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**City of Marquette
Traffic/Parking Advisory Committee 4/18/2023**

- I.** Meeting located in the Marquette City Hall Conference Room #103
- II.** Meeting Called to Order: 4:00 p.m.
- III.** Roll Call:
Present: Barb Owdziej, Orville Dishno, Jim Breitenbach, Richard Johnson
Absent: Al Sherbinow
Staff Liaison Present: Captain Jim Finkbeiner
- IV.** Approval of Agenda for 4/18/2023:
The 4/18/23 Agenda was motioned for approval by Orville, seconded by Barb and unanimously approved.
- V.** Approval of Minutes for 3/21/2023
The 3/21/23 minutes was motioned for approval by Orville, seconded by Richard and unanimously approved.
- VI.** Public Comment:
None
- VII.** Old Business:
 1. Review of Previously Identified Problem Areas from the Traffic & Parking Committee to the City. (Reference section VIII.2.)
 2. Parking Problem @ 209 West Prospect
 - a. Parking issue with the Cruise N Coffee business entrance: MPD is working on posting signs with consensus between Cruise N Coffee and residence on the west boundry.
- VIII.** New Business:
 1. Resignation of Committee member Jodi Lanciani. The Committee is thankful for the efforts and insight provided by Jodi.

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2. TPAC Discussion Summary

- a. Covered symantic considerations in the presentation of this summary.
- b. Discussion of the 'Walk Safe' flyer, crosswalks, ample time to 'stop-look' definition in the Universal Traffic Code, and ways to get this information out to the public.

3. Morgan Creek Trail and M553 Area Update

The area across from the Rippling River Resort is an unsanctioned area used by the public for parking. There have been attempts to discourage use of this area for multiple reasons, of which, as pertinent to the Committee, safety and lack of visibility from oncoming traffic along M553. The Committee was alerted to plans for a subdivision and planned expansions by Rippling River and Marquette Mountain Ski Resorts. As plans develop the Committee, as well as others, will need to weigh in on the safety considerations in this area.

4. Standards for City-Appointed Boards, Committees and Authorities

- a. Newly revised practices for all committees are being considered by the City Commission. A new orientation and handbook will accompany this update once passed by the commission.

IX. Committee Comments:
NA

X. Motion to Adjourn:
Orville motioned to adjourn the meeting, Barb seconded the motion and the motion was approved unanimously.

XI. Time of Adjournment: 5:03 p.m.

Minutes for 4/18/23 were submitted by: Jim Breitenbach

Approved by Chairperson: _____

Date: 7-18-23

Accepted by Committee Liaison: _____

Date: 7/18/23

Two handwritten signatures in blue ink. The first signature is "Orville" and the second signature is "Barb".