

Parking Committee Meeting Notes 7/12/2017

Agenda item # 1: Proposed Parking Garage at JcPenney Parking Lot

- Declaring the property surplus may not be the only option.
- The City could look at public/private partnership.
- It was mentioned to review the packet of information provided to discuss a recommendation about the JcPenney Parking Lot at the next meeting.
- The Parking Committee's recommendation will be presented to the City Commission.

Agenda item # 2: Update on Lease for Jetty Parking Lot

- Commission members are meeting on 7/17 to discuss Jetty Parking Lot.
- The consensus is to stop using the lot in about 6 months.
- The alternative will be to use the new St. Lucie Lot.

Agenda item # 3: Update on local transportation

- Mike Reals discussed the transportation trolley being the item for transportation available at this time.
- He proposed looking into a 12-15 person cart/tram if the committee feels more public transportation is needed in the future.
- It was mentioned that at this time a for-profit organization is not really sustainable with current City needs.
- -If needed, possible grant funding could be investigated.

Agenda item # 4: Update on City Marina parking

- A review of the updated rules and regulations were presented by D. Kubitscheck.
- Dean stated that Marina tenants need to be educated about parking around the Marina.
- If patrons are parking any longer than 10 days, they are asked to park on the 3rd floor of the City Parking Garage.
- St. Lucie County Bike Rack Initiative was mentioned during this time. A stop/bike rack will be located at the Marina and at South Beach.

Agenda item # 5: Update on additional Public Parking signs

- Signs will be ordered and placed in the parking area to the east of Square Grouper.
- We need to be proactive about letting the area know about the change in parking.