracked southbound. The 85th percentile of speed driven was 33.74 mph with the overall average speed of 28.59 mph driven.

Tuesday, December 26, 2017 through Monday, January 1, 2018. The statistics indicate that 16,984 vehicles were tracked northbound. The 85th percentile of speed driven was 36 mph with the overall average speed of 36 mph driven. The posted speed limit is 25 mph.

Cross-referenced with Req. #2017-010 – Closed. Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.

19. Req. #2017-054: Mayflower Ave and Huntington Dr Walgreens Signage / Myrtle Ave and 210 Fwy Signage / Foothill Blvd and Madison Ave Starbucks – Traffic / Safety

1. Resident requesting to have the Walgreens sign moved to the north side of the shopping center driveway due to line-of-sight safety on northbound Mayflower.
2. Resident requesting to have DO NOT BLOCK signage added on northbound Mayflower when traffic is backed up at the Huntington intersection. DO NOT BLOCK INTERSECTION signage installed on November 16, 2017, for north and southbound traffic. *Closed.*
3. Resident requesting to have the NO RIGHT TURN ON RED signage removed at the Myrtle and 210 Fwy on-ramp. Caltrans signage. *Closed.*
4. Resident requesting enforcement of the double yellow line restriction at the Starbucks at Foothill and Madison. Police Department to enforce. *Closed.*

Cross-referenced with Req. #2015-188 and Req. #2016-026. Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.

20. Req. #2017-055: 330 West Lemon Ave (blue ADA curb) – Traffic / Safety

Resident requesting a blue ADA curb / parking for his rental property. Disabled tenant lives in the front house and the landlord lives in the back house. The landlord uses the on-site garage for storage. Recommendation is to empty the garage for the tenant to use an on-site parking. Letter to be sent to the resident. *Closed.*

21. Req. #2018-001: 901 West Hillcrest Blvd (blue ADA curb) – Traffic / Safety

Resident requesting a blue ADA curb / parking in front of residence. The residence has two driveways, one on Hillcrest and one on Avocado, and ample on-site parking. Letter to be sent to the resident. *Closed.*

22. Req. #2018-002: 219 West Olive Ave – Speeding / Traffic / Safety

Resident requesting a speed study and speed cushions, on W Olive, due to excessive speeding. The Police Department conducted a data-trailer speed study on Tuesday, January 16 through Monday, January 22, 2018. The statistics indicate that 5,727 vehicles were tracked both east and westbound. The 85th percentile of speed driven was 34 mph with the overall average speed of 28.8 mph driven. The prima facie speed limit is 25 mph. The Police Departments records indicate the following collision history:

2016 3 collisions
2017 0 collisions
2018 1 injury collision (2.12.18 CM Rpt)

Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.

23. Req. #2018-003: Alta Vista Ave and Bella Vista St / Bella Vista St and Estrella St – Traffic / Safety

Monrovia Renewal Engineers requesting the removal of the center medians at Alta Vista and Bella Vista / Bella Vista and Estrella. *Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*

24. Req. #2018-004: Jeffries Ave (at Plymouth Elementary School) – Speeding / Traffic / Safety

Resident requesting a speed study and speed cushions on Jeffries, at Plymouth Elementary School, due to excessive speeding in a school zone. *Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*

Req. #2018-005: Ridgeside Dr and Oakglade Dr (street sweeping signage) – Parking

Police Department – Parking Enforcement requesting the installation of new street sweeping signage on Ridgeside and Oakglade, for Tuesdays and Wednesdays, from 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. The streets are being swept; however, there is no signage for parking enforcement.

1. Ridgeside: at 778, 840, 890, and across from 935
2. Oakglade: at 803 and 845

Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.

25. Req. #2018-006: Violet and Lemon Aves – Safety (signage)

Resident requesting a 4-way Stop controlled intersection; currently a 2-way (east / west) intersection on Lemon. *Crossed referenced with Req. #2017-049. Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*

26. Req. #2018-008: 2540 Peck Rd (Riviera Apartments) (blue ADA curb) – Parking

Resident requesting a blue ADA curb / parking in front of the Riviera Apartments. Resident states that there is no on-site ADA parking. *Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*

27. Req. #2018-009: South Canyon Blvd at Colorado Blvd – Traffic / Safety / Parking (red curb)

Resident requesting new and taller posted Stop signs (4-way Stop), refreshed street stamping, and 30' of red curbing at all four corners of the intersection for line-of-site safety. *Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*

28. Req. #2018-010: 714 West Foothill Blvd – Traffic / Safety / Parking (red curb)

Villa Nido Apartments Manager and property owner are requesting the extension of the red curb in front of the building, on Foothill, for line-of-site traffic safety while exiting the driveway. *Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*

29. Req. #2018-011: Myrtle at Central Aves / Myrtle Ave at Evergreen – Traffic (signage)

Resident requesting the removal of the NO RIGHT TURN ON RED signage at Myrtle and Central / Myrtle and Evergreen. *Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*

30. Req. #2018-012: 202 East Colorado Blvd (blue ADA curb) – Parking

Resident requesting a blue ADA curb / parking in front of residence. *Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*

31. Req. #2018-013: Mountain at Wild Rose Aves (crosswalk) – Traffic / Safety

Resident requesting blinking crosswalk lights, on Mountain at Wild Rose, for pedestrian traffic safety due to northbound traffic speeding from Lemon and southbound traffic speeding from Foothill. *Carry over (ongoing) to the March 15, 2018, meeting.*

D. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC

- Beth Moser-Chang discussed Req. #2018-004 Jeffries Ave (at Plymouth Elementary)
- Greg Gero discussed Req. #2018-004 Jeffries Ave (at Plymouth Elementary)
- Evan Johnson discussed Req. #2018-009 South Canyon Blvd at Colorado Blvd
- Eric K. Pulley discussed Req. #2017-039 W Lemon Ave

- Oscar Girao supported Req. #2017-039 W Lemon Ave
- Doug Bernhardt discussed Req. #2018-010 714 W Foothill Blvd

E. NEW ITEMS

None

F. GENERAL TRAFFIC ITEMS FROM COMMITTEE MEMBERS

- Richard Gibson, Gibson Transportation Consulting, Inc., provided input on a few items.

G. SCHEDULED MEETINGS

The next meeting is scheduled for **Thursday, March 15, 2018**, at 4:00 p.m., in the Public Works Training Room, 600 South Mountain Avenue, Monrovia, California.

H. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 5:25 p.m.