

Council Member Sledge spoke to the Commission requesting approval so council can vote without an additional delay. Council Member Sledge advised this would be paid for by a private property owner.

Commissioner Woods made a motion for approval and Commissioner Brown seconded the motion. The motion was approved with no opposition.

NDOT Staff Reports:

Mr. Brad Freeze introduced himself to the Commission as NDOT's Chief Engineer. He advised the Commission prior to coming to NDOT he was employed by TDOT. In the areas of traffic calming, development services, and the traffic engineering section, he will be taking a proactive approach to technology and education strategy. He mentioned the Vision Zero program that the commission will be hearing about, and is evaluating the process which is intended to counter a growing trend in fatalities.

Chris Sandwith provided an update on the traffic calming program that he is overseeing. He advised that the last group of applications have been reviewed and that implementation is beginning on earlier selected neighborhoods. The next open date for applications in the Traffic Calming Program begins on January 3, 2022. He also noted that in order for the proposed calming measures to be implemented, a neighborhood petition must confirm that 70% of the property owners favor of the plan.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Traffic and Parking Commission of the Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County, Tennessee as follows:

SECTION I: That Chapter 12 of said Metropolitan Code, said Chapter being entitled 'Vehicles and Traffic' is amended as follows:

SECTION II. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution be published in a daily newspaper in Metropolitan Nashville/Davidson County, Tennessee, and that a certified copy be filed with the Chief of Police of the Metropolitan Police Department, and that a certified copy be filed with the Metropolitan clerk, and that said Resolution take effect five (5) days thereafter.

APPROVED: **December 13,2021** EFFECTIVE: **December 18,2021**

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, Officer Williams moved to adjourn. Commissioner Woods seconded. All in favor with no opposition. The meeting adjourned at 4:00 p.m.

Approved on the 13th day of December, 2021

Department of Transportation

Chairperson Traffic and Parking Commission