

TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE ADVISORY BOARD NOTES

February 5, 2020

Members Present: Kurt Franke, George Rindelaub, Caleb Dirckx, Steve Ludwig
Members Absent: Tama Theis, Sue Ek, Ryan Daniel
Non-Member Present: Donald Unzen
City Staff Present: Steve Foss, Cheryl Malikowski, Recording Secretary

Meeting called to order at 4:00 p.m. by Chair Rindelaub.

Franke moved to approve the December 4, 2019, minutes. Dirckx seconded and the motion unanimously passed.

Franke discussed the pedestrian crossing as vehicles exit the Centre Square parking ramp. Discussion ensued on ways to improve visibility. Another problematic area was signage by the St. Cloud Hospital at 15th Street North. Foss will report back at a later date.

Foss discussed the local option sales tax proposal packet that was sent to Legislature. Legislature will determine how they want to advance the proposal. If approved, the projects would then go on election ballot for voter approval. Foss explained highlights of each project that was submitted to Legislature.

Foss gave an overview of the updates to the Capital Improvements Program for the Engineering projects. On February 26th, City Administration will meet with individual departments to make any changes. Foss stated that he tries to have a local neighborhood, regional transportation and maintenance project for each year.

Dirckx stated that 25th Avenue going south by the railroad tracks near 5th Street is in bad shape. Foss stated that this area will be done in 2020.

Franke discussed the sidewalk near 25th Avenue and 12th Street North near 1301 Northway Circle where pedestrians have made a dirt path at the southeast corner to Northway Circle. He suggested extending the sidewalk to Northway Circle since it's being utilized and is getting plowed in winter.

Dirckx commented on the chimney merge at TH 15 and 12th Street North.

Meeting adjourned at 4:53 p.m. The next meeting will be held on April 1, 2020, at 4:00 p.m.