



TRAFFIC SAFETY AND SIGNAGE COMMITTEE

Monday, March 4, 2019 – 2:00pm
Community Development Building
Planning Commission Room
305 SW “A” Street
Bentonville, AR 72712

AGENDA

I. OLD BUSINESS/TABLED ITEMS:

A. Aimee Ross, Hunter Stuckey, Rachel Sizemore – Phone: (928) 606-9965

Tabled from February 4, 2019 - Epic Rides, Visit Bentonville, and Downtown Bentonville, Inc., are working together to bring the Oz Trails Off-Road Mountain Bike Race and Festival to downtown Bentonville on October 11 – 13, 2019. The inaugural event was in October 2018. We are requesting several temporary road closures in the downtown footprint to accommodate the bike race, vendor expo, community concert, and Criterium race (Friday only). *Closure request and maps attached.*

II. NEW BUSINESS:

A. Evan Gray, Downtown Bentonville, Inc. 102 E. Central Ave. Phone: (417) 439-8500 – evan@downtownbentonville.com

Requesting closure of NE “A” Street between Central Avenue and NE 2nd Street on April 4, 2019, from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm for NWA Gives Fundraiser event.

B. Layne Hyatt, Bentonville Parks & Recreation – Phone: (479) 271-3395

Bentonville Parks & Recreation requests temporary street closures for the following Events – *Routes are attached.*

1. Memorial Park Glow Run – May 31, 2019
2. Square 2 Square Bike Ride – September 7, 2019
3. Goblin Run 5k – October 26, 2019
4. Freedom Frosty 5k – December 7, 2019

- C. **Haley Pratt, 1732 Moberly Lane, Suite B, Bentonville – hpratt@diabetes.org,
Phone: (479) 464-4121, Ext. 6872**

Tour de Cure is on August 3, 2019. We have several roads in Bentonville that fall into our routes. We will not need any road closures. However, we will need to cross or use said roads during our event. *No documents attached to the request form.*

- D. **Hope Cancer Resources – Anna Rohweder, 5835 West Sunset Ave., Springdale –
Phone: (479) 361-5847 – Email: anna.rohweder@hopecancerresources.org**

This request concerns the 2019 Heather Ridley-Fleeman Battle for Hope (15th Annual), which includes a 10K/5K Run and a 5K Walk. The event is Saturday, May 4, 2019, at the Old Tiger Stadium and continues to NW Cub and hits the Trail and goes North. Runners will start at 7:30 am and walkers will start at 7:35 am. Approval from Lt. Randy Wood with the Bentonville Police Department and Danny Bartlett with Bentonville Parks and Recreation has been given. *Race Routes attached.*

- E. **Nate Bachelor – CEI Engineering, 3108 SW Regency Pkwy - (479) 273-9472
Email: nbachelor@ceieng.com**

City U residential multi-family development project request the installation of a 3-way stop condition at the intersection of SE 3rd Street and SE “D” Street in Bentonville. We expect the area will have a heavy component of pedestrian traffic in the right-of-way, along with an increase in traffic demand on the local and collector streets which will be made safer by the proposed stop condition by slowing traffic in this area adjacent to the downtown. *See attached site plans for proposed improvements being prepared for LSD submitted.*

- F. **Melanie McMurtrey, 3105 SW Waterleaf Ave., Bentonville, AR
Phone: (479) 616-0132 – melaniemcmurtrey@gmail.com**

New proposal regarding the crossing at the intersection of SW Featherston Road and SW Briar Creek Avenue. Proposing the lighted crosswalk be moved to a mid-block crossing on Featherston Road in between SW Briar Creek Avenue and 28th Street, adjacent to the sidewalk that leads to Osage Creek Elementary, in order for stop signs to be added to Featherston/SW Briar Creek Avenue.
Note: The Committee heard a different recommendation from Mrs. McMurtrey on January 7, 2019.

III. ADDITIONAL LAST MINUTE ITEMS (*After Agenda was Sent Out*)

- A. Michael Steffens, 200 SW Tunbridge Drive, Phone: (479) 295-6879**
mike.steffens@unilever.com

Excessive speeding and aggressive driving on Tunbridge Drive between Hwy 72 and 8th Street.

- B. Anne Jackson, Bentonville Film Festival, 642 SW “B” Street, Bentonville, AR,**
Phone: 678-642-7375 - ajackson@kickstartent.com

Attached, is a request for the road and parking space closures, in addition to signage For the Bentonville Film Festival – May 7 – 11, 2019. Also, attached is a map of locations.

- C. Sarah Rogers, Thrive Real Estate, 1501 SE Walton Blvd, Suite 109, Bentonville.**
Work Phone: (479) 250-9718 – frontdesk@nwathrive.com

They want to host a 5K run that benefits the non-profit, Oasis, on the weekend of Cinco de Mayo. **(No specific date or race route provided at this time -- Instructed to contact Randy Wood to okay race route.)**

Next Meeting: Monday, April 1, 2019, at 2:00 pm