

Stamford Vision Zero Task Force Meeting Minutes

Tuesday January 2nd, 2023 at 9:30 am via a Zoom Meeting

In Attendance via Zoom: Luke Bittenwieser, Jianhong Wang, and Frank Petise from the Transportation, Traffic & Parking Department, Joe Gaudette and Frank Lagoe from the Office of Public Safety, Joe Jennedy from BOE, Brittany Dube from the Stamford Department of Health and Human Services Aris Ristau and Lt. Mitkins from UCONN, William Wright, Ashley Ley, Jim Grunberger, Jennifer Godzeno, Phil Magalnick. Additionally, Mike Lydon, John Gonzalez, Dana Wall, Jesse McGowen, and David Woods from the consultant team.

The meeting started at 9:32 am.

Old Business

- 1) Transportation, Traffic & Parking Department Updates
 - a. No updates
- 2) Police Department/Public Safety Updates
 - a. No updates
- 3) Vision Zero Action Plan Update
 - a. Streetplans gave an update on the Action Plan. Discussed the site visit in the City the team did.
 - b. Data analysis on going
 - c. Reaching out to peer cities
 - d. Shared branding

New Business

- 1) West Main Street Fatal Crash
 - a. The police were not available so no updates on the investigation were made.
 - b. From an engineering perspective, there are shorter term improvements that can be made such as installing more crosswalks.
- 2) High Ridge Road Fatal Crash
 - a. The police were not available so no updates on the investigation were made.
- 3) Improving communication with CTDOT after crashes on State Roads
 - a. Looking to set up a reoccurring working group with CTDOT traffic engineering staff to discuss fatal crashes on State Roads.
- 4) Safety Speed Cameras
 - a. Background was given on the use of automated traffic safety enforcement cameras in the State of Connecticut
 - b. Working with Board of Representatives on implementation of speed cameras. Phase 1 with cameras in School Zones. There was a desire for speed cameras in non-school zone locations.
 - c. The Vision Zero Task Force will be part of the review process for cameras and the program.

Reviewed the November and December meeting minutes.

No Votes were Taken.