



# City of Racine

City Hall  
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## Meeting Minutes - Final Traffic Commission

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

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Monday, January 19, 2015

4:00 PM

City Hall, Room 303

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### Call To Order

*The meeting was called to order at 4:07 P.M.*

**PRESENT:** 5 - Nicole Larsen, John Heckenlively, Mark Yehlen, Robert Mozol and Jim Kaplan

**EXCUSED:** 2 - Charles French and Dave Wohlgemuth

Also Present: John Rooney, Tom Karkow

### Approval of Minutes for the November 17, 2014 Meeting

*The minutes of the November 17, 2014 meeting were approved as printed. Passed unanimously.*

### New Business

- [14-10625](#) **Subject:** Communication from the Alderman of the 2nd District requesting referral to the Traffic Commission a request to remove the east/west stop signs on De Koven Avenue at Mead Street.  
  
**Recommendation of the Traffic Commission on October 20, 2014:**  
Defer  
  
**Recommendation of the Traffic Commission on November 17, 2014:** Recommends that the request to remove the stop signs on the east and west approaches of the intersection of De Koven Avenue and Mead Street be approved.  
  
**Fiscal Note:** The estimated cost of this signage change will result in a removal cost of \$100 and no annual maintenance cost.  
  
**Recommendation of the Traffic Commission on January 19, 2015:**  
Defer

*John Rooney asked that this item be deferred.*

*Motion made by Yehlen, seconded by Heckenlively to defer.  
On a roll call vote, members voting aye: Yehlen, Loop, Heckenlively  
Members voting naye: Mozol  
Motion passed 3:1*

**Deferred**

2. [14-10626](#)

**Subject:** Communication from the Alderman of the 2nd District requesting referral to the Traffic Commission a request to add stop signs on De Koven Avenue at Franklin Street, making it a four-way stop.

**Recommendation of the Traffic Commission on October 20, 2014:**  
Defer

**Recommendation of the Traffic Commission on November 17, 2014:** Receive and file.

**Fiscal Note:** N/A

**Recommendation of the Traffic Commission on January 19, 2015:**  
Defer

*John Rooney asked that this item be deferred.*

*Motion made by Yehlen, seconded by Heckenlively to defer.  
On a roll call vote, members voting aye: Yehlen, Loop, Heckenlively  
Members voting naye: Mozol  
Motion passed 3:1*

**Deferred**

3. [14-10795](#)

**Subject:** Communication from the Alderman of the 12th District requesting a traffic control device at the intersection of Madison Street and Dwight Street.

**Recommendation of the Traffic Commission on January 19, 2015:**  
Receive and file.

**Fiscal Note:** N/A

*John Rooney indicated no previous studies have been done at this low volume uncontrolled intersection.*

*The Commission agreed a study was not needed at this intersection.*

*Motion made by Mozol, seconded by Heckenlively to receive and file this item.  
Passed unanimously.*

**Recommended to be Received and Filed**

**Next Meeting Date - February 16, 2015 at 4:00 P.M. in Room 303 at City Hall**

**Adjournment**

*The meeting adjourned at 4:28 P.M.*

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