

SHEBOYGAN COUNTY TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMISSION MINUTES

Kohler Village Hall
319 Highland Drive, Kohler, WI 53044

April 20, 2016

Called to Order: 8:30 AM

Adjourned: 9:15 AM

MEMBERS PRESENT: Cory Roeseler, Jeff Tauscheck, Mike Panosh, Terry Martin, Terry Cram, William Rutten, Greg Schnell, Michael Meeusen, Robert Ziegelbauer

MEMBERS ABSENT: Dave Anderson, Joe DeCecco, Jim Gilligan, Jim Weygandt, Bob Schuurmans, Ron Becker

Chairman Roeseler called the meeting to order.

Chairman Roeseler certified compliance with the open meeting law. The notice was posted at 1:45 p.m. on April 18, 2016.

Motion by Schnell, second by Rutten, to approve the minutes from the meeting held on 01/20/16. Motion carried.

There were no public comments.

Discussion was held reference the construction on Wisconsin Highway 28, including the interchange and Taylor Drive intersection. Construction will also begin in April to construct a paved recreation trail along Taylor Drive. The trail will run north from Crocker Avenue to the existing trail system at Taylor Park.

The quarterly Operating While Intoxicated Reports from the Elkhart Lake Police Department, Plymouth Police Department, Kohler Police Department, Sheboygan County Sheriff's Office and the Sheboygan Police Department were reviewed with the Committee members.

The quarterly Traffic Fatality Report from the Sheboygan County Sheriff's Department was reviewed with the Committee members.

Bob Schuurmans will be coming to look at the construction area on Highway 28 at Taylor Drive and the interchange. If anyone has any questions for Bob, please send him an e-mail.

Mike Panosh provided the Committee members with traffic fatality statistics. Mike informed the Committee of Act 308 which states no person may drive any motor vehicle, while using a cellular or other wireless telephone, including using the telephone for a purpose other than communication, where persons engaged in work in a highway maintenance or construction area or in a utility work area are at risk from traffic, except to report an emergency. This does not apply to the use of a voice-operated or hands-free device if the driver of the motor vehicle does not use his or her hands to operate the device, except to activate or deactivate a feature or function of the device. This will be effective in October of this year.

Motion by Tauscheck, second by Martin, to adjourn. Motion carried.

Next meeting is scheduled for July 20, 2016 at 10:00 a.m. at the Kohler Village Hall.

Prepared by:
Jodi LeMahieu
Recording Secretary

Cory Roeseler
Committee Chairman