

**TOWN OF SOUTH BETHANY
TRAFFIC (AD HOC) COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
April 20, 2017**

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

Committee Chair John Janowski started the meeting at 12:00 p.m.

ATTENDANCE

PRESENT: John Janowski, Mike Trentadue (remote access), Mike Somers (DelDOT Senior Transportation Planner), Dave Wilson, and Pat Voveris, Mayor.

The Traffic Committee met April 20, 2017.

Minutes from the March 30, 2017 Traffic Committee Meeting were reviewed and approved.

Traffic Committee Chairman John Janowski gave a PowerPoint Presentation titled South Bethany Traffic Calming/Pedestrian Safety Study (attached).

The presentation focused on:

- studying and ranking a dozen alternatives
- monitoring existing conditions
- a detailed description of Alternative 1B

Recommended Alternative: Out of the many alternatives evaluated, the Traffic Committee recommends Alternative 1B: A striped walkway on one side of the existing roadway between Kent Avenue and Coastal Highway with a possible separate walkway on Cattail Road like the existing walkway on Russell Road. The segment of Canal Drive between Tamarack Drive and Russell Road will require widening within existing ROW for a striped walkway.

Before acting on Alternative 1B, the Committee recommends to Council the following:

- ❖ Remove painted yellow & white lines through study corridor (Kent Ave. to Route 1)
- ❖ Monitor: traffic speed and volume for season
- ❖ Monitor: non-vehicular traffic volume for season
- ❖ Survey corridor residents on cartway extension as preparation for DelDOT TAP (Transportation Alternatives Program) project
- ❖ Survey Town residents on TAP project

The Committee will deliver a written report documenting their study to the Council in September.

The Traffic Committee functions will transition to the Planning Commission.

Mayor Voveris thanked Mr. Janowski for his work as the Traffic Committee Chairman. Mr. Janowski thanked everyone involved with the committee – the members of the Traffic Committee, the Town Staff, the Mayor, and DelDOT's personnel.

Public comment was heard.

Motion to adjourn was passed.