

**CITY OF DEADWOOD
PARKING AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE**

August 14, 2025

1. ROLL CALL:

The City of Deadwood Parking and Transportation Committee met Thursday, August 14, 2025, in the Century Room in City Hall. Justin Lux called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. Present were Justin Lux, Cory Shafer, Dory Hanson, Kevin Kuchenbecker, Trent Mohr, Lornie Stalder, Cory Percy, John Rystrom, Misty Trehella and Andy Goodwin. Commissioner Mike Johnson was not present.

Absent was Tom Riley.

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Minutes for the meeting on Thursday, July 10, 2025, were approved unanimously by a motion from Mr. Mohr and a second by Mr. Stalder.

3. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS ON AGENDA: None

4. NOTICE TO CONTEST PARKING TICKETS: None

5. NEW BUSINESS:

- a. **Emily Costopoulos:** Ms. Costopoulos sent a request to reconsider her request for a designated parking spot in front of her business. Her request led to much discussion about Main Street parking, who uses it and how long it should be for. There are a lot of prime parking spots being taken up by employees instead of customers. She indicated she has several tenants that generate turnover in parking spots, and she also feels like she is further up on Main Street than the prime parking area. Mr. Kuchenbecker made a motion to remove all reserved parking signs, implement 3-hour parking limits and disallow employee permit holders to park on Main Street, second by Ms. Hanson; motion carried.

In light of the above decision regarding parking, Mr. Kuchenbecker moved to deny the parking space request by Ms. Costopoulos, second by Mr. Mohr; motion carried.

- b. **Colton Keeney** contesting \$292.05 tow bill. Towed from the Lower Main Street Parking Lot for the Harley Davidson Activation. His vehicle was towed from the Welcome Center. He indicated he did not see the signs or the signs were not there when he parked up. Much discussion. Mr. Kuchenbecker motioned to waive the towing (reimburse the cost) for Colton Keeney and advise in any future agreements for the use of the lot that towing would be the responsibility of the leasing party, second by Mr. Mohr; motion carried with one opposed. Mr. Lux abstained from voting.

- c. **Slow, Children at Play Signs in Stage Run:** Mr. Stalder indicated he had received a request for signs to be put at the top end of Stage Run Road. The plan is to also put a speed trailer there to monitor traffic. There are also speed bump requests. It's

reasonable request because of the new park there. It would be good to put a sign on the upside by Mystery Wagon Road and then another on the other side of the park. Motion by Mr. Kuchenbecker to authorize the expenditure of two signs – Slow Down – at the appropriate locations in Stage Run, second by Mr. Rystrom; motion carried.

- d. **Speed Trailer:** The speed trailer is in and the first place it will be placed is Stage Run to monitor and see if that area warrants further measures

6. OLD BUSINESS: None

7. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS NOT ON AGENDA: None

8. ADJOURNMENT:

With no further business for the committee to consider, Mr. Lux adjourned the meeting.

Next meeting is August 28, 2025, at 9:00 am.

Respectfully Submitted,

Rhonda McGrath, Recording Secretary

**** Audio from the meeting is posted on the "S" drive.