

Agenda Special City Council Meeting Monday, April 22nd, 2024 – 6:00 p.m.

City Council Chambers 201 East Pleasant Street Maquoketa, IA 52060

The Monday, April 22, 2024, Council meeting may be attended thru Zoom as allowed by Section 21.8 of Iowa Code. Anybody that would like to attend the meeting may do so thru the following means, and the meeting will rebroadcast over the local access channel:

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Web link: https://zoom.us/j/96488987917

Phone call: 312 626 6799 Meeting ID: 964-8898-7917

- 1. Call to order
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance
- 3. Roll call
- 4. Approval of the Agenda
- 5. Public Participation
- 6. Presentation None
- 7. Public Hearing None
- 8. Old Business None
- 9. New Business
 - a. Resolution Amending Traffic Safety Action Plan

<u>City Manager Summary</u>: City Staff, Public Safety Committee, and the Traffic Safety Action Plan Task Force previously discussed the outcomes and progress of the <u>City's Traffic Safety</u>

Action Plan. Several updates were previously provided in the January 3, 2024 Public Safety Committee meeting including the bi-annual painting goals of the Public Works Department, purchasing of radar-based speed signs, street replacements of Walnut and E Maple in 2024, and the IDOT grant award for the complete reconstruction of the most problematic intersection in the community: Main & Summit Street.

In short, the City has made great progress without external assistance.

An additional discussion took place on April 17, 2024 outlining additional transportation safety risks in the City of Maquoketa mostly pertaining to the Briggs Elementary expansion that is imminently moving forward in Maquoketa Community School District plans. This information was not clearly known in 2023 when the original Traffic Safety Action Plan was adopted.

Due to this generational Community decision, City Staff drafted several concerns related to the move as well as several options on how to mitigate transportation safety risks while also addressing roadway maintenance needs. The Public Safety Committee outcome was a recommended amendment for City Council consideration to formally adopt the amended Traffic Safety Action Plan.

Attached to this agenda distribution is a full copy of the amended Plan proposal which includes several additional project concerns as well as a "clean version" of what would be publicly posted on the City's website.

City Council support is recommended.

10. Reports and Communications

- a. Council Member Reports
- b. City Manager Report

11. Adjournment