

# TRAFFIC SAFETY ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES

Tuesday: October 17, 2023 – 6:00p.m.

City Hall – Room 102

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## 1. CALL TO ORDER 6:00p.m.

## 2. ROLL CALL:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Warren Schauer, V Chair         | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director John Gudwer, Escanaba Public Safety |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rob Manninen         | <input type="checkbox"/> Mark Ammel Council Liaison Mayor                        |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Steven Miller, Chair | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cheryl Corbiere                              |
|  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Kaja Nelson                                  |
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## 3. APPROVAL AND/OR CORRECTION TO MINUTES: April 18, 2023

Motion to approve:

MOTION: Nelson  
SECOND: Corbiere  
SUPPORT: All

## 4. APPROVAL AND/OR CORRECTION TO AGENDA:

C. Add Roy Webber request to add cross walks on Ludington St.

D. Crossing Guards near the Upper Elementary School Ludington St.

**5. CONFLICT OF INTEREST DECLARATIONS: NONE**

**6. UNFINISHED BUSINESS: NONE**

**7. PUBLIC HEARINGS:**

Jamie Dier, Escanaba resident requested to switch all traffic lights to blinking red/yellow from 9 pm to 6 am on all roads within the city limits. Early morning on 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave, stop lights on Ludington St and most active change to blinking.

**8. NEW BUSINESS**

**A. Request by Citizen Jude VanDamme request for stop sign/yield sign at intersection of 16<sup>th</sup> Ave S & 16<sup>th</sup> St. South - attached to minutes**

Gudwer: Looking at the accident study for the intersection, there has only been one accident on May 23, 2013.

Motion to install a yield sign at intersection of 16<sup>th</sup> Ave S and 16<sup>th</sup> St S

MOTION: Manninen  
SECOND: Nelson  
SUPPORT: ALL

- B. Request by citizen Jamie Dier requesting that all traffic lights be switched blinking red/yellow from 9 pm – 6 am on all roads within the city limits. At the very least switch the lights on the lights on the lightly traveled roads. Attached to minutes.**

Jamie Dier spoke in Public Hearings - see public hearings

Motion to present this case to the City Engineer for approval to send to the City Council

MOTION: Nelson  
SECOND: Manninen  
SUPPORT: ALL

- C. Request by citizen Roy Weber requesting additional crosswalks on Ludington Street. Letter attached to minutes.**

Gudwer: Enough crosswalks on each end of the blocks

Nelson: People would not walk to the middle of the block, not enough crossing of the street to justify

MOTION: Corbiere  
SECOND: Manninen  
SUPPORT All

- D. Crossing Guard request to remove last two angle parking spots on the Southside of 15<sup>th</sup> St. And Ludington St.**

Would like to see No Parking signs posted in each of the spots "No Parking 6:30 am – 7:30am & 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm When school is in session

MOTION: Nelson  
SECOND: Manninen  
SUPPORT All

**9. PUBLIC COMMENT: NONE**

**10. COMMITTEE/ADMINISTRATION COMMENT OR ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Corbiere: 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave N and N 14<sup>th</sup> St, Traffic Hazard - parks car and trailer in median

Next meeting December 19, 2023

**11. ANNOUNCEMENTS:** Next meeting Date December 19, 2023 6:00 pm

**12. ADJOURNMENT:**

MOTION: Manninen

SECOND: Nelson

SUPPORT: ALL

**NEXT MEETING:**

**December 19, 2023– 6:00 p.m.**

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