

**PUBLIC SAFETY/GENERAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE MEETING**  
**Wednesday, September 27th at 6:30pm.**

1. CAC update - E. Hauser
2. ADA Sign Removal - Alderwoman Worthington
3. ADA Sign Removal - President Shaut
4. ADA Sign Request - President Shaut
5. Albany-Clinton-Pearl St. - M. Berg
6. No Parking on Westrum St. - Alderman Dennison
7. ADA Sign Request - Alderman Frankel
8. ADA Sign Removal - Alderman Frankel

**OLD BUSINESS**

- 1.-Abeel Street traffic - Alderman Schabot



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**Tinti, Elisa**

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**From:** Worthington, Rita  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 10, 2023 11:51 AM  
**To:** Shaut, Andrea  
**Cc:** Tinti, Elisa  
**Subject:** Communication for Public Safety

Good morning,

I understand that the August Public Safety meeting has been cancelled. With that being the case, please submit this communication for September's meeting.

Removal of handicapped sign at 68 Cedar Street. The owner/tenant of the house who initially requested a sign no longer resides at the address.

Thank you.  
Rita

Rita Worthington  
Alderwoman, Ward 4  
City Phone: (845)392-3426  
Mobile: (845)532-1398  
ward4@kingston-ny.gov

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**Kwame WiafeAkenten Jr.**

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**From:** Shaut, Andrea  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 15, 2023 9:22 AM  
**To:** Tinti, Elisa  
**Cc:** Kwame WiafeAkenten Jr.  
**Subject:** Communication

Good morning,

I am requesting the removal of handicap signs at 9 Klingberg Avenue. Can you please add this email to my communication folder?

Thank you!

Sincerely,

Andrea Shaut

Council President, City of Kingston

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**Tinti, Elisa**

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**From:** Shaut, Andrea  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 22, 2023 8:01 AM  
**To:** Tinti, Elisa  
**Subject:** Fw: [EXTERNAL EMAIL] Here is my handicap permit  
**Attachments:** IMG\_20230818\_124638.jpg

Hi Elisa,

There is a constituent requesting an ADA parking spot at 68 St. James Street. Attached is her permit. Can you please include this in my communication folder?

Thank you,

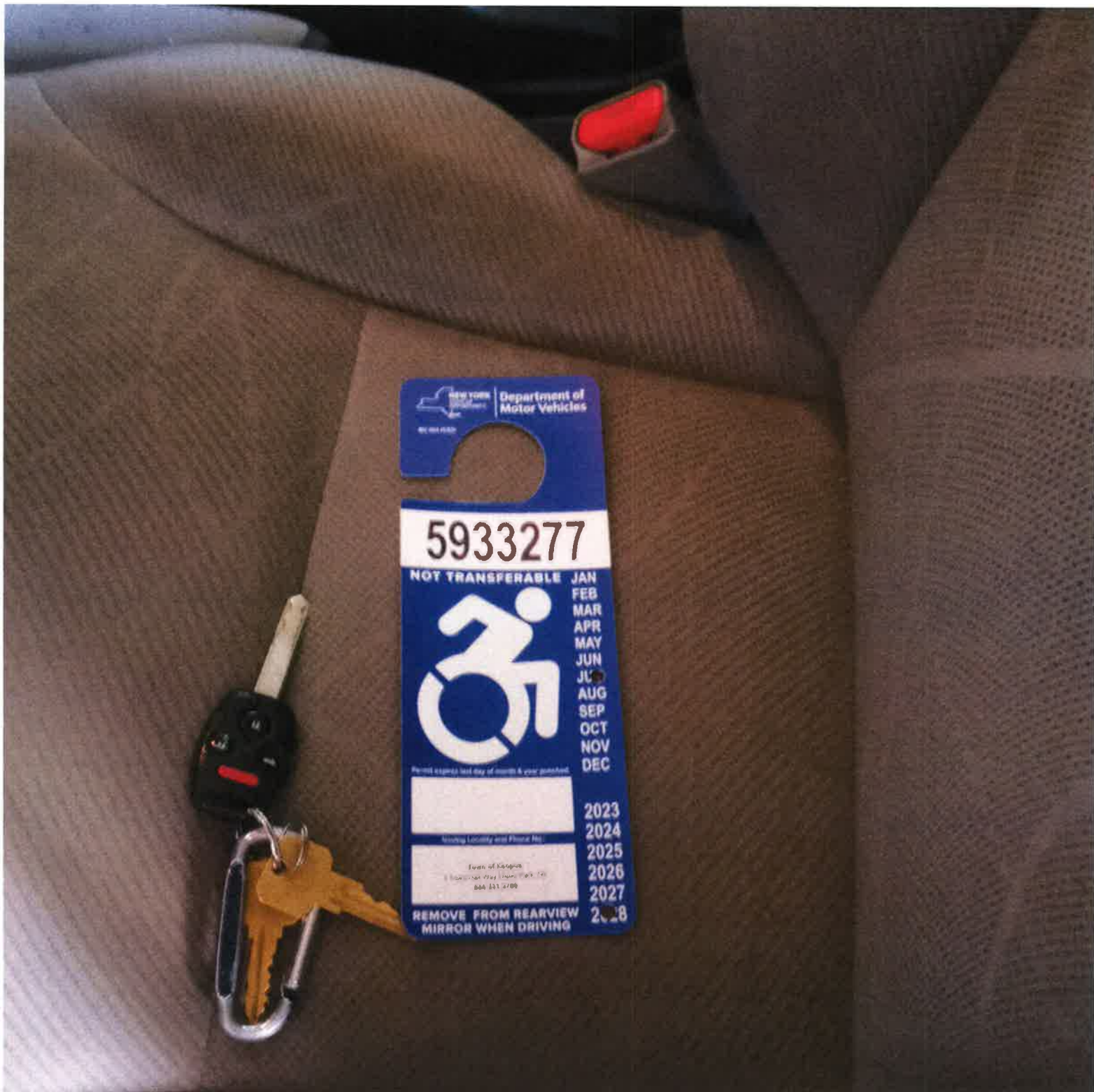
Andrea Shaut

Council President, City of Kingston

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**From:** Sue Prendergast <suepren57@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 18, 2023 3:41 PM  
**To:** Shaut, Andrea <ashaut@kingston-ny.gov>  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL EMAIL] Here is my handicap permit

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**Kwame WiafeAkenten Jr.**

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**From:** Shaut, Andrea  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 15, 2023 9:28 AM  
**To:** Tinti, Elisa  
**Cc:** Kwame WiafeAkenten Jr.  
**Subject:** Fw: [EXTERNAL EMAIL] Traffic light at Albany-Clinton-Pearl Streets

Good morning,

Please include the following email in my communication folder.

Thank you!

Andrea Shaut

Council President, City of Kingston

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**From:** Shaut, Andrea <ashaut@kingston-ny.gov>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 15, 2023 9:26 AM  
**To:** mberg@familyofwoodstockinc.org <mberg@familyofwoodstockinc.org>  
**Cc:** Noble, Steve <SNoble@kingston-ny.gov>  
**Subject:** Re: [EXTERNAL EMAIL] Traffic light at Albany-Clinton-Pearl Streets

Hi Michael,

Nice to hear from you and thank you for reaching out with your concern. Our policy is to send any traffic control requests to Engineering and DPW for guidance. I will do so and will forward any reports to the Public Safety committee. We do not have a committee meeting in August, but I will circle back around before September's meeting to confirm the next steps.

Thank you, and I hope you are enjoying your summer!

Respectfully,

Andrea Shaut

Council President, City of Kingston

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**From:** Michael Berg <mberg@familyofwoodstockinc.org>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 10, 2023 1:32 PM  
**To:** Shaut, Andrea <ashaut@kingston-ny.gov>  
**Cc:** Noble, Steve <SNoble@kingston-ny.gov>  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL EMAIL] Traffic light at Albany-Clinton-Pearl Streets

Hi Andrea,

I am writing to formally request that the traffic flow at the corner of Albany-Clinton-Pearl Streets be changed to remove the restriction that allows cars to turn right between 9am-3pm weekdays. In fact, it is safe for cars making the right turn

in all positions of the light, except when those waiting on Clinton to cross the intersection and continue on Clinton which is a relatively short time of the overall intersection of the light. As you may know Family purchased the building at 31 Albany Ave and has stationed over 40 employees there. It has become dangerous for our employees to make the turn particularly from the park side. That is because the number of cars backing up at that intersection not only passes Family property but often the Dialysis Center next door. The removal of the light and the change in the arrow would fix this situation without a significant cost to the City. I would be happy to present to the Common Council on this issue at an appropriate time.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Michael Berg

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**Tinti, Elisa**

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**From:** Shaut, Andrea  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 29, 2023 8:33 PM  
**To:** Tinti, Elisa  
**Cc:** Dennison, Bob  
**Subject:** Fw: Request for a Traffic study on Westrum St.

Hi Elisa,

Can you please include the following email in my communications folder? I will assign it in September.

Thank you,

Andrea Shaut

Council President, City of Kingston

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**From:** Dennison, Bob <tdavis@kingston-ny.gov>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 23, 2023 12:41 PM  
**To:** Shaut, Andrea <ashaut@kingston-ny.gov>  
**Subject:** Request for a Traffic study on Westrum St.

Madam President.

I have received a request from a constituent on Wrentham Street to restrict parking on Westrum Street, which provides access to the industrial area on Wrentham Street, to one side to accommodate turning heavy truck traffic. Delivering materials to the three businesses located on Wrentham Street has become problematic. Trucks are experiencing difficulty negotiating the turn from Albany Ave onto Westrum Steet and believe a parking restriction on one side of the street will make turning easier to accomplish.

As you know there are three businesses that receive deliveries on Wrenthum, JA Roofing, Rowen Woodworking and Technical Coatings. they all recieve material delivery by truck.

Thank you for starting the process to get this resolved. Best RAD



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**Tinti, Elisa**

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**From:** Shaut, Andrea  
**Sent:** Friday, September 1, 2023 3:14 PM  
**To:** Tinti, Elisa  
**Cc:** Frankel, Carl  
**Subject:** Fw: Request for Handicapped Sign at 123 Green Street  
**Attachments:** Dartis handicapped permit.jpg

Hi Elisa,

Can you please add this to my communication folder? I will assign it for September.

Thank you,

Andrea Shaut

Council President, City of Kingston

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**From:** Frankel, Carl <ward2@kingston-ny.gov>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 1, 2023 8:49 AM  
**To:** Shaut, Andrea <ashaut@kingston-ny.gov>  
**Subject:** Request for Handicapped Sign at 123 Green Street

Hi Andrea:

My constituent Al Dartis, who lives at 123 Green Street, has requested that a handicapped parking sign be placed in front of his house. He is on oxygen and has a handicapped driving permit, a photo of which is attached.

Thanks,  
Carl Frankel  
Alderman, Ward 2

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**Tinti, Elisa**

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**From:** Shaut, Andrea  
**Sent:** Friday, September 1, 2023 3:13 PM  
**To:** Tinti, Elisa  
**Cc:** cfrankel@kingston-ny.gov  
**Subject:** Fw: Request to Have Handicapped Sign Removed

Hi Elisa,

Can you please add the below email to my communications folder? I will assign for September.

Thank you,

Andrea Shaut

Council President, City of Kingston

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**From:** Frankel, Carl <ward2@kingston-ny.gov>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 1, 2023 8:46 AM  
**To:** Shaut, Andrea <ashaut@kingston-ny.gov>  
**Subject:** Request to Have Handicapped Sign Removed

Hi Andrea:

My constituent Gabrielle Rauth has contacted me requesting that a handicapped sign at 173 Elmendorf Street be removed. It was provided for her mother. Now they are selling the house and will no longer need it.

Thanks,  
Carl Frankel  
Alderman, Ward 2

## OLD BUSINESS

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**Tinti, Elisa**

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**From:** Shaut, Andrea  
**Sent:** Friday, July 7, 2023 9:54 AM  
**To:** Tinti, Elisa  
**Subject:** Fw: Public Safety Committee

Please include this thread in my folder!

Thanks again!!

Andrea Shaut

Council President, City of Kingston

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**From:** Schabot, Steven <sschabot@kingston-ny.gov>  
**Sent:** Monday, June 12, 2023 11:00 AM  
**To:** Shaut, Andrea <ashaut@kingston-ny.gov>  
**Cc:** Schultheis, John <jschultheis@kingston-ny.gov>  
**Subject:** Public Safety Committee

President Shaut

I received complaints from constituents on Abeel Street regarding excessive speed on the section of Abeel Street between Block Park and the railroad trestle. This has increased since the Wurts Street Bridge has been closed and vehicles are now using Abeel Street more frequently. The stop sign and blinking light at the intersection Hunter and Abeel were put in place address the issue.

Residents are seeking additional traffic calming measures.

Thank you.

Respectfully Submitted

Steven Schabot

Ward 8 Alderman