CITY OF DEADWOOD PARKING AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

July 25, 2024

1. ROLL CALL:

The City of Deadwood Parking and Transportation Committee met Thursday, July 25, 2024, in the Century Room in City Hall. Kevin Kuchenbecker called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. Present were Cory Shafer, Dory Hanson, Kevin Kuchenbecker, Tom Riley, Lornie Stalder, Jim Lee, John Rystrom, Misty Trewhella and Andy Goodwin. Commissioner Mike Johnson was present.

Absent were Justin Lux and Trent Mohr.

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Minutes for the meeting on Thursday, June 27, 2024, were approved unanimously by a motion from Ms. Trewhella and a second by Mr. Goodwin.

Minutes for the meeting on Thursday, July 11, 2024, were approved unanimously by a motion from Ms. Trewhella and a second by Mr. Goodwin.

- 3. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS ON AGENDA: None
- 4. NOTICE TO CONTEST PARKING TICKETS: None

5. NEW BUSINESS:

a. Days of '76 Parking: Ms. Hanson indicated the parking has mostly worked out well. It was closed off for trailers and horses until about 1:30 and then opened back up for the public. She thought it would be more helpful going forward to let the contestants know there would be so many (a specific number) spots reserved. There weren't many complaints. Mr. Stalder indicated monitoring has been better Discussion. The slag pile works well. There were no safety issues or congestion. The DOT lot should have been requested for Wednesday night, as well as Thursday night.

6. OLD BUSINESS: None

7. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS NOT ON AGENDA:

Mr. Kuchenbecker indicated he and Mr. Lux and a couple of the CSO s have met with a few of the property owners on Charles Street about parking with trailers. Some of the hotels are directing their guests with trailers to park along Charles Street in front of the residences. It is public parking along the street but the issues are sightline safety.

FEMA update. Mr. Kuchenbecker indicated it has been a bit of a challenge but there are some dedicated resident parking out front and it is coming along. The sign package for Sherman Street was ordered and needs to be checked on. The DOT beacons have not been received yet.

Just an FYI – there is some interest in the Patel Lot (the lot across the creek from the Welcome Center). Someone is looking to possibly putting townhomes on that lot which would mean improving Railroad Street.

The County is concerned about Sherman Street traffic. With the FEMA project going on it is one-way going into the ramp and one-way out and getting a left-hand turn is challenging. The Sheriff's department is going to do traffic control – they do it for the rally and they will just start a little earlier. It does not warrant a traffic light. The Deadwood Police department will cost share and work together to provide traffic control at the end of the workday.

The 20-minute parking signs on stanchions will be ready soon for the Welcome Center lot.

There was a little issue on Crescent Street where security told a trolley they couldn't drive down Crescent. It was worked out. Mr. Kuchenbecker indicated a grant had been put in for reconstruction (curb, gutter and sidewalk) of Crescent Street. Won't know until October.

8. ADJOURNMENT:

With no further business for the committee to consider, Mr. Riley moved to adjourn, second by Mr. Stalder; motion carried. Next meeting is August 8, 2024, at 9:00 am.

Respectfully Submitted,

Rhonda McGrath, Recording Secretary

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