



Parking Technical Advisory Group

728 St. Helens; Room 16

Meeting #105 – June 2, 2016, Notes

4:10 Meeting called to order by Co-Chairs

Joe Loran, one of the co-chairs, called the meeting to order.

4:20 Food Truck Policy Follow up

Kala Dralle from Community and Economic Development discussed the progress of the Food Truck Program. Based on feedback from the public and various other groups the initial list of food truck locations has been reduced to 5 locations:

- In front of the Greyhound Bus Terminal on Puyallup Avenue
- Near Freighthouse Square on E 25th between C and D Streets
- Tacoma Avenue and 9th Street near the 717 Building
- Broadway Plaza between 9th and 11th on Broadway
- South 11th and A Street

Food trucks will be required to display signs 24 hours in advance if they plan on using the parking spaces for business. This is a departure from the original proposal (which the PTAG did not support) which was going to allow for permanent signage to be installed allowing for the exclusive use of area for food trucks even when food trucks did not occupy the space.

[KD] indicated that this plan would go in front of Council for Council consideration and Ordinance approval within the next few months.

4:55 7 Seas Brewery

Mike Runion, owner of the 7 Seas Brewery discussed the opening of his brewery and the need for short term regulations on-street to provide for customers a parking spot. His brewery will be located at 2101 Jefferson Street. Currently the on-street parking to the South of 21st Street on Jefferson is unregulated and used primary by longer term users such as employees or students.

Mike requested consideration from the group for short term parking regulations along Jefferson from 21st to 23rd, Fawcett from 21st to 23rd and 21st Street from Jefferson to Market.

The PTAG discussed the proposal and ultimately supported parking regulations of 90 minutes Monday through Saturday 8a-8p. This time regulation would make both the time stay and operating hours consistent with those stalls on Jefferson just to the north.

The PTAG did request that City staff reach out to the area to notify and gather support for this change.

5:40 Budget 101 and prioritized spending

This discussion was tabled because of the limited attendance and remaining time.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:45PM with the next meeting on 9/1.