

Parking Authority Minutes 08-11-16 0830 hours

Present:

Richard Moccia, Robert Murphy, Jessica Wilmot (Co- Chairman) Christopher Fusaro (Chairman)

Meeting called to order approx 0840 hrs by Chairman Christopher Fusaro.

Enforcement Officers working in field.

No issues reported prior to meeting. We are now back up to two part time enforcement officers.

Report from Richard Moccia regarding State of Connecticut meeting with Town regarding the beginning discussions for possible modifications to Main Street and surrounding cross streets, sidewalks and tree work/removal. The State is at the inception stage of its study and will keep the Town apprised of matters going forward. Mr. Moccia will continue as liaison to the State meetings regarding this matter.

Report from Richard Moccia and Jessica Wilmot who serve as exclusive liaison to the parking task force and current private consultant engaged in active investigation/ study, regarding town parking.

The study is at its midway point. Once the study is completed, a formal report will be presented to the Town and PA for review and consideration.

The PA will continue to provide information to the task force and consultant firm as requested.

Robert Murphy will be an additional liaison member to the current meetings being held regarding parking and economic studies and State meetings as required.

Report from Christopher Fusaro and Jessica Wilmot regarding parking assistance to CVS center businesses during CHIRP concerts.

Village Liquors, Ancient Mariner, Planet Pizza, Wild Ginger, Prime Burger and Cellar Door contacts are grateful for the PA helping them with their concerns.

Most businesses report increase in traffic and revenue since PA began assistance.

Some concert goers are belligerent to Securitas Officers.

PA has requested a total of 4 security officers and one enforcement officer to address the increased concert volume and traffic now that attendance is up as residents return from vacation.

Request submitted to First Selectman's Office for approval and implementation at up coming events for remainder of season. Christopher Fusaro and Jessica Wilmot will continue to work with the CVS merchants regarding parking control in their lots.

No applicable old or new business moving forward other than noted as above.

Motion made by Christopher Fusaro to adjourn, seconded by Robert Murphy @ approx 0955 hours.

Respectfully Submitted,

Christopher Fusaro

Chairman

Ridgefield Parking Authority