

Ann Arbor City Council Regular Session: August 21, 2023
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7:36 PM	Nathan Voght	Jenn Cornell		Personal Contact Information	Privacy
7:39 PM	Jenn Cornell	Nathan Voght		Personal Contact Information	Privacy

From: [Disch, Lisa](#)
To: [Beaudry, Jacqueline](#)
Subject: Amendments to Substitute B-2
Date: Monday, August 21, 2023 7:23:08 PM

Dear Ms. Beaudry,

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From: [Cornell, Jenn](#)
To: [Nathan Voght](#)
Subject: Re: Reminder: Mon. Sept 11th Brownfield Authority Mtg
Date: Monday, August 21, 2023 7:36:30 PM

Hi Nathan, thank you so much for the meeting reminder. Can you please re-send the event series? I do not have it on my calendar. Thank you!!

From: Nathan Voght <voghtn@washtenaw.org>
Sent: Thursday, August 17, 2023 2:00 PM
To: Allison Krueger <kruegera@washtenaw.org>; 'Branch, Holden (DEQ)' <BranchH1@michigan.gov>; [REDACTED] Cornell, Jenn <JCornell@a2gov.org>; cotoole@cityofsaline.org <cotoole@cityofsaline.org>; Ellis Johnson II <johnsone@washtenaw.org>; harless.assoc <harless.assoc@charter.net>; Justin Hodge <hodgej@washtenaw.org>; kjones@cityofypsilanti.com <kjones@cityofypsilanti.com>; Sam Baushke <sbaushke@geosyntec.com>; Trevor I. Woollatt <twoollatt@fveng.com>
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Hi Everyone,

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Have a great rest of your summer!

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Will do!

Nathan

PS. I'm on zoom right now for Council, in case questions about the BF Plan amendment for Detroit/N. Fifth.. So is the developer (in person), and consultant, Bret Stuntz, on Zoom.

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To: [City Council](#)
Cc: [Kaur, Atleen](#); [Dohoney Jr., Milton](#); [Stults, Missy](#)
Subject: FW: Amendments to Substitute B-2
Date: Monday, August 21, 2023 8:47:50 PM

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From: [K Griswold](#)
To: [Beaudry, Jacqueline](#)
Cc: [City Council](#); [Dohoney Jr., Milton](#); [Kaur, Atleen](#)
Subject: Please post in the minutes of the August 21 City Council meeting -- Thank you
Date: Monday, August 21, 2023 9:11:28 PM

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City Council Public Comments in support of CA 7 and CA 11 to improve safety in the public right of way, and especially at school crosswalks on August 21, 2023.

I am here tonight to speak in favor of consent agenda items 7 for the purchase of two commercial mowers and CA 11 to authorize the Sustaining Ann Arbor Together (SAT) grant program. These photos are of school crosswalks in my neighborhood. While the city agreed in a 1998 memo to maintain the public right of way, this has not been done.

While I have requested clearing the crosswalks on many occasions both talking to the mayor and council members one on one and entering A2-Fix It tickets, it is obvious the city lacks the will and operational capacity to maintain Safe School crosswalks.

For that reason, I plan to use the same model that community members used in 2016, following the death of a student in an unlit crosswalk. Concerned citizens formed A2 Safe Transport and effectively advocated for improvements in the school walk zones. The city responded by adopting A2 Safe Transport's plan and allocating millions of dollars for crosswalks, lighting, consistent signage, etc. to improve the school walk zones.

Today, I encourage community members to join together and apply for a SAT grant as a chapter of Families for Safe Street, an established non-profit, to address obstructions in the public right of way that decrease safety and endanger community members, especially our youth and more vulnerable community members. The goal is threefold:

1. to create a community education program,
2. to develop a road map for the city, and
3. to continue working with State officials to expand the Michigan Vehicle Code to cover the public right of way.

For anyone interested, Joe Tate, the Speaker of the House, and our state representatives from Washtenaw County, will be at an Ann Arbor event tomorrow, Tuesday August 22th at 5:30. For more information see the Washtenaw County Dems website.

In summary, the city is legally responsible for providing safe streets and the adjacent public right of way. This is especially critical at crosswalks.

Let's take action now before another tragedy. Please contact me at Griswoldkj@gmail.com.

Thank you
Kathy Griswold

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Katherine J. Griswold