



AGENDA
CITY OF GUSTINE
TRAFFIC COMMITTEE
COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL
352 5th STREET GUSTINE, CALIFORNIA
JANUARY 27, 2016 – 6:00 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER - PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

Committee Members: Bonta – Ford – Gomes – Rocha –
Council member Hasness – Council member Nagy

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

Members of the audience may address the Traffic Committee on any item that has been described in the notice for the meeting before or during consideration of that item and may step to the podium, state their name and City of Residence for the record and make their presentation. Please limit presentations to five minutes.

Members of the public, who have questions regarding a specific agenda item, may comment on that item before consideration of that item, when recognized by the Committee.

CITY OF GUSTINE TRAFFIC COMMITTEE ADMINISTRATIVE AGENDA

- 1. Approval of the October 21, 2015 Minutes**
 - 1. Review and consider a motion to approve*

- 2. Discussion and Direction: Traffic Congestion on 5th Avenue and 1st Streets**
 - 1. Receive Staff Report*
 - 2. Receive Public Comment*
 - 3. Provide formal recommendation to be brought to Council or consider a motion to provide formal feedback to be brought to Council*

- 3. Discussion and Direction: Speed Bumps on North Avenue**
 - 1. Receive Staff Report*
 - 2. Receive Public Comment*
 - 3. Provide formal recommendation to be brought to Council or consider a motion to provide formal feedback to be brought to Council*

- 4. Discussion and Direction: Red Curbs Along Grove Avenue**
 - 1. Receive Staff Report*
 - 2. Receive Public Comment*
 - 3. Provide formal recommendation to be brought to Council or consider a motion to provide formal feedback to be brought to Council*

POLICE CHIEF REPORT

COMMITTEE MEMBER REPORTS

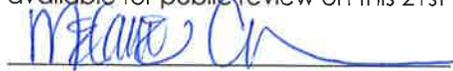
ADJOURNMENT

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Melanie Correa

**MINUTES OF
TRAFFIC COMMITTEE MEETING
OCTOBER 21, 2015**

CALL TO ORDER - PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Police Chief Doug Dunford called the meeting to order at 6:00 P.M. and conducted the pledge of allegiance.

ROLL CALL

Committee Members: Bonta, Gomes, Rocha, Council member Hasness, Council member Nagy

Staff Present: Police Chief Doug Dunford, City Engineer Mario Gouveia and Project Manager Danny Reed

PRESENTATIONS

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

There was no oral communications.

ADMINISTRATIVE AGENDA

1. Approval of the May 22, 2014 Minutes

- 1. Review and consider a motion to approve*

Chairman Gomes introduced the item. Council member Nagy made a motion to approve the minutes of the May 22, 2014 meeting. The motion was seconded by Council member Hasness, and carried 5-0 with Committee member Ford absent.

2. Discussion and Direction: Downtown Traffic Circle

- 1. Receive Staff Report*
- 2. Receive Public Comment*
- 3. Provide formal recommendation to be brought to Council or consider a motion to provide formal feedback to be brought to Council*

Police Chief Dunford presented the staff report. There was a lengthy discussion, in which each of the committee members asked questions and provided information. Committee member Bonta made a motion to recommend that Council consider approval of the downtown traffic circle. The motion was seconded by Chairman Gomes, and carried 5-0 with Committee member Ford absent.

POLICE CHIEF REPORT

Police Chief Dunford recommended the Committee meet on a quarterly meeting schedule.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Committee member Bonta advised that she had nothing to report.

Committee member Rocha advised that he had nothing to report.

Council member Nagy advised that he had nothing to report.

Council member Hasness advised that she had nothing to report.

Chairman Gomes advised that he had nothing to report.

ADJOURNMENT

Council member Nagy made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Council member Hasness, and carried 5-0 with Committee member Ford absent. The meeting adjourned at 6:46 P.M.

ATTEST:

DEPUTY CITY CLERK



ITEM NO. 2

TRAFFIC COMMITTEE AGENDA ITEM

JANUARY 27, 2016

PREPARED BY: Chief Doug Dunford

SUBJECT: Discussion on Traffic Congestion in the Area of 5th Street and 1st Avenue

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION:

Staff has been contacted regarding the traffic congestion problems in the area of 5th Street and 1st Avenue. During morning and afternoon hours there is a significant amount of congestion at the intersection of 5th and 1st. This also occurs during any event that is held at the high school.

There have been suggestions that a stop sign be placed on southbound 5th Street and 1st Avenue. This causes other problems with back up of traffic on North Ave. There has also been a general idea of speed bumps placed in the area, which is feasible, but on a main street.

FISCAL IMPACT

The fiscal impact to the City is unknown pending the discussion on which solution the Committee chooses.

RECOMMENDATION:

Traffic Committee to determine a possible solution to the traffic congestion problem at 5th Avenue and 1st Street and make a recommendation to the Council.

EXHIBIT

A) Aerial Map

APPROVED BY:

SEAN SCULLY, CITY MANAGER



Google earth

feet 700
meters 200





ITEM NO. 3

TRAFFIC COMMITTEE AGENDA ITEM

JANUARY 27, 2016

PREPARED BY: Chief Doug Dunford

SUBJECT: Determine the Feasibility of Speed Bumps Along North Ave Near Gustine High School

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION:

Staff has been approached to ask the Traffic Committee about the possibility of speed bumps along North Ave. Staff has learned that the thinking is that with placing two speed bumps within the school area, would reduce the speeding vehicle coming out of the high school.

Staff recommends that the speed bumps if approved would be placed in the following areas. One speed bump would be 100 feet east of West Ave. The second speed bump would be placed approximately 150 feet west of West Ave.

The current speed limit on the roadway is 25 MPH. However, during sporting events or other functions there have been reports of speeding vehicles originating from the school.

Staff contacted the fire department to determine the impact of speed bumps on their response times.

FISCAL IMPACT

The fiscal impact to the City would be approximately \$800 for two speed bumps. This includes the purchase of the speed bumps (\$180 each), shipping and the labor to install.

RECOMMENDATION:

Traffic Committee to determine the feasibility of adding two speed bumps to North Ave and make a recommendation to the City Council.

EXHIBIT

A) Aerial Map

APPROVED BY:

SEAN SCULLY, CITY MANAGER



Google earth





ITEM NO. 4

TRAFFIC COMMITTEE AGENDA ITEM

JANUARY 27, 2016

PREPARED BY: Chief Doug Dunford

SUBJECT: Determine the Need for Red Curbs Along the West Curb Line of Grove Avenue South of South Avenue

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION:

Staff has been approached to look at the possibility of placing a red curb along Grove Avenue. The red curb would extend from South Avenue to approximately 400 feet north of Wallis Street. The concern is that when vehicles are parked on both sides of Grove Ave. the street becomes too narrow for two vehicles to operate on in opposing directions.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The fiscal impact to the City would be approximately \$250 for paint and labor to perform the painting.

RECOMMENDATION:

Traffic Ad Hoc Committee to determine the feasibility of placing red curb along the west side of Grove between South Ave and 400 feet north of Wallis Street.

EXHIBIT

A) Aerial Map

APPROVED BY:

SEAN SCULLY, CITY MANAGER



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