

MINUTES FROM THE
PARKING AND TRAFFIC COMMITTEE MEETING
(HELD VIA ZOOM)
September 11, 2020

Members Present: Laura Scaturro, Ryan Fries, Junvie Pailden, George Pelekanos, Bill Dusenbery, Kim Olson, Lisa Green, Kristin Magee, Stephan Holdenried, Julia Goren, Alexia Burnett, Isabella Pruitt, and Augustus Hawkins

Ex-Officio Members Present: Robert Vanzo, Craig Holan, Tony Langendorf, Mallory Sidarous, and Diane Chappel

Members Absent: Mark Ferrell, Sgt. (excused)

Ex-Officio Members Absent: Lori Anderson (excused)

The monthly Parking and Traffic Committee Meeting convened by ZOOM on Friday, September 11, 2020, at 10:00 a.m. Laura Scaturro presided as Chair.

Minutes from the meeting of August 14, 2020, were presented for approval. Ryan made a Motion to approve the Minutes. Bill Dusenbery seconded the Motion. A vote was taken and all were in favor of approval of the Minutes. The August 14, 2020 Minutes were approved as written.

COMMITTEES

- A. Appeals Committee: Bill Dusenbery reported there was one appeal heard and granted. A couple issues were raised about Parking's website. Tony is looking into those issues on the website and will make changes. This was a transfer student who arrived on campus a day before classes started. He viewed the campus map on the website and it caused confusion because it was done in black and white. Also his first appeal went to an odd error message.
- B. Policy Committee: No report.
- C. Senate Reports:
 - 1. Faculty Senate: No report.
 - 2. Staff Senate: No report.
 - 3. Student Senate: No report.

CORRESPONDENCE

No correspondence received.

OLD BUSINESS

- A. Initiatives Assigned to Facilities Management or Telecommunications:
 - 1. Lot A – Install 15 metal disks in various locations. Project will be completed at a later date. .
- B. Motorist Assistance, Citation, Towing Monthly Report, and Moving Violation Statistics, and EV Charging Data: Tony reported citations are low. The EV Charging Station and Pay-by-Space revenue is down also. In August of 2019, there were 2700 citations. In August 2020, there were 2000 fewer citations issued.
- C. Campus Construction Update – (Parking Related) Facilities Management: Craig Holan stated that the sidewalk on Founders West side by Lot A is going out for bid and hopefully will be awarded soon. Also, parking spaces on the west side of Alumni Hall will be blocked off. Tony added that the access drive will be removed since there are no lights in that area at this time. The construction areas will also be removed. Craig announced that the roundabout has been planted and is now complete.

NEW BUSINESS

- A. Parking Permit Upgrade, Fall 2020: Tony Langendorf stated he would be sending out the Lot Census later today. There are a lot of spaces available in Lots A, E and F. We will not be able to upgrade the red permits to green for a year because of the uncertainty of the present Covid-19 situation for Spring 2021. There are 300 spots in the brown Lot F. We are thinking about allowing individuals to purchase temporary permits to allow them to park in a green or brown lot until December 31, 2020. They would be distributed on a first come, first served basis. Augustus Hawkins stated he thought it was a good idea, especially if it makes up for lost revenue.
- B. Covid-19 Parking Revenue Loss: Bob Vanzo explained to the members that we are a funded debt operation, meaning that revenue bonds need to be paid on every year. Lack of revenue will mean some construction projects will be pushed-back a year or so until we know the exact fallout over the lost revenue.
- C. Customer Service Specialist Position in Parking Services: Tony Langendorf advised the members that Carol Kaufman who has been with SIUE for 30 years is retiring this year. This leaves us with an opening in Parking Services which has been posted. We are waiting for the top names on the list to begin the interview process. This position serves as office manager for Parking Services when Tony is out of the office.

- D. Enterprise Car Rentals: Our car share program that was in operation for several years has ended. Enterprise advised that they have shut down the program and are unsure whether it will ever be reinstated. We have taken down Enterprise logos and literature on campus. Bob explained to the new student members how the car share program had operated. Tony stated that the two spaces in that were designated as the car share parking spaces in Lot B would be returned to Service Vehicle spaces.

- E. Tony Langendorf stated he would be emailing all the members a copy of the parking lot census later today. Even our pay-by-space lots are not full. There just are not that many people on campus.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Robert Vanzo announced to the members that we have a new Faculty member, Sgt. Mark Ferrell. He is absent today as his wife is delivering their first child. Bob also welcomed the four new student members to the committee. He stated he would be glad to give each one an orientation of the Parking and Traffic Committee. If they would like one, they should contact either Bob or Diane to set up an appointment. Thanks for volunteering your time and talents to this committee.

ADJOURNMENT

Bill Dusenbery made a Motion to Adjourn. Ryan Fries seconded the Motion. The meeting adjourned at 10:45 a.m. Zoom meetings will continue during the COVID-19 Pandemic. The next Zoom meeting will be on Friday, October 9, 2020, at 10:00 a.m. Chair, Laura Scaturro, will set up the Zoom meeting.