

Minutes of the PPA Transportation and Safety Committee, 16 June 2020

Attending: Evan Roberts, Allison Bell, David Frank, Paul Ellison, Nancy Kosciolik, Lynn Von Korff, Kyra Nygard, Kelly Nygard, Julia Tabbut, Ben Tuthill, Daniel Bryant, Ann Herzog, Patricia Klein, Eric Amel

1. Bedford/Franklin: Evan Roberts provided an update on a letter in response to the city's report, and that because the city is busy with covid-response and other matters any changes would take place next year.
2. The City wants to make some "quick build" improvements around Glendale for pedestrian safety. Matthew Dyrhdahl and other Public Works staff would like to attend the next meeting, which we will hold at Luxton Park.
3. I-94 Committee: Julia Tabbut [shared a document from the I-94 committee](#) with St Paul neighborhoods that is nearing a final draft. The committee discussed the draft text, and voted in favor of sending the document to the Board for their endorsement.
4. Neighborhood watch signs: Kyra Nygard brought to the committee the issue of removing Neighborhood Watch signs that are in place on several blocks on Franklin and East River Terrace. According to Eric Amel the signs were installed in 1987.

The signs are not city sponsored signs according to Benjamin Tuthill, and are from neighborhood watch organization.

After discussion, the following motion was put

The Transportation and Safety Committee recommends the PPA Board of Directors support neighbors in removing the 8 neighborhood watch signs in Prospect Park that say "If I don't call the police my neighbor will"

Motion passed with two abstentions (Paul Ellison, Evan Roberts as chair).

Next meeting: Tuesday, 21 July at 7pm.