

City of Decorah Council Work Session Minutes
Monday, May 24, 2021 – 5:15pm
Agenda

The work session was called to order by Chm. Hadley. Councilpersons present: Ross Hadley, Kirk Johnson, Emily Neal, Steve Luse

Proposed revised FY21-FY22 Street plan

City Engineer Brill reviewed the revised street plan which is based on increased LOST revenue projections

Vesterheim Sidewalk Request

City Engineer Brill reviewed Vesterheim's request to place a "bump-out" in the street in front of the proposed site improvements. He consulted staff regarding challenges with snow removal and doesn't foresee any problems. Brill and Police Chief Smutzler are recommending the turning lane be removed. The project also removes 3 parking spots. Hadley questioned if removing these parking spaces makes it more difficult for the elderly and if it causes safety concerns. He also said anything we can do to support Vesterheim he is on board with. Councilperson Neal agreed.

Luse stated he would like to have planters used rather than trees. Neal stated planters can't provide shade and that she appreciates the trees.