

VILLAGE OF WIMBERLEY
Transportation Advisory Board

Minutes of Meeting
June 28, 2006

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Corwin Vansant at 9:00 AM

PRESENT:

TAB MEMBERS: Corwin Vansant, Bob Bullock, Kelly Kilber, Charles Lancaster (new member), Mark Roden, Tom Wallace (new member) and Gene Woodruff.

COUNCILPERSONS: Marilee Wood, Council Liaison, Tom Haley, Mayor, and Bob Flocke

CITY STAFF: Bill Bowers, Public Works Assistant

VISITORS: Jennifer Anderson, Precinct Three Liaison, Joel Wilkinson, City Engineer, and Aaron Griggs, IWORQ representative.

MINUTES: No minutes were reviewed.

PUBLIC COMMENTS: None

A. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS: None

B. PUBLIC WORKS REPORTS:

1. Low Water Crossing Program: Bill Bowers reported on the status of the on the ground survey of the Green Acres Drive low water crossing at the areas in dispute with the adjacent landowners. He reported that he thought that the City Attorney was drafting a letter to be sent to the two landowners informing them of what we were going to do and when we were going to do it. There was a lot of concern voiced about the length of time this was taking to get this letter. Bill said that he would ask the Mayor to call the attorney to try to help get this done.

2. Report by IWORQ Representative: Arron Griggs of IWORQ reported that 1) the pavement evaluation survey was to be conducted this week and that we will have a report next week. 2) That there is no schedule set for either a drainage evaluation or a sign inventory/study, and that these are cost items to the city and that the costs can be significant. Aaron suggested that if we inventory the signs ourselves that we evaluate the size, height, placement and condition of each sign.

3. Traffic Problems on Las Flores and La Buena Vista: Joel Wilkinson, city engineer reported about Regulatory Sign Sizes and their use. He handed out some copies of portions of the

Texas Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices regarding STOP sign applications and other information pertinent to the Las Flores Drive issue. This information supported the rationale for removing the stop signs in this area. There was a lot more discussion about this problem area regarding school buses, load/axle limits, signage, speed-calming devices etc. Councilperson Wood is going to draft a letter to the neighborhood citizens outlining the action that the village is taking to try to help them.

4. Sign Replacement on 1492: After consultation with and concurrence from the city engineer we requested the staff to request council to approve replacing the STOP sign at the north end of the 1492 low water crossing of the Blanco River with a YIELD sign as it used to be before the sign was destroyed in a flood.

5. TAB 2006-07 Budget: Corwin initiated next years budget discussions by handing out last years proposed and amended budget and asked that we review it before the next meeting.

6. Proposed Joint Meeting with Council: We are requesting a joint meeting with council so that we can inform them of where we are on our projects and to ask them in what direction they wish us to move.

7. Crosswalks at Wimberley High School: Bob inquired as to the status of the high school crosswalk project and who was taking the lead on it. Jennifer agreed to contact the school superintendent and ask that she or a staff member meet with Bill to select the location and then get them painted. It was agreed that it would be good to get this done before school starts in mid-August.

C. WORK SESSION: None

D. ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION: None

E. ANNOUNCEMENTS AND REQUESTS FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:

1. Schedule of Future Meetings:

July 12, 2006

July 19 Joint Meeting with Council

F. ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting adjourned at 10:50 AM

Submitted by Mark Roden, TAB Vice-Chair

Approved as corrected at TAB meeting July 26, 2006