

Meeting of the Streets, Alleys and Traffic Committee of the City of LaSalle

Monday, February 3, 2025

**Immediately Following the Finance Committee Meeting - City Hall Council
Chambers**

Chairman Bacidore called the Meeting to order at 6:09 pm

ROLL CALL

Present – Chairman Bacidore, Alderman Reynolds, Lavieri, Jeppson, Herndon

Excused Absence – Alderman Ptak, Alderman Crane

Moved by Alderman Lavieri and seconded by Alderman Jeppson to allow Alderman Crane to attend the meeting remotely.

Voice vote, all ayes. Motion carried.

ROLL CALL

Present – Chairman Bacidore, Alderman Reynolds, Lavieri, Jeppson, Herndon, Alderman Crane (remotely via phone call)

Excused Absence – Alderman Ptak

Others Present: Deputy Clerk Brent Bader, Finance Director John Duncan, Economic Development Director Curt Bedei, City Attorney James McPhedran, Fire Chief Jerry Janick, City Treasurer Virginia Kochanowski

A quorum was present.

Moved by Alderman Reynolds and seconded by Alderman Jeppson to approve and place on file the minutes of the Streets, Alleys and Traffic Committee for January 6, 2025.

Voice vote, all ayes. Motion carried.

Alderman Bacidore began the discussion in regard to the request for a streetlight on Rockwell Road at the US 6 intersection, including alternatives like directional lighting or reflectors.

Deputy Clerk Bader reported back on the discussion with Ameren, stating that directional lighting is not an option due to concerns about driver safety. He stated that he has also spoken to the City Engineer Brian Brown in regard to installing reflectors as a possibility, but their effectiveness is uncertain.

City Engineer Brown suggests using crystal reflectors to mark the entrance radius and proposes also using chevron arrows to indicate directions, which is also supported by Rockwell resident Leonard Keening.

Brown also mentioned the cost of around \$6,500 for the street light, explaining the cost including running a pole, transformer, and the light itself. He does believe that the reflectors would enhance the intersection.

Moved by Alderman Jeppson and seconded by Alderman Lavieri to install crystal reflectors and chevron arrows to mark the entrance radius at Rockwell Road.

ROLL CALL

AYES: Chairman Bacidore, Alderman Reynolds, Lavieri, Jeppson, Herndon, Crane

NAYS: NONE **Absent:** Alderman Ptak **Abstain:** NONE

MOTION CARRIED 6-0

City Engineer Brian Brown also mentioned exploring the use of ground mounted reflectors that some the edge of pavements, similar to recent installations on Route 6.

There were no other questions or comments from the public.

Moved by Alderman Reynolds and seconded by Alderman Herndon to adjourn the meeting.

Voice vote, all ayes. Motion carried.

Chairman Bacidore adjourned the meeting at 6:16 p.m.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Amy Quinn". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Amy Quinn, City Clerk