

**MINUTES
REGULAR TRAFFIC COMMISSION MEETING
CITY OF SANTA FE SPRINGS
OCTOBER 18, 2018**

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chairperson Martinez called the Traffic Commission meeting to order at 6:06 PM.

2. ROLL CALL

Present: Chairperson Martinez; Commissioners Coca; and Collins

Absent: Vice Chairperson Romo (Excused); Commissioner Hayes

Also Present: Tom Lopez, Consultant Traffic Engineer; Vivian De León, Secretary;
Sergeant Sam Reed, WPD Traffic Division

3. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE AUDIENCE

Chairperson Martinez announced that this is the time when comments may be made by interested persons on matters not on the agenda having to do with City traffic related business. There being no one person to address the Commission, Oral Communications were closed at 6:07 PM.

NEW BUSINESS

4. Traffic Bureau Report – September 2018

Sargent Reed reviewed the Traffic Bureau Report for the month of September 2018. The report reflects 67 collisions, which is an increase of seven (7) compared to sixty (60) in September 2017. There were three (3) collisions involving persons driving under the influence of alcohol/drugs; zero (0) pedestrians and one (1) bicycle collisions. There were twenty-six (26) hit-and-run collisions and ten (10) collisions involving damage to city property reported. The three high collision intersections for the month were Pioneer Boulevard/Florence Avenue (1); Shoemaker Avenue/Meyer Road (1) and Telegraph Road/Bartley Avenue (1).

Commissioner Collins made a motion to receive and file the Traffic Bureau Report for September 2018; the motion was seconded by Commissioner Coca and was approved by the Traffic Commission as follows:

Ayes: Martinez, Coca and Collins

Noes: None

Absent: Romo, Hayes

Abstain: None

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Commissioner Coca made a motion to approve and file the minutes for September 20, 2018; the motion was seconded by Chairperson Martinez and was approved by the Traffic Commission as follows:

Ayes: Martinez, Coca and Collins
Noes: None
Absent: Romo, Hayes
Abstain: None

6. COMMUNICATIONS

Commission

Commissioner Collins is pleased with the traffic flow along Florence Avenue.

Commissioner Coca inquired about the City's current RV parking restrictions. Mr. Lopez indicated that currently there is no restriction pertaining strictly to RV's but there is a blanket 6,000 pound weight restriction on all residential streets. The problem is the restriction is difficult to enforce since several large pick-up trucks and sports utility vehicles exceed 6,000 pounds and therefore are technically not allowed on residential streets. He noted that the City is currently conducting a review of RV parking ordinances that have been adopted by adjacent cities, LA County and Orange County cities to determine what would be the most effective for use in the City.

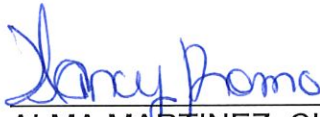
Commissioner Coca noted that, on Pioneer Boulevard south of Rivera Road, the backing of large trucks into Western Corrugated Design Company are creating traffic congestion and traffic back-ups in the area.

Staff

Mr. Lopez indicated that bids were opened for the Florence Avenue Street Rehabilitation project and that Council awarded the project at their October 11, 2018 meeting. The project involves street resurfacing and the new striping will accommodate autonomous vehicles.

7. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Traffic Commission, Chairperson Martinez adjourned the meeting in memory of Mary Lopez, Tom Lopez's mother, and Lina Granados Ayala, Noe Negrete's grandmother, the time being 6:33 p.m.

for 
ALMA MARTINEZ, CHAIRPERSON

ATTEST:



VIVIAN DE LEÓN, SECRETARY