



AGENDA
WILTON DRIVE IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT
Wednesday June 10, 2020 3:00PM
Virtual Meeting Via Zoom

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC

Any member of the Public may speak for three minutes.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

May 20, 2020

OLD BUSINESS

*Safety

FDOT Response to pending Drive safety issues

*Marketing & Beautification

Possible reopening video

Stonewall Festival and Parade – tentatively scheduled for December 6, 2020

Update on FDOT permit for landscaping and irrigation

Colliers Update

Social Media Update

NEW BUSINESS

ITEMS FOR INCLUSION IN NEXT AGENDA

*Standing items

ADJOURNMENT

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MINUTES

WILTON DRIVE IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT

Wednesday May 20, 2020

3:00pm Virtual Meeting

CALL TO ORDER

Chair LoGrande called the meeting to order at 3:00pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

Members Present

Chair Tony LoGrande
Vicki Baisden
Vice Chair Doug Blevins
Mitchell Bloch
Claudia Castillo
Matthew Dreger
Paul Hugo

Members Not Present

Staff Present

Assistant City Manager Pamela Landi
Legal Counsel Ginger Wald

Others Present:

Commissioner Paul Rolli

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC

Chair LoGrande opened the floor to public comment.

Commissioner Rolli spoke briefly about working together during these difficult times.

There being no further public comment, Chair LoGrande closed the floor to public comment.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

March 11, 2020

Moved by Member Dreger Seconded by: Member Bloch

Amended to reflect Member Baisden's presence and added NE 6 Av to LED downlight request.

Passed unanimously as amended.

OLD BUSINESS

Safety

Pamela mentioned that a response to the safety issues raised at the March meeting had been received and she would be forwarding to the Board.



Marketing & Beautification

Banners

Pursuant to last month's direction, Lightship Media provided two options of the draft banner designs, called simply love" design with either the stacked or long logo.

MOTION

Motion to use the "Simply Love" design with the long logo.

Moved by Vice Chair Blevins Seconded by: Member Castillo

Passed unanimously

NEW BUSINESS

Video

Chair LoGrande described a small business focus group discussion in which he participated sponsored by the Wilton Manors Business Association. One of the discussion items was the idea of a video that promoted the reopening of the Drive. Discussion ensued.

MOTION

Motion to authorize Lightship Media to create a video.

Moved by Vice Chair Blevins Seconded by: Member Castillo

Passed unanimously.

Assistance for Drive Businesses During COVID-19

Vice Chair Blevins opened the discussion about how the city might assist businesses. Discussion ensued.

MOTION

Motion to Recommend parking fees and fines enforcement continue to be suspended through June 30, 2020.

Moved by Member Bloch Seconded by: Member Dreger

Passed unanimously.

Budget

Reduction of 2020-2021 Non-ad valorem assessment

Chair LoGrande opened the discussion by sharing that the City Commission tabled approval of the 2020-2021WDID budget because of the pandemic, and asked that the Board consider the possibility of a reduction in assessment. Discussion ensued. One concern was that even with a reduction, there was no guarantee that the business owners would reap the benefit. As representative of the largest parcel (The Shoppes) Member Baisden indicated that a 10% reduction would represent a .03 cent reduction per \$40 per square foot, or a "drop in the bucket." Conversely, the funding for marketing, promotion and events is the most helpful thing that can be done for the businesses of the District at the moment.



MOTION

Motion to maintain the non-ad valorem assessment as it stands.
Moved by Vice Chair Blevins Seconded by: Member Hugo
Passed unanimously.

Discussion of FDOT Permit for landscape and Irrigation

Member Castillo initiated a discussion about the status of the requested permit. Pamela gave an update. Discussion ensued about potential solutions to the FDOT's unwillingness to cooperate. Pamela will bring back additional information at next month's meeting.

ITEMS FOR INCLUSION IN NEXT AGENDA

Vice Chair Blevins asked for a conversation about the Stonewall event.

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 4:30PM.
The next virtual meeting will be Wednesday, June 10, 2020 at 3:00PM.

Tony LoGrande, Chair

Date

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Hello Pamela,

We're working on addressing the questions from the March WDID meeting. The COVID-19 situation has forced us to reprioritize some things but below are the answers I have so far. Please let me know if you have any questions or comments or need me to clarify anything.

- We request additional reflectors for median curbs, bike lane edges, bump outs and other striping where cars are veering out of the marked lanes. Also, it has been observed that some reflectors are loose and not well affixed to the pavement.
I've reached out to our Traffic Ops staff and our Roadway Design office and there isn't support for adding any type of raised reflector to delineate bike lanes since so many bicycle groups have spoken out against them. I'll discuss this issue further with our Traffic Services section to see if there are any other signing/marketing options that would help.
- We request an additional crosswalk somewhere between NE 6th Ave and NE 9 Ave.
I believe there is a good chance we can approve another crosswalk in the vicinity of NE 7th Ave and NE 8th Ave. However, we'll still need to conduct another field review when nighttime activity returns to normal to verify where the majority of pedestrians are crossing.
- The new crosswalk at Bona does not appear to be functioning. When will it be working? Will the sign illuminate or flash?
Initially there were standard pedestrian crossing signs at the crosswalk. However, I saw in a previous email from David Archacki that in-street pedestrian signs will be installed at this crosswalk. We can monitor the effectiveness of these signs once they're installed.
- We request a review of the timing for pedestrian crosswalks throughout the Drive. We believe more consideration should be given to pedestrians and less to automobiles. We are trying to encourage people to utilize the crosswalks and two minutes is a long time to wait. Charlie Zhu with Broward County said the max cycle length is 120 seconds during peak hour traffic, but unlikely pedestrians would have to wait 2 minutes. The pedestrian friendly timing will run from 7:30pm to 1am on weekdays and all day on weekends.
- Could the "scramble" method for crosswalks be piloted at the NE 6 Av/Wilton Drive intersection?

The 'scramble' method is typically used in highly urbanized areas with very high pedestrian activity (e.g. New York City). However, I'll discuss further with staff to see feasibility of implementing for special events.

- We think additional LED overhead downlighting is needed at the NE 21 Court/Wilton Drive intersection (like the one installed at NE 20 St), and at all mast traffic signals as well as on the bridge to the south of NE 20 St.

I spoke with Tyler Furrey and there has been a delay in completing the lighting retrofit due to the company installing the lights going into liquidated damages. Tyler said the new lights will be brighter (4,000k instead of 3,000k) so I think we should wait until all lights are retrofitted before we decide whether additional lighting will be necessary.

- Would it be possible to convert the cobra head lights to Short Rectangular LED for consistency?

Tyler said the cobra head lights are being replaced with the rectangular LED lights



Thank you,

David Moore
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NOTICE OF VIRTUAL MEETING

WILTON DRIVE IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT
Wednesday, June 10, 2020 3:00 PM

Notice is hereby given that the Wilton Drive Improvement District will be conducting a virtual meeting utilizing communications media technology ("CMT") in accordance with Governor Ron DeSantis' Executive Order No. 20-69, dated March 20, 2020, as extended by Executive Order No. 20-112, dated May 4, 2020, and City of Wilton Manors Emergency Order 2020-05 dated April 24, 2020, related to conducting local government public meetings while under the health emergency related to the spread of Novel Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19). City Hall is closed to the public.

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