



CITY OF BURTON

BURTON DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY MEETING

NOVEMBER 20, 2017

MINUTES

Council Chambers

Public Hearing

6:00 PM

**4303 S. CENTER ROAD
BURTON, MI 48519**

This meeting was opened by Chairman Joey Richvalsky at 6:00 PM.

A. CALL TO ORDER

Attendee Name	Title	Status	Arrived
Joey Richvalsky	Chairman	Present	
Steve Coates	Commissioner	Present	
Gregory Fenner	Commissioner	Present	
Larry Stapleton	Commissioner	Present	
Neil Martz	Commissioner	Present	
Cindi Dail		Present	

B. STAFF PRESENT

Bob Slattery, DPW Director
Charles Abbey, DPW Deputy Director
Amber Abbey, Planning/Zoning
Jim Craig, Parks & Recreation
Marcy Kimball, Clerk's Office

C. AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION

None.

D. PUBLIC HEARING

Review and comment on the Saginaw Street Traffic Study, possible Road Diet and overall plans. She stated in 2014 the City and DDA asked us to do a Master Plan of the DDA District. We came up with a Visioning Plan and Guide Book.

Lisa Easterwood from Fleis & Vandenbrink spoke regarding:

Brandon Hayes, Traffic Engineer spoke regarding:

Study Area
Existing Conditions on Saginaw Street
Data Collection
Speed Data
Crash Data
Turning Movement Counts
Existing Peak Hour Vehicle Volumes
Pedestrian Counts
Existing Conditions Traffic Operations
Traffic Projections
Future Peak Hour Vehicle Volumes

Future Conditions Traffic Operations

Conclusion: Excess road capacity
Acceptable traffic operations
Signals not warranted at Parkwood or Jolson

Recommendations

Restripe Saginaw Street from Hemphill Road to Maple Avenue
Three travel lanes with turn lanes
On street parking and bike lanes

Brandon Hayes said we would recommend collecting speed data after the road is striped and the road diet is complete. One of the benefits of the road diet is that it will slow traffic down.

Neil Martz said he would recommend the posted speed limit to be 40 MPH.

Greg Fenner asked would it be a bonus if we have bike lanes as far as receiving grants.

Lisa Easterwood stated it depends on who you are applying too.

Meeting was adjourned at 6:53 PM.
