

MINUTES
City Vehicle Accident Review Board
September 3rd, 2013
City Council Conference Room
Wayne Gilley City Hall
1:30 pm

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Wright at 1:35 pm.

1. Roll Call

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rusty Wright, Chairman
Dennis Bothell, Equipment Maintenance
Candy Brown, Safety & Risk Manager
Rusty Whisenhunt, Public Works Safety & Risk Officer

MEMBERS ABSENT: None

OTHERS PRESENT: Chew Allen, Safety Rep
Marlon Johnson, Safety Rep
Tiffani Burk, HR

Excused* Unexcused**

2. Minutes:

A. Approval of minutes of August 6th, 2013

Motion by Bothell with second by Wright to approve the minutes of August 6th, 2013. AYES: All NAYS: None Motion carried.

3. Old Business:

None

4. New Business:

A. Brandon Williams- Animal Welfare (7/27/13)

Mr. Williams was present.

Mr. Williams said he was going west down Gore. He had just switched lanes from the north side to the south side. As he was going up to 19th, a woman pulled out in front of him. He said it was all he could do, was to run into her. Rusty Wright had some questions about the positioning of the cars on the police report. Mr. Williams said the lady was in the turn lane and was where she was supposed to be.

Motion by Bothell with second by Whisenhunt to rule this as a Non-Preventable Collision with zero (0) points assessed. AYES: All NAYS: None Motion carried.

B. Michael Cooper- WWM (7/11/13)

Mr. Cooper was not present. Safety Rep Chew Allen was present.

Mr. Allen said that basically this Stihl chain saw has a little adjustment screw and one of the ears is broke off. They wrote an incident report on it but they don't know who broke it. Mr. Cooper was the person that reported the damage.

Motion by Bothell with second by Whisenhunt to rule this as a Non-preventable Incident with zero (0) point assessed. AYES: All NAYS: None Motion carried.

C. Charles Smith- SSTD-WWC (7/23/13)

Mr. Smith was present. Safety Rep Chew Allen was also present.

Mr. Smith said he was sitting at the red light facing north on Sheridan. He was looking off to the east at the store and was reading the sign. The light changed and traffic started moving forward. He started moving forward but was still looking to the east and the truck in front of him died and he didn't know it. He rear ended the truck.

Motion by Bothell with second by Brown to rule this as a Chargeable Collision with three (3) points assessed. AYES: All NAYS: None Motion carried.

D. Berchie Chittum- Sewer Construction (8/14/13)

Mr. Chittum was not present. He is no longer a City of Lawton employee.

He kicked the truck door after he lost his temper. The damage was to the inside panel of the door.

Motion by Bothell with second by Whisenhunt to rule this as a Chargeable Damage Incident with two (2) points assessed. AYES: All NAYS: None Motion carried.

E. Danny Lindsey- SWC (7/23/13)

Mr. Lindsey was not present. Safety Rep Marlon Johnson was present.

The cart was close to the back of a car and Mr. Lindsey used the arm to pick up the cart and hit the back of the car. Mr. Johnson said their policy says to not pick up the cart if it is within 5 feet of any objects.

Motion by Bothell with second by Brown to rule this as a Chargeable Damage Incident with two (2) points assessed. AYES: All NAYS: None Motion carried.

F. Anthony Edwards- SWC (8/8/13)

Mr. Edwards was present. Safety Rep Marlon Johnson was also present.

Mr. Edwards said before the pictures were taken. The white car was on his tail. In the cab, he had the camera split with the hopper and the rear of the vehicle. In the rear he can only see the bumper. He could read her license plate. He reached out and grabbed the cart. He saw a little boy playing in the yard. He was watching the boy and the white car. He said he went up with the cart and when he came back down he felt a jolt. He said he hit the first pole on the fence next to the concrete. He did not hit the center fence, it was already bent. The cap came off the pole and the pipe came out. He said the fence is not within city code, it is too close to the street. He said he wouldn't be surprised if it didn't hit the fence as it was going up also.

Motion by Bothell with second by Whisenhunt to rule this as a Chargeable Damage Incident with one (1) point assessed. AYES: All NAYS: None
Motion carried.

G. Reginald Ervin- Water Distribution (7/24/13)

Mr. Ervin was not present.

Mr. Ervin went to turn the water off and pulled into a driveway to turn around. As he was checking his mirrors, he backed into a light pole. The light pole fell and broke into 3 pieces.

Motion by Bothell with second by Wright to rule this as a Chargeable Collision with three (3) points assessed. AYES: All NAYS: None Motion carried.

5. Consider any other injuries reported: None
6. Communication/Discussion:
The Board discussed changing the location of the meeting because the Wayne Gilley City Hall is going to close down. They agreed to schedule the remaining meetings for 2013 in one of the New City Hall public meeting rooms on the 2nd floor.
7. Adjournment:
Motion by Bothell with second by Brown to adjourn the meeting at 2:35 pm.