

**MINUTES
MONTEREY PARK TRAFFIC COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING
April 18, 2024**

The Traffic Commission of the City of Monterey Park held a Regular Meeting of the Commission in the Community Room located at 320 W Newmark Avenue, in the City of Monterey Park, on Thursday, April 18, 2024 at 6:30 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER:

Chair Daisy Ma called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

FLAG SALUTE:

Commissioner Wong led the flag salute.

ROLL CALL:

Commissioners Present: Daisy Ma, Paul Perez, Gabriel Grajeda & Michael Wong

Commissioners Absent: Allan Shatkin

ALSO PRESENT: Engineering Manager Ziad Mazboudi; Civil Engineering Associate Anthony Bendezu & Administrative Secretary Janice Truong

AGENDA ADDITIONS, DELETIONS, CHANGES AND ADOPTIONS – None.

ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS

1. PRESENTATION – Traffic Safety Update

Engineering Mazboudi provided an overview of a variety of traffic improvement updates.

- Staff update on Traffic Improvements:
 - Hellman Ave from Atlantic to New Ave. Traffic review and proposed improvements. Staff did a full evaluation of Hellman from city limit to city limit. The highlights are as follows:
 - 1) Remove and replace stop sign
 - 2) Install red reflective strip
 - 3) Install “Cross Traffic does not stop” sign
 - 4) Remove and relocate 30 mph speed limit sign
 - 5) Install “30” pavement legend
 - 6) Install red curb marking
 - 7) Install signal ahead warning sign
 - 8) Install signal ahead pavement legend
 - 9) Reposition speed limit sign and replace signpost
 - 10) Install pedestrian sign and downward arrow
 - Potrero Grande at Smart Stop Storage
 - 1) Install new sign post with stop sign and “one-way”
 - 2) Install “one way” sign R6-1 on new post across driveway

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the City of Monterey Park is to provide excellent services to enhance the quality of life for our entire community

- Pomona and Fulton and at Juneway
 - 1) Install “one way” sign R6-1 on new post across Fulton Avenue
 - 2) Remove and replace existing post and remove existing “No left turn”. Install “one way” sign R6-1 above the existing stop sign. Bottom of stop sign to be 7’ above sidewalk
 - 3) Install IV pavement arrow
 - 4) Install V pavement arrow
 - 5) Install 50’ double yellow centerline with triangle painted island
 - 6) Install new stop bar
 - 7) Install a sign with right turn only
- Floral from Collegian to Monterey Pass Rd.
 - 1) Temporary measure:
 - Install sidewalk closed signs on existing signposts at the northeast & northwest corner of the intersection of Floral Drive & Hillside Street.
 - Install on existing signposts with no parking signs where available
 - Install moveable solar speed feedback sign
 - Install sidewalk ends sign on existing signpost
 - Install temporary striping
- Permanent improvements
 - 1) Pending grant funding from ATP Cycle 7. Staff is working with METRO to submit for grant funding.

2. CONSENT CALENDAR

2-A. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Action Taken: The Traffic Commission approved the minutes from the regular meeting of March 21, 2024.

Motion: Moved by Commissioner Perez and seconded by Commissioner Grajeda, the motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Commissioners: Perez, Grajeda, & wong

Noes: Commissioners: None

Absent: Commissioners: Shatkin

Abstain: Commissioners: Daisy

3. OLD BUSINESS - None

4. NEW BUSINESS

4-A. RECOMMENDATION TO CANCEL MAY 2024 TRAFFIC COMMISSION MEETING

Motion: Moved by Commissioner Perez and seconded by Commissioner Wong, the motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Commissioners: Ma, Perez, Grajeda, & Wong

Noes: Commissioners: None

Absent: Commissioners: Shatkin

Abstain: Commissioners: None

5. COMMISSION COMMUNICATIONS

Chairperson announced that April 26th is National Demin Day and the celebration of Monterey Park Birthday Plays Days also coming up in May.

Engineering Mazboudi invites all Commissioners to the Earth Day Event on April 27th and the Public Works Open House on May 23rd.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business for consideration, the meeting was adjourned at 7:19 p.m.



Ziad Mazboudi
Engineering Manager
Staff Liaison to the Traffic Commission
City of Monterey Park