

City of Ann Arbor Transportation Commission

Seventh Street Evaluation Committee Charter

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Composition: 2-3 Commission members, 2-3 public members

Duration: 3 monthly meetings February-April with more if needed

End Product: A written report reviewing the process and outcome of efforts to slow traffic on Seventh Street (Miller Ave. to Scio Church Rd.) conducted from 2013-2019. The report may include recommendations for additional improvements concerning city-public communications, community engagement, transparency, and compromise, as well as ideas to slow traffic. Recommendations may be specific to Seventh Street or similar situations.

Scope of Work - Questions to be addressed include:

- ❖ Outline the issue(s) as framed by the community.
- ❖ What initial goals, or possible solutions, were established to address (or respond to) those issues by the city (staff? City Council?), overall community and neighborhood groups (if any)? Were these goals in alignment?
- ❖ What constraints were identified for this discussion area? (e.g., engineering, space, easements, financial, etc.)
- ❖ What are the findings of speed, crash and safety evaluations along the corridor (if any)? At what points throughout the discussion were evaluations conducted? Has follow-up evaluation after implementation been completed, or is this planned?
- ❖ What has been the ongoing neighborhood feedback and city staff response? Have outstanding concerns been identified via A2FixIt, or other tool?
- ❖ What worked in this process? What failed? Other helpful feedback?
- ❖ What are the plans for the short and long term to address ongoing concerns?
- ❖ What are the wish lists for the city, and for the neighbors?

Staff Support: Answering questions and providing data, sharing information on future action, and holding a session on evaluating the process and experience.