

Ravenna City Council Streets & Sidewalks Committee Meeting Minutes February 13, 2023

The public meeting was held in person in Council Chambers.

Council present: Council President Andrew Kluge, Rob Kairis, Paul Moskun, Cheryl Wood, Tim Calfee, Christina West

Also attending the meeting: Mayor Frank Seman; Police Chief, Jeff Wallis; Fire Chief, Mark Chapple; Finance Director, Brian Huff; Service Director, Kay Dubinsky; City Engineer, Bob Finney; Council Clerk, Chelsea Gregor; Cliff Soudil, Arasin Hughes, Amy Adams, Bill Barber, Larry Silenius, John McFarland, Lou Dudek and Diane Smith

The Streets & Sidewalks Committee Meeting was called to order at 6:02 P.M. by Cheryl Wood.

The first item was Traffic Calming.

Mr. Kairis stated that he was contacted by a Bryn Mawr resident stating that people are cutting through the neighborhood speeding to avoid the intersection at Rt. 14 and Rt. 59. He said that a Police Department speed trailer was set up which helped while it was there but then the problem returned once it was taken away. Mr. Kairis stated that he was not proposing action at that time but wanted to continue a discussion to seek solutions such as solar mph signs or paintings on the roadway.

Mr. Finney stated that it is a public road and that the City cannot stop people from driving through but it can do more mph signs.

• The item was for discussion.

The second item was an agreement with ODOT accepting federal funding requirements.

Ms. Wood stated that the item is to sign an agreement with ODOT for the paving of S. Prospect St. and N. Chestnut St.

Mr. Finney stated that the agreement will allow the City to construct the project and explained that the City will pay 20% of the Chestnut St. paving and 10% of the Prospect St. paving, with ODOT paying the remainder of the costs.

• The item was moved forward.

Management Update

It was stated that there are a lot of entrances and exits in the area of Bryn Mawr and that steel speed bumps were used in the past during the summer to slow down drivers.

There being no further business for discussion, the meeting adjourned at 6:14 P.M. ATTEST:

Clerk of Council

Cheryl Wood, Committee member Streets & Sidewalks Committee