

Meeting minutes from public safety meeting on March 26th

Fairfest request

Banners--Fairfest committee members were looking at ways to stretch a banner across Burlington Ave. They had discovered there was no good way to do it so had changed their plan and are going to put them on the Bonnell Building.

Road closures--close Hempstead Ave. From Court to half way between Main and 2nd at noon on Thursday to unload  
Portion of 200 block of North Main at 2 am on Thursday to set up stage  
Main Street from Broadway to Hempstead and Briggs from the alley in the 100 Block of West Briggs to Court at 2am on Friday. 1/2 of Broadway on the North side of the square consisting of the parking spaces and one lane of traffic on Saturday at 2am.

Camping in city parks--this item was tabled. Fairfest committee will look at other places for camping and we will revisit this if they are unsuccessful.

Late night music--music will be until midnight on Friday and Saturday night and 11:00 pm on Sunday night.

Beer garden--Fairfest committee request a beer garden in the 50 block of West Briggs Avenue. They understand all of the requirements of the beer garden including fencing, permitting, and security.

Halley made motion to approve the above Fairfest request and Rasmussen 2nd. Motion passed unanimously.

Streets Superintendent Darrell Bisgard brought the following signage items to committee. These should all be action items.

Remove no truck parking sign in front of 52 S 5th Street. This sign was put in place when the Texaco gas station was at the location. Sign no longer needed. Rasmussen made motion to remove. Halley 2nd. Motion passed unanimously to remove.

Remove embargo signs for weight limit for Jefferson Avenue from 6th to 12th Streets. Road is constructed strong enough to handle the weight and the city has trucks coming to the city maintenance garage that are heavier than weight limit which puts us in violation. Halley made motion to remove signs and Rasmussen 2nd. Motion passed unanimously to remove the signs.

Remove parking from the west side of North C from Broadway to Briggs. This is causing a snow removal issues. Rasmussen made motion to remove and Halley 2nd. Motion passed unanimously to remove parking in that location.

Remove parking from south side of Hempstead East of D Street. Parking there has created a traffic hazard especially during highly attended high school events. Halley made motion to remove parking at that location. Rasmussen 2nd. Motion passed unanimously.

Submitted by chairman Tony Hammes