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Traffic and Parking Ad Hoc Committee

March 11, 2024 4:00PM Hybrid Meeting - Town Hall Conference Room A & Zoom

The public may attend in-person or view the meeting via Zoom Webinar. To register in advance for the meeting via Zoom, please click the link below.

Zoom Link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_hVQbmFZpRbm_pNfINFQLEg

- 1. Acceptance of Previous Minutes
- 2. Traffic Engineer/Planner Update
- 3. Next Meeting: April 8, 2024 4PM
 - a. Short and Long Term Research Discussion

Meeting Materials:

• November 2023, December 2023, January 2024 minutes

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November 13, 2023 10:30 AM DRAFT MINUTES

In attendance; Debbie Driscoll, Larry Elbroch, Jess Becker, Shannon Hill, Kathy Stimson, Cameron Hamm, Haley Mock, Kendra Amaral, Jared Lucas, Max Zakian, Cyrus Clark

- 1. Introductions
- 2. Reviewed committee charge
 - a. Discussed potential engineering firms
- 3. Goals, Objectives, Challenges
 - a. More crosswalks, slow down PNS employees
 - i. PNS is a big issue
 - b. Send traffic data to all committee members
 - c. Long vision approach, not just next 6 months; spend time planning and plan for 5-10 years out.
 - d. Principled approach that doesn't have a "one size fits all"
 - e. Gate 1 + SML run-up
 - i. People are running red lights
 - f. Kittery can be a hub for traffic innovation
 - g. Sidewalks, safety for cyclists
- 4. Next Meeting: December 11, 2023
 - a. Share data on JLUS, speed/volume data, streetlight data
 - b. Map of roads
 - c. Will meet monthly 2nd Monday @ 4 PM



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December 11, 2023 4:00PM DRAFT MINUTES

In attendance; Debbie Driscoll, Robert Richter, Larry Elbroch, Jess Becker, Shannon Hill, Kathy Stimson, Cameron Hamm, Haley Mock, Kendra Amaral, Jared Lucas, Max Zakian, John Perry

- 1. Introductions
- 2. Engaging Traffic Engineer
 - a. Scope of services, brainstorming
 - i. Shapleigh Road/103 traffic calming
 - ii. Need more speed limit signs
 - iii. Vision Zero for Kittery (reduce deaths/major accidents to 0)
 - iv. Proactive solutions
 - v. Quality of life improvements
 - 1. Ped friendly/bike friendly systems
 - 2. Mitigating close calls for peds/cyclists
 - vi. Seapoint Road not safe for pedestrians
 - vii. 3-D crosswalks? Raised?
 - viii. Crossing guard program
 - ix. Business district signage, public art that leads people to Foreside
 - x. Truck routes for Town
 - xi. Gate 1/Lil's intersection
 - xii. No right-hand turn sign on Walker facing from Gate 1
 - xiii. Pave JPJ for parking
 - xiv. Parking @ York Hospital with trolley
- 3. Next Meeting: January 8, 2024
 - a. Quality of Life Definition
 - b. Planner to address behavior mitigation/management

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c. What does Kittery look like in a decade if we are successful?d. Identify "low hanging fruit"



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January 8, 2024 4:00PM DRAFT MINUTES

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- 1. Discussion: What Does Kittery Look Like in a Decade if Successful?
 - a. Wallingford Square traffic + parking
 - b. Accessibility, safety, noise/litter reduction
 - c. More ped friendly Foreside, outdoor dining
 - d. Improve community connection to what we are doing
 - e. Reduce congestion/PNS congestion
 - f. More pedestrians, safer
 - g. Prioritize bikes over cars
 - h. Look at changing Foreside flow pattern
 - i. More walking to concentrated parking
 - j. More green space/pocket parks
 - k. More public transport, Love Lane back to two way
 - I. Village center downtown/walkable
 - m. Village center downtown/walkable
- 2. Committee to be signed up for Town E-alerts/socials
- 3. Next Meeting: February 12, 2024