

**CITY OF ALEXANDRIA
TRAFFIC AND PARKING BOARD PUBLIC HEARING
MONDAY, MAY 18, 2026, 7 P.M.
IN-PERSON AND VIRTUAL MEETING**

MINUTES

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Chair Casey Kane, Vice Chair Annie Ebbers, Kursten Phelps, Dane Lauritzen, Mark Stout, Rosemarie Spano, and Ashley Mihalik (virtual)

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: None

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT: T&ES – Katye North, Division Chief; Sheila McGraw, Principal Planner; Sara Brandt-Vorel, Principal Planner; and Max Devilliers, Urban Planner III.

1. Announcement of deferrals and withdrawals: (00:14:50) None.
2. Approval of the April 27, 2026, Traffic and Parking Board meeting minutes:

BOARD ACTION: (00:15:57) Mr. Stout and Mr. Kane provided requested amendments to the minutes. Ms. Ebbers made a motion, seconded by Mr. Stout, to approve the amended minutes of the April 27, 2026, Traffic and Parking Board meeting. The motion carried unanimously.

3. **PUBLIC DISCUSSION PERIOD: (00:21:28)** Jessica Lefevre stated that the Commission on Aging is requesting that a Board member attend a Commission meeting to talk about which measures the Board is looking into regarding pedestrian safety. Mr. Kane stated that City staff will reach out to Ms. Lefevre instead.
4. **WRITTEN STAFF UPDATES: (00:28:22)** The Board received written staff updates on:
 - Braddock Road WMATA Project Update
 - Left Turn at Jamieson Avenue and Mill Road Update

CONSENT ITEMS

5. **ISSUE: (00:30:21)** Parking Addition – 400 Block of Hume Avenue

PUBLIC TESTIMONY: None.

BOARD ACTION: Ms. Ebbers made a motion, seconded by Ms. Phelps, to recommend that the Director of T&ES add three parking spaces with 2-hour parking restrictions, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday, on the south side of the 400 block of Hume Avenue immediately west of Richmond Highway. The motion carried unanimously.

6. **ISSUE: (00:32:43)** Restrict U-turn and No Turn on Red at multiple intersections

PUBLIC TESTIMONY: None.

BOARD ACTION: Ms. Ebbers made a motion, seconded by Ms. Phelps, to recommend that the Director of T&ES add:

1. NO U TURNS restrictions at Duke Street and Holland Lane; and
2. NO TURNS ON RED restrictions at Eisenhower Avenue and John Carlyle Street, and Cameron Street and North Columbus Street

The motion carried unanimously.

PUBLIC HEARING ITEMS

7. **ISSUE: (00:39:48)** Food Truck Vending Locations Removal and Addition – Eisenhower Avenue and Landover Park

DISCUSSION: Mr. Devilliers presented the item to the Board.

PUBLIC TESTIMONY: None.

BOARD ACTION: Ms. Ebbers made a motion, seconded by Mr. Stout, to recommend that the Director of T&ES remove the 80-foot-long designated on-street vending location in front of 2231 Eisenhower Avenue and add a 30-foot-long vending location in front of 3301 Landover Street with 6-hour parking restrictions, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m., March 1 through October 31. The motion carried unanimously.

8. **ISSUE: (01:02:05)** Pick-up and Drop-off Zone Relocation – North Lee Street

DISCUSSION: Ms. North presented the item to the Board.

PUBLIC TESTIMONY: Charlotte Hall testified in support.

Rich Hopf testified in opposition.

Heather Wiersema testified in opposition.

BOARD ACTION: Mr. Stout made a motion, seconded by Ms. Ebbers, to recommend that the Director of T&ES relocate the existing Pick-up and Drop-off Zone from southbound side of the 100 block of North Lee Street to the northbound side of the block. Ms. Spano made a friendly amendment, seconded by Ms. Ebbers, to include that the Board suggest City staff stripe the loading zone. The amendment carried unanimously. The amended motion carried unanimously.

9. **ISSUE: (01:38:20)** Residential Parking Permit Changes – House Manager Addition

DISCUSSION: Ms. McGraw presented the item to the Board.

PUBLIC TESTIMONY: Dino Drudi testified in opposition.

BOARD ACTION: Ms. Ebbers made a motion, seconded by Mr. Lauritzen, to defer the item. Ms. Phelps made a friendly amendment, seconded by Ms. Spano, that staff provide the Board with more information and a higher annual permit fee when the item is brought back before the Board. The amendment carried unanimously. The amended motion carried unanimously.

INFORMATION ITEMS

10. STAFF UPDATES: (02:11:27) Ms. Brandt-Vorel provided the Board with an update regarding the Beaugard Trail Feasibility Study.

(03:04:05) Ms. McGraw provided the Board with an update regarding the City Manager's recent approval of a taxicab fuel surcharge of \$1.00 with no end date—although the surcharge must expire after one year. The surcharge began in mid-May and will be advertised in writing in every taxicab.

11. COMMISSIONER UPDATES: (03:05:04) Mr. Kane provided the Board with updates from the Transportation Commission.

ADJOURNMENT

Ms. Ebbers moved to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Ms. Phelps. The motion carried unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 10:08 p.m.