

Streets and Sidewalks Committee
09.05.23

Committee members in attendance: Lindsay Jones, Amy Richter, David Voss and Stefanie Hawk

Other council members in attendance: Councilpersons Zech, Hardig and B. Smyth

Other attendees: Members of the community - Troy Borgmann, Christo Valitutto and Chris Watt.

The meeting began promptly at 9:14pm. This meeting was called to discuss the current ordinance regarding food truck vendors. It was brought to the attention of the committee, by a local business, that food trucks do not currently come to Cheviot due to the parking permit cost.

The committee and attendees discussed the current restrictions on food truck parking in the city, the cost of the parking permit and the need for inspections by the fire department. Committee and attendees brainstormed ideas for potential changes that could make Cheviot a more appealing community for food truck vendors.

There were two main ideas that resulted from this discussion.

1. The possibility of removing any/all restrictions on food truck parking, removing any/all permits and permit costs. This would allow any food truck vendor to come to Cheviot and do business, without having any costs/fees to pay and without any restrictions on where they may park.
2. The possibility of adding additional language to the current ordinance that would allow any Cheviot business to obtain an annual permit to invite food trucks to provide food services to their customers. This option would keep all current permits/restrictions intact, minus the parking permit and fee.

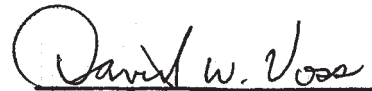
The outcome of this meeting was that the committee chair confer/consult with the Safety Service Director, the Fire Chief, Police Chief and the Law Director to gain their thoughts and insight as to how they feel about these two possible actions. Any one of these parties may have legitimate concerns about the legality or safety of these changes. Therefore, we are unable to proceed with any changes until they are consulted. Meeting concluded at 9:37pm.

Lindsay Jones

Amy Richter



Stefanie Hawk



David Voss

