

A Special Meeting of the Malden Traffic Commission was held on Thursday, March 11, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. in the Conference Room at City Hall.

**MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE:**

Chief Kevin Molis, Chairman  
Mr. Ron Hogan, Parking  
Mr. Charles Ioven, Planning  
Mr. Yem Lip, Engineering  
Kathleen Hannan, Clerk

**ABSENT MEMBERS:**

Mr. William Coleman, DPW

**PRESENT AND HAVING BUSINESS BEFORE THE COMMISSION VIA ZOOM:**

Coun. Peg Crowe, Ward 1  
Coun. Paul Condon, Ward 2  
Coun. Amanda Linehan, Ward 3  
Coun. Ryan O'Malley, Ward 4  
Coun. Barbara Murphy, Ward 5  
Coun. Jadeane Sica, Ward 8  
Coun-at-large Steven Winslow

Coun-at-large Craig Spadafora  
Barbara Kim, Resident - Ward 7  
Eric Burkman - MBTA, Director of Transit Priority

ITEM FOR DISCUSSION:

Transit Signal Prioritization Council. Ryan O'Malley  
Bus Accomodation Coun-at-lge Steven Winslow  
Centre Street  
(Tabled March 2, 2021 meeting)

Traffic Commission heard the opinions and input from the following Councillors: O'Malley, Winslow, Condon, Linehan, Spadafora, Crowe, Murphy and Sica. Councillors O'Malley, Winslow and Linehan spoke favorably for this program. Councillors Condon, Spadafora, Crowe, Murphy and Sica wanted more time to review and discuss the changes with the residents. Ms. Kim, who was in favor of the change, cited that 9 surrounding communities did/are doing similar projects.

Mr. Burkman answered several questions people had about our ability to extend the decision process and what our options would be.

A motion was made by Chief Molis, seconded by Mr. Yem Lip and unanimously voice voted to approve the request on the condition that the Malden City Council continue the public dialogue and a majority vote by the Council in favor of the final design.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:00 p.m.