

**MINUTES
FORT MYERS BEACH
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE**

Town Hall - Council Chambers
2523 Estero Boulevard
Fort Myers Beach, FL 33931

Wednesday, May 14, 2014

I. CALL TO ORDER

Meeting was called to order at 9:03 a.m. by Chair Butcher. Members present: Bruce Butcher, Al Durrett, Alice Mack, and Tom Myers.

Absent/Excused: John Kakatsch and Jim Wray

Town Staff: Tildon Copeland

Council Liaison: Rexann Hosafros

Lee County DOT: Robert Phelan

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES of April 9, 2014

MOTION: Mr. Durrett moved to approve the minutes; second by Ms. Mack.

VOTE: Motion passed unanimously.

IV. PUBLIC COMMENT

Mr. Pete Hyde expressed appreciation to PSC for focusing on the Lenell intersection. Mr. Hyde requested that the speed limit be changed.

V. LIGHTNING WARNING SYSTEM - Presentation to Council (Update)

Chair Butcher reported that Mr. Scott Baker, new Director of Public Works, was very interested in the lightning warning system. Chair Butcher stated that he would meet with Mr. Baker to develop a presentation for Town Council.

Chair Butcher suggested changing the banners to read: **Stop for Pedestrians in Crosswalks and Yield Three Feet to Bicyclists**. Consensus was reached to change the banners.

VI. ESTERO BLVD. IMPROVEMENTS & STREETLIGHT DISCUSSION

Chair Butcher noted that Ms. Baker forwarded an email from Jay Anderson to PSC members regarding solar light options. Discussion was held concerning amber lights, location of lights, and LEDs.

VII. PROPOSED BAY BEACH RRFB - Comments on Plan

Mr. Phelan stated that he met with the concrete contractor and they would start work soon.

VIII. STAFF REPORT

A. Street Light Outage Report

No outages reported.

B. Clear Sight Distance - Update on Enforcement of Visibility Triangles

Mr. Copeland indicated that he would follow-up with the letter to CVS concerning their hedges.

IX. PUBLIC COMMENT

No public comment.

X. MEMBER COMMENTS

Ms. Hosafros suggested focusing on section one in regards to crosswalks.
Ms. Hosafros stated that the WeatherBug app. was available to members of PSC.

XI. ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: Mr. Myers moved to adjourn; second by Ms. Mack.

VOTE: Motion passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 9:42 a.m.

Adopted 5-0 6-11-14 with/without changes. Motion by John Kakatsch
(DATE)

Vote: 5-0 Signature: 

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