

## **City of Racine**

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# Meeting Minutes - Final Traffic Commission

Chairman Jim Kaplan Nicole Larsen Charles French John Heckenlively Mark Yehlen Dave Wohlgemuth Robert Mozol

Monday, June 16, 2014 4:00 PM City Hall, Room 106

#### Call To Order

The meeting was called to order at 4:00 P.M.

Also Present: John Rooney, Patrick Starken

### Approval of Minutes for the May 19, 2014 Meeting

The minutes of the May 19, 2014 meeting were approved. Passed unanimously.

#### **New Business**

1. 14-10182

**Subject:** Communication from Patrick Starken, RUSD Transportation Supervisor, requesting a change of signage at Julian Thomas School (930 M.L. King Jr. Drive).

Recommendation of the Traffic Commission on June 16, 2014: Approve the recommended school signage changes.

**Fiscal Note:** The estimated cost of this signage will result in an installation cost of \$200.00 and an annual maintenance cost of \$80.00.

Patrick Starken appeared before the Traffic Commission and noted that all bus parking at Julian Thomas School takes place on the vacated right-of-way of Doud Street behind the school. He noted all the parking signs along M.L. King Jr. Drive indicate "No standing, stopping or parking during the school day" and he would like to see if that could be opened up to a loading zone during the same time period for school. He noted this would help with parent drop-off and pick-up. He also noted the change was made several years ago and apologized for getting this request to the Traffic Commission so late. He noted that at one time there were 14 buses that dropped off and picked up along M.L. King Jr. Drive. He said it is now reduced to 6 smaller size buses that park on the former Doud Street.

After further discussion, a motion was made by Yehlen, seconded by Heckenlively to approve. Passed unanimously.

#### **Recommended For Approval**

Next Meeting Date - July 21, 2014 at 4:00 P.M. in Room 303 at City Hall

## Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 4:11 P.M.

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