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WORK SESSION MINUTES

A work session of the Kirkwood City Council was held on May 19, 2016, at 5:30 p.m. Present were Mayor Griffin, Council Members Duwe, Edman, Luetzow, Sears, and Ward. Also in attendance were Chief Administrative Officer Russell Hawes, Assistant Chief Administrative Officer Georgia Ragland, and City Clerk Betty Montaño.

APPROVAL OF WORK SESSION MINUTES

Motion was made by Council Member Sears and seconded by Council Member Ward to approve the meeting minutes of May 12, 2016. The minutes were unanimously approved.

SOUTH GEYER ROAD DISCUSSION

Mayor Griffin informed the council that if the stop signs on South Geyer Road are to remain permanent that legislation would need to be drafted for council consideration. A discussion took place regarding the pro's and con's of keeping the stop signs in place. The stop signs have helped with the reduction of speed, but have also created an issue with spacing between vehicles.

Motion was made by Council Member Sears and seconded by Council Member Ward to remove both of the stop signs along South Geyer Road. The motion failed with Council Members Luetzow, Sears, Ward, and Mayor Griffin opposed. Legislation will be drafted for the next council meeting.

It was the consensus of the council that whether or not the stop signs remain in place that other potential options are addressed. Enforcement of the speed limit needs to be addressed. A discussion regarding potential options took place. Lane narrowing would cost approximately \$25,000. Speed radar signs would cost approximately \$2,500 per sign.

Staff will prepare a comprehensive report detailing the potential options and cost estimates. The issue will be placed on the June 9th work session for further discussion.

The meeting was adjourned

Betty Montaño, MMC/MPCC
City Clerk