

Marysville Borough Streets Committee
June 3, 2014
5:00PM
Minutes

Chair: Allen Metzger Members: Dave Magee, Lance Barthel

Maintenance Men: Robert Laman, Ken Miller

1. Ridgeview Drive Parking

Allen opened the discussion by thanking everyone for coming out to express their concerns. This is the most people we had come out to a meeting for many years. Allen stated the concerns of the streets committee and this was the reason for the meeting.

Mr. Phillips asked what alternatives for traffic flow are. Is it to eliminate truck traffic and are we looking too far out into the future?

Rick Brubaker asked if a traffic study has been completed.

John Sholly asked why now, he has lived here for fifteen years. He stated he agrees with only having one side parking.

Allen Rockwell stated this issue has not been a problem so why are we now having this discussion? Allen knows it's very narrow but he doesn't have an issue with it.

Dave Miller stated he likes the way it is to slow the traffic, it's a calming device.

Richard Chorba stated that people need to share the road. With no sidewalks people walk on the street and with having dual sided parking, slows the traffic to keep people safe.

Ricki Amin stated in the past Ms. Simonetti told her to take a count of cars to find out who is traveling on Ridgeview Drive. She stated if the Borough could keep non Ridgeview Drive resident's traffic off this street there would not be an issue.

Amy Leva stated the perspective on which end of the road you live on. Experience the drive through on a drive thru street, there is a lot foot traffic that could be put at risk if changes were made.

Greg Morrison stated he loves having parking on both sides of the street.

Rob Bell asked if Ridgeview was going to be opened from old development to new development.

Greg Long asked if there street was going to see paving any time soon.

At this time a vote was called for by the residence to how many were in favor of changing to one side no parking. Vote was 26 yays to leave it the way it is now and 6 nays want to see the change to parking on one side. At this time the committee informs the residence that no changes would be made.

Mary Ellen Brown stated that the committee knows what the preference is of the residence so please do not have it changed.

Matt Lacken stated there shouldn't be a problem with emergency vehicle getting through the way it is now.

All questions were answered during this meeting. Scott asked why people do not park in their driveways, instead of on the street. Scott also asked that residence to please park off the street for leaf pick up, snow removal, and street sweeping.

2. Ordinance 21-206 Sidewalk and Curb

The committee was going to table this line item for now, but a question from Mary Ellen Brown about who owns the curbs. Scott stated that the curbs and sidewalks are the responsibility of the home/land owners.

3. Sign Inventory Program

The committee approved to place this line item on the council agenda.

4. US11&15 Improvement Package 11-7 / 11-A (discussion)

Scott gave a report from the last Cumberland/Perry Task Force meeting. The bridge replacement over West Main Street (subway) and the amount of time the street will be closed. Scott informed everyone the Rock Slope project will start the summer of 2016. Scott stated the road would be closed up to three months for the project.

5. South Main Bridge/ Hat's Meeting June 6th, 9:00 am

Scott and Steve Copp will attend this meeting

6. New Truck for 2015

Tabled until next month's meeting. Due to lack of time remaining on this meeting.

Next Meeting Tuesday July 8th, 2014