

Streets and Sidewalks Committee
05.16.23

Committee members in attendance: Lindsay Jones, Amy Richter and David Voss
Other council members in attendance: Councilpersons Zech, Hardig and B. Smyth
Other attendees: President Smyth and members of the community, Kevin Leidecker and Ray Kroner.

The meeting began promptly at 8:53pm. The purpose of this meeting was to discuss the idea of installing speed bumps, humps, cushions and/or other speed deterrents. Members and attendees discussed and considered the following:

- Considerations for safety services and response times
- Potential costs
- Potential increases in cost to homeowners insurance due to slower response times of police and fire
- Lawsuits in other municipalities where speeders/law breakers were awarded for damages to their vehicle by speed deterrents
- Increased danger to two-wheeled vehicles
- More strictly enforcing the posted speed limits

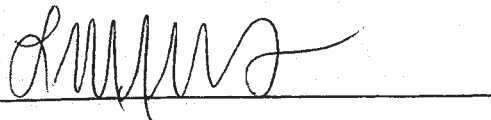
The meeting concluded in the following:

Committee chair will check with the police and fire chiefs to see if the departments have any concerns and if they support the possibility of speed deterrents.

The committee would like to allow the Harrison Ave road diet to serve as a test of the effectiveness of speed deterrents and to address this issue again at a later date.

Meeting concluded at 9:06pm.

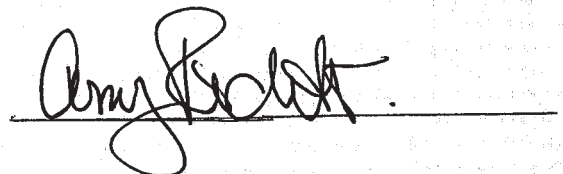
Lindsay Jones



Stefanie Hawk

Absent during meeting on 5/16/23

Amy Richter



David Voss

