MINUTES OF THE MONROVIA TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMITTEE HELD THURSDAY, JULY 20, 2017

CONVENE: Sean Sullivan, Public Works Division Manager, convened the Regular Meeting of the Traffic Safety Committee on Thursday, July 20, 2017, at 4:05 p.m., in the Public Works Training Room, 600 South Mountain Avenue, Monrovia, California.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Sean Sullivan, Public Works Division Manager Chase Buckelew, Field Services Manager, Public Works Sheri Bermejo, Planning Division Manager, Community Development Jim Mead, Traffic Officer, Police Department

ALSO, PRESENT:

Susan Matthews, Senior Administrative Assistant, Public Works

A. MINUTES FOR APPROVAL

Approval of the Minutes from the May 18, 2017, meeting: approved. June 15, 2017, meeting cancelled.

B. REVIEW ITEMS

None

C. FOLLOW-UP ITEMS

1. Req. #2015-188: Gold Line – Mayflower Ave and Central Ave Area

2. Mayflower and Huntington

Preliminary plans were discussed at the December 2015 meeting. Re-adjustment of lane lines. Gibson Transportation Consulting, Inc. to present final plans. Committee to review signal timing. Carry over (on-going) to the August 17, 2017, meeting.

2. Reg. #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. *Cross-referenced with Req. #2015-188. Carry over (on-going) to the August 17, 2017, meeting.*

3. Reg. #2016-044: Mountain Ave and Lemon Ave - Safety / Traffic (signage)

Resident requesting left-hand turn arrows, for north and southbound traffic, at Mountain and Lemon as on-coming traffic is not clearly visible. Task Order placed with Gibson Transportation Consulting, Inc. for the re-adjustment of lane lines and turns. Design plans to be presented for approval. Cross-referenced with Req. #2016-014, Req. #2016-047, and Req. #2017-014. Closed.

4. Req. #2016-047: Mountain Ave and Lemon Ave – Safety / Traffic (signage)

Resident requesting left-hand turn arrows, for north and southbound traffic, at Mountain and Lemon as on-coming traffic is not clearly visible. Task Order placed with Gibson Transportation Consulting, Inc. for the re-adjustment of lane lines and turns. Design plans to be presented for approval. Cross-referenced with Req. #2016-014, Req. #2016-044, and Req. #2017-014. Closed.

5. Reg. #2016-065: California Ave and Lemon Ave – Safety (signage)

Resident requesting a four-way Stop controlled intersection on California at Lemon. Current two-way Stop controlled intersection on Lemon (east / west traffic). The Police Department records indicate that seven collisions have occurred as of January 2016. Of the seven collisions, six were non-injury and one was a hit and run investigation. There were two Police Reports taken of the seven incidents. Cross Traffic Does Not Stop (east / west traffic) signage installed, 25 linear feet of red curbing installed on the eastside of California north and south of Lemon, along with the refreshing the intersection striping. Brush clearance completed on the southwest corner. Letter to be sent to the resident to provide a traffic calming update with a six month evaluation period. *Carry over (on-going) to the August 17, 2017 meeting.*

6. Reg. #2017-001: Bradbury Rd speed cushions - Traffic

Resident requesting the removal of the Bradbury speed cushions installed in December 2015 in response to the letter received as to the installation. Currently being evaluated by Gibson Transportation Consulting, Inc. *Carry over (on-going) to the August, 2017 meeting.*

7. Reg. #2017-002: 438 East Duarte Rd – Speeding / Safety / Traffic

Resident requesting a data box speed study, center island installation, and additional Police presence to monitor traffic violators. The Police Department conducted a data box speed study on Tuesday, April 4, through Saturday, April 8, 2017. The data box statistics indicated that 19,596 vehicles were tracked. The overall speed driven was 38 mph. The highest speed tracked was 60 mph. It is unknown if this vehicle was a first responder. The posted speed limit is 40 mph. Letter to be sent notifying the resident of the data box speed study statistics. *Closed*.

8. Req. #2017-005: 620 Linwood Ave – Traffic / NO PARKING (red curb)

Resident requesting red curb at driveway apron. Trash receptacles are being moved onto the lawn to allow for street parking. Staff conducted a site evaluation. There is very limited residential street parking. Letter to be sent notifying the resident of the site evaluation results and upcoming street renewal. To be re-evaluated in September 2017. Carry over (on-going) to the August 17, 2017 meeting.

9. Reg. #2017-008: Parkrose Ave at Bradoaks Elementary School – Traffic

Resident requesting additional Police patrol to monitor traffic violators; NO U-TURN and parking in stripped red curb zone during school drop-off and pick-up hours. Police Department to provide visual presence and monitor traffic. Area is currently being evaluated by Gibson Transportation Consulting, Inc. *Carry over (on-going) to the August 17, 2017 meeting.*

10. Reg. #2017-010: North Canyon Blvd (north of Foothill) - Speeding

Resident requesting speed cushions on N Canyon, north of Foothill, due to speeding. The Police Department conducted a data box speed study on Tuesday, March 7, 2017 through Tuesday, March 14, 2017. The data box statistics indicated that 19,161 vehicles were tracked. The overall speed driven was 29.3 mph. The highest speed tracked was 71 mph. It is unknown if this vehicle was a first responder. The posted speed limit is 25 mph. Letter to be sent notifying the resident of data box statistics. *Closed*.

11. Reg. #2017-012: Almond Ave - Speeding / Safety / Traffic

Resident requesting data box speed study. Police Department to conduct a data box speed study. Carry over (on-going) to the August 17, 2017 meeting.

12. Req. #2017-013: Bradoaks Ave and Greystone Ave - Safety / Traffic

Resident requesting speed cushions to prevent traffic from failing to stop and rolling through the intersection. Work Order placed to refresh striping and replace Stop signage. *Carry over (ongoing) to the August 17, 2017 meeting.*

13. Reg. #2017-014: Mountain Ave (north of Lemon) - Safety / Traffic

Resident requesting red curbing on the eastside of Mountain, north of Lemon, prior to the north traffic lanes merging to the left. Temporary NO PARKING to be posted. Letter to be sent notifying the residents of the temporary NO PARKING and potential red curbing. *Cross-referenced with Req.* #2016-014, Req. #2016-044, and Req. #2016-047. Letter to be sent notifying residents of 90' of red curbing, on the eastside of Mountain, north of Lemon. *Closed*.

14. Req. #2017-015: 714 North Norumbega Dr - Speeding

Resident requesting a data box speed study and speed cushions on N Norumbega due to speeding. Police Department to conduct a data box speed study. *Carry over (on-going) to the August 17, 2017 meeting.*

15. Reg. #2017-016: Mayflower and Evergreen / Diamond – Safety / Crosswalks / Sidewalks

Resident requesting 4-way crosswalks and wrap-around sidewalks currently blocked by an Edison power pole, and to allow for pedestrian traffic. Carry over (on-going) to the August 17, 2017 meeting.

16. Req. #2017-017: Valley View and Mountain Aves / Greystone and Valle Vista Aves - Speeding / Safety / Traffic

Resident requesting Police patrol and traffic calming for the Valley View and Mountain / Greystone and Valle Vista intersections due to traffic violators not adhering to the four-way Stop controlled intersections. The Police Department will provide additional patrol. *Closed.*

17. Req. #2017-018: Carmelita Circle and Sierra Terrace – Speeding / Safety / Traffic

Resident requesting traffic calming, a data box speed study and speed cushions on Sierra Terrace due to speeding. The Police Department conducted a data box speed study on Tuesday, May 23, through Thursday, June 6, 2017. The data box statistics indicated that 3,719 vehicles were tracked. The overall speed driven was 27 mph. The highest speed tracked was 73 mph. It is unknown if this vehicle was a first responder. The posted speed limit is 25 mph. Letter to be sent notifying the resident of the data box speed study statistics. *Closed*.

18. Reg. #2017-019: Shady Oaks Dr and North Canyon Blvd - Safety / Signage

Resident requesting three-way Stop controlled T-intersection at Shady Oaks and Canyon. Current one-way Stop controlled intersection on Shady Oaks. Work Order placed for northeast corner brush clearance. *Closed.*

19. Req. #2017-020: 200 block of Mountain Ave - Speeding / Safety / Traffic

Resident requesting traffic calming, a data box speed study, and speed cushions on the 200 block of Mountain due to speeding during peak hours. The Police Department conducted a data box speed study from Thursday, June 16, through Wednesday, July 6, 2016. The data box statistics indicate that 31,181 vehicles were tracked. The overall speed driven was 23.5 mph. The highest speed tracked was 53 mph. It is unknown if this vehicle was a first responder. The Police Department conducted an updated speed study from Tuesday, June 6, through Monday, June 12, 2017. The data box statistics indicate that 11,688 vehicles were tracked. The overall speed driven was 24 mph. The highest speed tracked was 44 mph. It is unknown if this vehicle was a first responder. The posted speed limit is 25 mph. Staff to conduct a site evaluation for traffic calming improvements. Letter to be sent notifying the resident of the data box speed study statistics. *Closed*.

20. Req. #2017-022: 120 West Cypress Ave - Speeding / Safety / Traffic

Resident requesting traffic calming and a data box speed study on W Cypress due to speeding. Police Department to conduct a data box speed study. *Carry over (on-going) to the August 17, 2017 meeting.*

21. Reg. #2017-023: 501 King St - Blue ADA Curb

Resident requesting a blue ADA curb in front of residence. Resident has a driveway with on-site parking. Letter to be sent notifying the resident of declined request. *Closed.*

22. Req. #2017-024: 140 North Heliotrope Ave - Blue ADA Curb

Resident requesting a blue ADA curb in front of residence. Staff to conduct a second on-site evaluation. Carry over (on-going) to the August 17, 2017 meeting.

23. Req. #2017-025: 100 East Evergreen Ave alleyway - Traffic

Resident requesting traffic calming, in the alleyway, due to excessive traffic during peak hours due to the Gold Line intersections. Staff to conduct an on-site evaluation to determine what calming measures may be implemented. *Carry over (on-going) to the August 17, 2017 meeting.*

24. Req. #2017-026: Alta Vista and Chestnut Ave - Safety / Signage

Resident requesting a 4-way Stop controlled intersection; currently a 2-way intersection. Police Department to check warrants and Stop analysis needed. *Carry over (on-going) to the August 17, 2017 meeting.*

25. Req. #2017-027: Mountain Ave and Royal Oaks intersection - Safety / Crosswalk

Resident requesting redesign of the center island impeding the east / west intersection crosswalk for ADA safety and regulations. Complete. *Closed.*

26. Reg. #2017-028: 700 – 800 blocks of Wildrose, Oakdale, and Lime – Parking Restrictions

Resident requesting enforcement of "No Parking" on the 700 – 800 blocks of Wildrose, Oakdale, and Lime. Staff to conduct an on-site evaluation of current signage to determine if hours need to be adjusted. *Carry over (on-going) to the August 17, 2017 meeting.*

D. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC

None

E. NEW ITEMS

None

F. GENERAL TRAFFIC ITEMS FROM COMMITTEE MEMBERS

None

G. SCHEDULED MEETINGS

The next meeting is scheduled for <u>Thursday, August 17, 2017</u>, at 4:00 p.m., in the Public Works Training Room, 600 South Mountain Avenue, Monrovia, California.

H. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 4:25 p.m.