

Stamford Food Truck Committee Meeting Tuesday, May 28, 2019

Committee members in attendance: Officer Gary Peterson, Capt. Diedrich Hohn; Co-Chairman Frank M. Fedeli, Capt. Thomas Barcello

Absent, Co-chairman Matt Quinones, Tyrone Joseph, Health Department

Meeting was called to order by Frank Fedeli at 12:06 P.M.

Mr. Fedeli described logistical problems confronting Mr. Robert Cheatham who is hosting a vegan organic food event in Columbus Park on July 27. The committee considered Mr. Cheatham's request to allow food trucks to vend during the event near Columbus Park.

After some discussion, the committee voted unanimously to allow two or three food trucks to vend on Washington Boulevard during the vegan event. Mr. Cheatham must pay for three meter bags for the event - \$30. By parking in the designated area, Mr. Cheatham will not violate the mandatory

100 foot setback from the front door of operating restaurants on Main Street.

The committee unanimously voted to consider all Columbus Park events individually and the request for food trucks must be included in the initial request to be reviewed by the special events committee before it is passed onto the Parks and Recreation Commission and the Traffic Advisory Committee.

There was discussion on two food trucks vending without permits on the West Side. The food truck ordinance mandates that enforcement for trucks without permits is the responsibility of the police department and parks police.

Captains Barcello and Hohn made note of the trucks and their locations and will begin enforcement.

The next food truck committee meeting is scheduled for Monday, June 24, 2019 in the Democratic Caucus Room, Fourth Floor, Stamford Government Center.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:24 p.m by Frank Fedeli