



**KEIZER TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMISSION
MINUTES**

**Thursday, October 22, 2009 @ 7:00 p.m.
Keizer City Hall**

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Richter called the meeting to order at 7:04 p.m.

2. ATTENDANCE

Present:

Elwood "Woody" Richter, Chair
Donna Bradley, Vice Chair
Edwin Thompson
Richard Hoover
Steve Prothero
David McKane, Council Liaison

Absent:

Joel Stein, Fire Marshal
Eamon Bishop

Staff Present:

Debbie Lockhart, Deputy City Recorder
Rob Kissler, Public Works Director
Dan Kelley, Police Department

- 3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES ~** Commissioner Prothero moved to approve the September 2009 Minutes. Commissioner Bradley seconded. Motion passed as follows: Richter, Bradley, Thompson, Hoover and Prothero in favor with Bishop and Stein absent.

- 4. APPEARANCE OF INTERESTED CITIZENS ~** None

- 5. OLD/NEW BUSINESS ~** None

- 6. BIKEWAYS REPORT ~** None

- 7. STAFF REPORT ~** Rob Kissler reported that

- Construction (dig-outs) will begin on Lockhaven soon with overlays anticipated in late spring.
- Two Councilors are monitoring O'Neill Road and will bring a report back in the near future.
- Staff was directed to look for a safe corridor to the bus stop for residents at the assisted living facility on River Road. A signal warrant study on the intersection of McGee Court and River Road has indicated that it does not warrant a traffic signal.
- Notification has been received from ODOT that the City was successful in part of the TEA grant. This project will need to be completed by 2012 and will consist of bike paths, drainage, separated sidewalks, traffic signal and improvements on Chemawa to Keizer Rapids Park.

- 8. POLICE LIAISON REPORT ~** Sgt. Kelley distributed, reviewed and fielded questions regarding the crash report for 2009. He pointed out the large number of bicycle crashes and indicated that he would be contacting the reporting officers for more details.

Additional discussion took place related to the three pedestrians hit at Chemawa and Delight recently. He noted that it has always been a crazy intersection at the beginning and end of the school day and that the parent had started a blog to get traffic signal lights at that intersection. Mr. Kissler noted that the planned improvements include a light at that intersection. Commissioner Bradley suggested a four-way stop at Chemawa and Delight to appease people until a signal light was put in. Lengthy debate followed.

9. **COUNCIL LIAISON REPORT** ~ Councilor McKane reported that Council established a task force to look into management of the Keizer Rapids Park Rotary Amphitheater. He added that the task force will consider noise complaints and facility use fees and explore what will be necessary to keep things running smoothly. He also reported that the Flag Raising Ceremony had gone well and commended Scout Troop 121 on their participation.
10. **COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE** ~ Commission agreed there was no need to report to Council.
11. **ADJOURNMENT** ~ Meeting adjourned at 7:37 p.m.

Next Meeting ~ December 3, 2009 Civic Center

Minutes Approved: L-28-10