

**MINUTES OF THE  
TRAFFIC AND SAFETY COMMISSION MEETING**

**February 6, 2018**

- CALL TO ORDER:** Chairperson Hoyt called the meeting to order at 5:28 p.m. in the City Council Chambers at City Hall, 7100 Garfield Avenue, Bell Gardens.
- ROLL CALL:** Secretary, Veronica Sanchez took roll call.
- PRESENT:** Chairperson Hoyt, Commissioner Galvan and Commissioner Gavilanes were present. Chau Vu, Director of Public Works and Veronica Sanchez, Secretary were present. Commissioner Amaya was not present and had contacted the City Clerk office earlier that day to request removal from the Commission.
- INVOCATION:** Ms. Vu led the invocation.
- PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:** Commissioner Gavilanes led the Pledge of Allegiance.
- POSTING OF AGENDA:** The agenda was posted as prescribed by law.
- PUBLIC BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR:** Commissioner Galvan made the motion to close public participation and Commissioner Gavilanes second the motion.
- APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF DECEMBER 5, 2017:** Commissioner Galvan made the motion to approve and Commissioner Gavilanes second the motion.
- APPROVING THE REMOVAL OF ON-STREET DISABLED PERSONS PARKING:** Ms. Vu gave the report. As requested by the Commission staff did an audit of the on-street disabled persons parking citywide. Notices were delivered and residents were asked to submit proper documents to retain their blue curbs. There are currently 10 on-street blue curb parkings and the audit revealed that 4 have been confirmed for removal at the following locations: 6813 Muller Street, 7517 Purdy Street, 6201 Lanto Street and 5900 Loveland Street. Chairperson Hoyt asked for a motion to approve staff's recommendation for City Council consideration the removal of four (4) disabled person on-street parkings.

Commissioner Gavilanes motioned to approve this item and Commissioner Galvan second the motion.

**COMMENTS FROM STAFF:**

Ms. Vu thanked the Commission and informed them that staff will be bringing to the Commission findings of a traffic study at Eastern Avenue and Watcher Street.

**COMMENTS FROM THE COMMISSION:**

Commissioner Gavilanes expressed that it was nice to see everyone.

Commissioner Galvan asked if staff could look at the street sweeping on Specht Avenue between Gage and Watcher because it is not doing a good job.

She also wanted to thank staff for the alley project. It came out so good.

Ms. Vu thanked the Commission for being the eyes of staff.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

Commissioner Gavilanes made the motion to adjourn the meeting and Commissioner Galvan second the motion. Chairperson Hoyt adjourned the meeting at 5:37pm.

**APPROVED BY:**

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**Sally Hoyt, Chairperson**

**Submitted by:**

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**Veronica Sanchez, Secretary**