



**Work Session - 6:30 p.m. – Council Chambers**

Discuss the Oberlin Safe Routes to School Engineering Study Prepared by the Ohio Department of Transportation District 3.

Vice President Soucy called the Work Session to order at 6:34:40 p.m. The work session was held for the above stated purpose.

**Members Present:** Charles Peterson, Bryan Burgess, Scott Broadwell, Elizabeth Meadows, Kate Pilacky, Sharon Soucy.

**Members Absent:** Kenneth Sloane.

**City Staff Present:** Belinda Anderson, Clerk of Council; Eric Norenberg, City Manager; Sal Talarico, Finance Director,

**Presenters:** Jeff Baumann, Public Works Director and John Schroth, Assistant Superintendent of Oberlin City Schools.

Council heard a report from John Schroth, the Assistant Superintendent of Oberlin City Schools and Jeff Baumann, Public Works Director related to the Safe Routes to School Engineering Study Prepared by the Ohio Department of Transportation District 3.

Key points discussed included:

- An overview of the Ohio Department of Transportation's Safe Routes to School Program.
- An update on the current status of the SRTS planning grant that the Oberlin School District has been administering.
- A discussion of probable project priorities.
- A discussion of potential policy issues and likely next steps.

(A detailed report of the Safe Routes to School Engineering Study is on file at the Clerk's office).

Following the presentation and Q & A discussion, City Manager Norenberg asked that Council provide feedback as to whether they would like to proceed with the Staff recommendations for sidewalks of high priority or if they would like to schedule another work session to review the materials in more detail.

Council determined that a subcommittee made up of Council members Scott Broadwell, Bryan Burgess, and Charles Peterson would get together and go over a list of priorities that they would like to see addressed. This information would be compiled and brought to Council for action at a later date.

Being that there was no further business to come before Council the meeting adjourned at 7:32 p.m.

**Attest:**

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BELINDA B. ANDERSON, CMC  
CLERK OF COUNCIL

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SHARON F. SOUCY  
VICE PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

Approved: 7/06/2010

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