

CITY OF SARATOGA  
TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMISSION  
Action Minutes

DATE: February 9, 2006  
TIME: 6:30 PM  
LOCATION: Administrative Conference Room  
City of Saratoga  
13777 Fruitvale Avenue, Saratoga, CA 95070

Call to Order at 6:05 p.m.

Roll Call: Ballingall, Biester, Bustamante, Kane, Guichard  
Absent: None  
Staff: Analyst Borel, Director Cherbone and Traffic Engineer Rashid

Report on Posting of the Agenda: Pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.2, the agenda for this meeting was properly posted on February 2, 2006. **Borel Reports on Posting**

Accept Agenda Items and Order: No additional items may be added pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.2. **Item 4 is to be continued to next meeting**

**Oral & Written Communication**

Any member of the public may address the Commission about any matter not on the agenda for this meeting for up to three minutes. *Commissioners may not comment on the matter but may choose to place the topic on a future agenda.* **One resident - speeding on Reid Lane**

**Approval of Draft Minutes**

Draft Public Safety Commission Minutes for November 10, 2005. **Approved 5-0**

**New Business**

1. Traffic Matrix #127 & 128 – Tom Clerkin, Manfred Schabes  
Issue: Trucks on neighborhood streets in El Quito North area  
Action: TSC will make recommendation  
**MOTION: To replace 6 “NoTruck” signs with signs that use international symbols.**  
**APPROVED 5-0**

2. Traffic Matrix # 129 & 134 – Aaron Katz & Jeff Barco  
Issue: Traffic problems on Oak Street and Komina due to school traffic  
Action: TSC will make recommendation  
**MOTION: Accept traffic engineer’s plan as noted with the exception of the elimination of parking on Oak Street. APPROVED 5-0**  
**MOTION: Recommend direct enforcement on Komina and Aloha Avenue for speeding and running of stop signs, and enforcement of the red curbs on Komina. APPROVED 5-0**

**MOTION:** To paint “KEEP CLEAR” in the intersection of Lomina and Oak on North side of street. **APPROVED 5-0**

3. Traffic Matrix #131 & 133 – Rosalie Price & Alesa Stallman  
Issue: Request for safer crosswalk on Saratoga Avenue at Crestbrook  
Action: TSC will make recommendation

**MOTION:** Install burm on the northwest corner of Saratoga and Crestbrook; implement changes according to the traffic engineer’s plan including the installation of a streetlight.  
**APPROVED 5-0**

4. Traffic Matrix # 136 – Daniel Onn  
Issue: Requests traffic light at Herriman & Saratoga Avenue, also light at Montauk Way and Fruitvale Avenue  
Action: TSC will make recommendation

**THIS ITEM CONTINUE TO NEXT MEETING**

5. Traffic Matrix # 137 – Marcia Fariss  
Issue: Wants bike lane striping changed on Saratoga Avenue  
Action: TSC will make recommendation

**MOTION:** To place chatter bars at the south corner of Saratoga Glen Place on Saratoga Avenue to prevent cars from traveling in the bicycle lane, and to restripe the road more appropriately according to the traffic engineer’s recommendation. **APPROVED 5-0**

6. Traffic Matrix # 138 – Peggy Anastasia  
Issue: Requests crossing signs with audio signal for friend with limited vision  
Action: TSC will make recommendation

**MOTION:** Recommend Staff investigate and develop a plan for audio signals and report back to the Commission. **APPROVED 5-0**

#### **Staff Report - John Cherbone**

- A. Aloha Avenue- update given

#### **Announcements by Commissioners and Staff**

Commissioner’s Term’s of Office – Brigitte Ballingall & Ken Biester’s terms expire in April

**Election of New Chair – Michael Bustamante elected 5-0**

#### **Adjournment at 9:20 p.m. to Next Meeting**

Monday May 8, 2006

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