Public Safety Committee Meeting October 20, 2014

The Public Safety Committee met Monday, October 20, 2014, at 6:00 pm in the City Hall Conference Room. Present were Chairperson Mark Ahner and Committee Member Sue Galbraith. Committee Member Jerry Partridge was excused. Committee Member Roxanna Brush was present at 6:25 p.m. Also present was Committee Recorder/HR/Payroll Officer Billie Burkhalter.

Chairperson Ahner brought the meeting to order.

** Due to lack of a quorum, Committee Member Galbraith moved to adjourn the meeting at 6:25 p.m., seconded by Committee Member Ahner and passed unanimously, 2-0. Committee Member Roxanna Brush then joined the meeting and Committee Member Galbraith rescinded her motion, Chairperson Ahner rescinded his second and the meeting was brought to order at 6:25 p.m.

REQUEST FROM LIVING WAY FELLOWSHIP CHURCH TO INSTALL DIAGONAL PARKING AT 708 MISSOURI AVENUE

Chairperson Ahner explained to the Committee that Eldon Toews, Pastor at Living Way Fellowship Church, has requested to install diagonal parking on 708 Missouri Ave and on 7th Street. They would need to take out 13.5 feet of the boulevards to accomplish this.

Chairperson Ahner stated he met with Police Chief Doug Colombik and Public Works Director Scott Gray to see if they would have any issues with this request. Both did not have any problems, as long as the sight distance from the corners of South Montana and Missouri Ave. and 7th Street and Missouri Ave. is at least 25 feet from those intersections. It was also noted by Public Works Director Gray that the Church would be required to install a sidewalk on 7th Street prior to putting in the diagonal parking on that side.

** Councilperson Galbraith moved to recommend to Council to approve the request from Living Way Fellowship Church to install diagonal parking at 708 Missouri Ave, subject to the guidelines by the Public Works Director of installation of a sidewalk on 7th Street and leaving a 25 foot space on each side of the intersection. Committee member Brush seconded the motion, which then passed unanimously, 3-0.

REQUEST OF CITIZENS

None.

ADJOURNMENT

** Having no more business to come before the Committee, Committee Member Galbraith moved to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Committee Member Brush and passed unanimously, 3-0. The meeting was adjourned at 6:40 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted:

Public Safety Committee Chairperson:

Billie D. Burkhalter, Recorder

Mark Aleck Chairperson Mark Ahner