

! 2019 TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMITTEE OVERVIEW

Traffic Safety Committee strives to improve safety and general road conditions for pedestrians and vehicle traffic. Duties and responsibilities of the committee include recommending traffic safety solutions that meet local needs, advise the city manager, city engineer and city council, reviewing and improving traffic and safety applications for funding, responding to public concerns and aiding the overall reduction of traffic accidents. The Committee discusses and updates parking, speed limit, stop sign, bicycle traffic and other rules and regulations. There are 13 members on the Committee.

Key Projects

	Description	Status
1	Conducted 5 Meetings	100%
2	Made 5 Recommendations	100%
3	Elected Officers	100%

Successes

- Review and approval of the 2018 Traffic Safety Committee Annual Report
- Discussed congestion on Larkspur Ridge Drive by the sidewalk leading to Dakota Prairie School. Recommended encouraging parents to use drop off loop at school.
- Discussed Highway 14 Bypass Corridor Study
- Discussed crosswalk at 7th Avenue and 5th Street
- Recommended temporary yield signs at Lincoln Lane & Elmwood Drive and Olwein Street
- Recommended removing parking on the east side of Jackrabbit Avenue between 7th Street & 8th Street
- Recommended adding a midblock crosswalk on Jackrabbit Avenue between 7th Street and 8th Street
- Recommended moving a crosswalk on Medary Avenue to the intersection of North Campus Drive



Challenges

- Training

Looking Ahead

In 2020, the Traffic Safety Committee will continue to make further traffic improvements in order to preserve and protect the safety of the public.

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