

Minutes of the Village of Waterman Streets and Alleys Committee Meeting
Held 8/17/2017

Chair Arnie Johanningsmeier called the meeting to order at 7:02pm at the Village Hall

Roll Call: Tony Feitlich, Dennis Mitchell

Approval of Minutes: Trustee Mitchell made a motion to approve the minutes from the previous meeting, passed 3/0

Public Wishing to Speak: There were no public comments

Old Business: Completion of the street project was discussed. Chairman Johanningsmeier mentioned two areas, on Duffy and on Garfield, that he was looking for a little improvement, but overall the work was done well.

New Business: Chairman Johanningsmeier brought to the committee's attention that the village ordinance is written to prohibit parking around ICMS. He mentioned some areas around the school that could be considered to allow parking during school events. The discussion revolved around school events, including sporting events as well as graduations. It also included how many spots overall would be in the combined lots. The solutions suggested were to paint the curb in areas where parking would be prohibited.

Trustee Mitchell asked Chief Breese what would be needed in order to enforce the current ordinance. Chief Breese indicated that the Police Department would need to know when the event is occurring, including times

The verbiage of the ordinance was questioned, including the definition of the term school event. Amending the ordinance to allow for temporary signage during school events was mentioned by Trustee Feitlich. The verbiage allowing village residents to park in areas was also questioned.

Chief Breese suggested placing two No Parking except residents signs for North Garfield near the school, to test how things would go. He also asked if we should make Maple a one-way street in front of the school to avoid U-Turns. Trustee Feitlich then made a motion to ask the committee to recommend to the board the placement of two No Parking except residents sign

on North side of Garfield in front of the school. After discussion, Feitlich amended the motion to place 3 signs on North Garfield between Walnut and Hickory. Passed 3/0.

A discussion took place to have curbs near the school within 50 feet of stop signs to prohibit parking on the corner of Walnut and Garfield, which is already part of the ordinance. A discussion was also begun to amend the No U Turns ordinance to include the intersection of Maple and Garfield as well as Maple and Grant and Walnut and Garfield.

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 7:54pm

Submitted by:



Anton Feitlich Village Trustee