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Police Superintendent

TO: Radnor Township Commissioners; Robert A. Zienkowski, Township Manager; William M. White, Director of Finance; Stephen F. Norcini, Township Engineer; Steve McNelis, Public Works Director; Tammy Cohen, Director of Recreation and Community Programming; Kevin W. Kochanski, Director of Community Development; Bill Cassidy, Field Leader; Officer Alex Janoski; Officer Pat Lacey, Officer Ken Piree, Traffic Safety Unit; William Gallagher, Supervisor of Parking; Amy Kaminski, Traffic Engineer for Gilmore and Associates; Vera DiMaio and Lori DeNicola

FR: Christopher B. Flanagan

RE: STAFF TRAFFIC COMMITTEE MEETING HELD IN THE POLICE ROLL CALL ROOM, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2018, 10:00 AM.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Mr. Dineen requests improving safety on Midland Avenue

Mr. Dineen spoke and raised his concerns for speeding on the 400 Block of Midland Avenue. He did not have Petition signed by 80% of neighbors in favor of speed humps. Mr. Nelson, resident on St Davids Avenue, raised his concerns of additional traffic on his street should speed humps be granted. He is not in favor of this request. Highway Patrol Officer Pat Lacey reported on the studies of 3 years ago. Midland Avenue at that time did not meet the criteria for speed humps and it remains the same today. Township Manager, Robert Zienkowski recommended speed tables be placed on Midland Avenue to rectify the issue. Superintendent Chris Flanagan requested Mr. Dineen contact his Commissioner, Lucas Clark, to set up a meeting to discuss this matter further for possible solutions.

2. Mr. Castor requests speeding enforcement and added patrol on Highland Avenue

Mr. Castor not present at this meeting. Staff Traffic Committee stated speed boards will be placed on Highland Avenue and results will be reported at the next meeting in October.

3. Maplewood Avenue – Semerjian Subdivision

Leslie Clifton spoke and raised her concerns and her neighbors regarding the Semerjian subdivision. Mr. Semerjian spoke against Ms. Clifton's concerns and stated the 10 townhomes would not be an issue. Highway Patrol Officer Pat Lacey stated facts from a study performed in 2010. Officer Lacey also stated that Chief Maguire, Radnor Fire Company, has concerns of fire trucks and emergency vehicles entering Maplewood if road is not wide enough for emergency vehicles to be able to turn should cars be parked on the street. Township Manager, Robert Zienkowski, stated his concern with visitor parking, impact on emergency vehicles, snow removal for Public Works, and other safety concerns. Staff Traffic Committee will place a speed counter when construction and a dumpster is completed and removed to perform another study to obtain accurate speeds. Ms. Clifton was advised to attend the next Commissioners Meeting to express their concerns to the Board of Commissioners.

4. Katherine Buckley of 306 Chamounix Road is concerned about speeding on the roadway. She is requesting a speed limit change and speed humps.

Katherine Buckley was not present at this meeting. Three years ago, Mr. Buckley came with the same concern. At that time, request was denied. Highway Patrol Officer stated this is not a speeding problem, but a stop sign problem. Vehicles are not obeying the stop sign. There is 25 mph signage already painted on the road. Staff Traffic Committee will place a speed board on the road for data collection and add to selective enforcement.

5. Radnor Fire Company is requesting a No Parking Here To Corner sign be placed on Lenoir Avenue @ Bloomingdale

Highway Patrol Officer Pat Lacey stated that the Radnor Fire Company responded to a call on this street and could not enter the roadway due to a parked vehicle. The emergency vehicle had to drive by the street and back up to swing into the roadway. Field Leader Bill Cassidy also supported the request. Staff Traffic Committee recommends the approval of a "No Parking Here to Corner" sign to be placed on this street.

6. Justin Henry is concerned about speeding and truck traffic on West Avenue in the area of Overhill Road

Justin Henry was not present at this meeting. Staff Traffic conducted past speed studies in years 2009 and 2011. The traffic counter was placed in the area of West Ave and Overhill Rd on September 3, 2018 for a period of 7 days. The average speed for vehicle traveling in this area was 25MPH. The data provided indicated that speeding is not an issue at this time. Highway Patrol Officer Alex stated he was assigned by Superintendent Flanagan to conduct truck enforcement on August 29, 2018 from 1130 hours to 1330 hours. He noted there were 6 trucks who traveled on West Avenue. Five out of the six trucks were local deliveries. The sixth truck was in violation and Officer Janoski advised the driver she could not use West Avenue to travel. Officer Janoski did note that there are sight obstructions as bushes, shrubbery blocking the No Truck signs so trucks traveling are not aware and cannot see the signs. These residents are in code violations for sight obstructions. Staff Traffic recommends residents receive letters for the code violation. It will be relayed to the Codes Department.

7. Gale Morrison is concerned about speeding in the 100 block of Poplar Avenue.

Gale Morrison, Brent Erickson, and Nicole Mann (all residents of Poplar Avenue) stated their concerns with speeding on their street. Highway Patrol Officer Alex Janoski stated facts of studies performed back in 2010 and 2018. Data provided advised that the 85th was 26MPH and the average speed was 22MPH. At that time, this did not meet requirements for speed humps. Highway Patrol Officer proposed a 1-way from Woodland to North Wayne. Gale Morrison requested another study be performed by Staff Traffic at the same location after dumpster is removed from street. Staff Traffic will meet Ms. Morrison at that time to agree on its location. Staff Traffic Committee also recommended "Watch Children" signs be posted on both sides of the street. This item will be revisited after study is performed.

8. Wayne Elementary School requests to hold their annual 5K race on November 11, 2018.

Staff Traffic Committee has received all necessary documentation and recommends approval of the Wayne Elementary School Annual 5K on November 11, 2018.

9. John Velutini requests RTPD evaluate intersection of Walnut Avenue @ N Wayne Avenue for possible safety improvements at the traffic triangle.

Highway Patrol Officer Alex Janoski discussed facts from traffic study in 2018. Walnut Avenue already has a speed hump on the road. A tree is planned to be planted in the middle of the traffic

triangle. Visibility would be restricted if a large tree was planted in the triangle. Officer Janoski discussed a revised plan with ballards. Superintendent Flanagan recommends a site visit with the Commissioner and Velutini to discuss site distance issues before any planning of the installation of a tree is performed.

10. Commissioner Jake Abel request speeding be evaluated on Morningside Circle near the entrance/exit travelling toward S Devon Avenue.

Commissioner Abel stated his concerns with speeding on this street. Highway Patrol Officer Alex Janoski stated facts from speed study on this street. Officer Alex Janoski stated there is not a speeding issue on this street according to study. The 85th% speed was 20MPH, which is the posted speed limit. Staff Traffic Committee will place a speed board at this location and collect data.

Added on Agenda at meeting:

1. Change stop sign that indicates Right Turn only and make it a 3-way Stop Sign only on Welwyn Road. This would require the repeal of the Ordinance (Per Officer Alex Janoski and Commissioner Abel)
2. Two handicapped signs to be removed:

217 Callanan Avenue, Rosemont PA 19010
131 Poplar Avenue, Wayne, PA 19087.

This would require the repeal of the Ordinance. Repeals will be addressed at the November meeting.

3. Public Works Director Steve McNelis states that a retainer wall on 320 (at 575 Sproul Road) is deteriorating into the roadway and causing a hazard. This items will be brought to the attention of the Codes Department and Engineering Department.

OLD BUSINESS

See attached spreadsheet for pending issues



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301 Iven Ave., Wayne, PA 19087

September 2018 Staff Traffic Status Report

Project Name	Project Information	Status Update
Pedestrian access to walking trail	Pedestrians request better walkability to Radnor pedestrian trail	Letter was sent related to crash history
Conestoga Road @ S Wayne Avenue	Will do crash history for past 5 years	
Conestoga Road @ Brooke Road Brooke Road: Sidewalks to trail		
Radnor Fire Company requests evaluation of traffic and parking on South Wayne Avenue	12/20/2017 Radnor Fire Company is interested in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pursuing parking elimination along S. Wayne Avenue • Revising the intersection to reflect the most recent signed signal permit plan • Emergency pre-emption at the Fire Station on S. Wayne Avenue. • Concerns with parking in front of New Wayne Pizza 	This item will be a budget request for 2019
S. Wayne Avenue	S. Wayne Avenue traffic speed and traffic marker island design	PennDot paved and marked the roadway..
Sugartown Road and Morris Road	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Painting of travel lanes to ensure organized travel as drivers approach Lancaster Avenue 	This was completed.

Radnor Township Police Staff Traffic Monthly Status Report

<p>County Line Corridor Study (from Lancaster Avenue to Conestoga Road)</p>	<p>Staff Traffic Committee & Lower Merion Township discussions to expand study area to County Line Road corridor study</p>	<p>Draft will be delivered the month of October</p>
<p>King of Prussia Bridge</p>	<p>Strike issues</p>	<p>Township requests PennDot take action on this matter</p>
<p>Sproul Road and Conestoga Road Left turn signal improvements</p>	<p>RT 2017 Engineering Line Item Budget: \$300,000 to evaluate, design and construct signal improvements to include intersection left turn lanes</p>	<p>Contract awarded. Pre-construction meeting scheduled week of October 15. Construction schedule to follow</p>
<p>N. Wayne Ave/Poplar Ave/West Avenue Pedestrian Improvement Signal project</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DCED MTF grant awarded; construct signal and pedestrian improvements at intersection • 	<p>Draft plans being reviewed by staff</p>
<p>King of Prussia Rd & Eagle Rd intersection improvements</p>	<p>Submit joint application for DCED MTF grant with Cabrini & Eastern for left turn lanes on King of Prussia Road at Eagle Road/Pine Tree Rd</p>	<p>Radnor Township, Cabrini University, Eastern University received grant from PennDot. Project ongoing.</p>

County Line Road Traffic Meeting

August 23, 2018



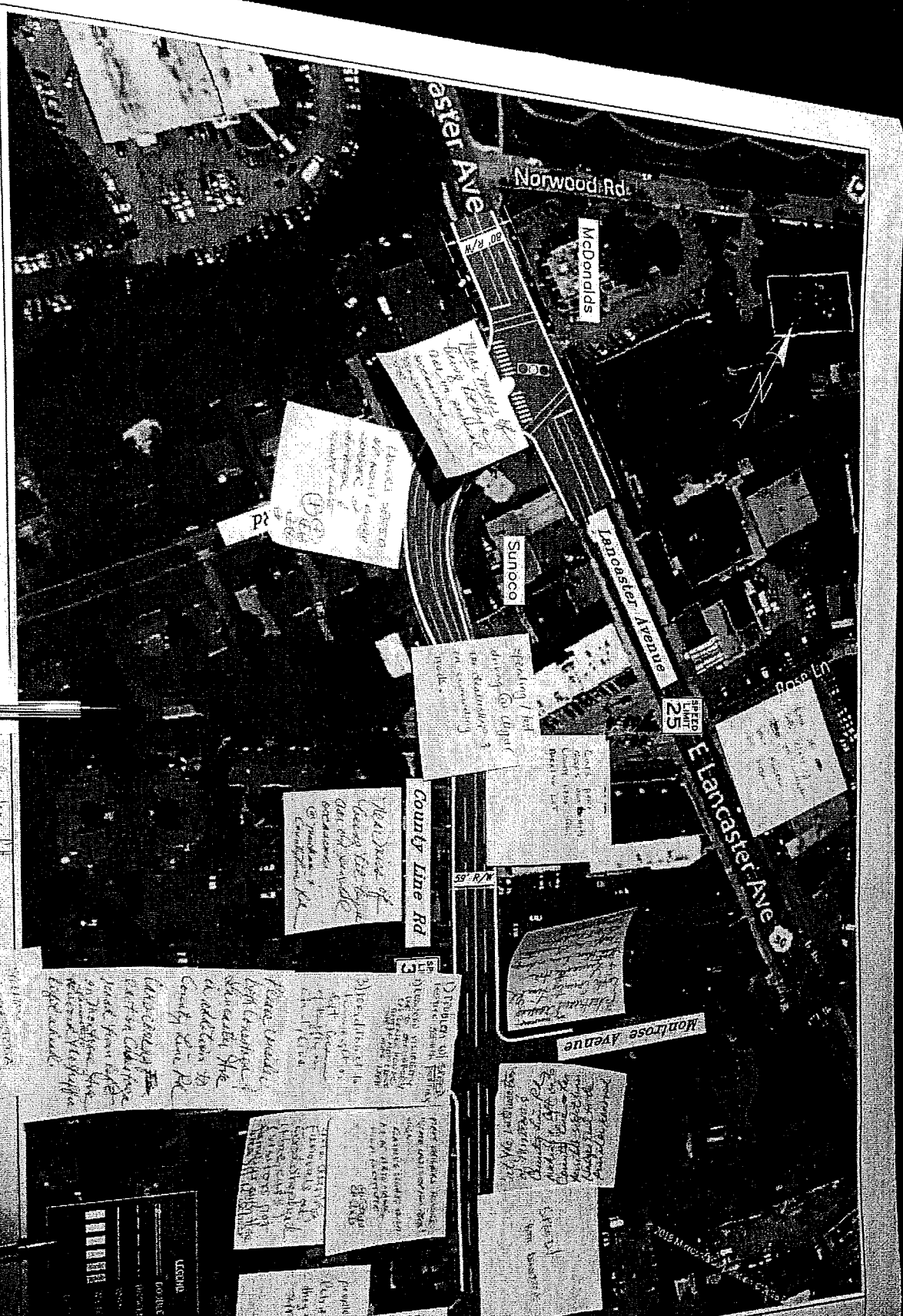
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DAVID FISH		
Julia Anthony		
NEW WOODY SHAW WOLLARD		
Mindy Aldridge		
Suzanne Spain		
Sally Mallory		
Rose MARIE REBER		
Gene Ramsbottom		

County Line Road Traffic Meeting

August 23, 2018



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TERRY SHEPARD		
Judith Shapiro		
MARY ANN BUCKLEY		
Margaret Kealy		
Pat McPherson		
Sandra Greenberg		
Mary Fraebel		
Donald Elman		
Jennifer Stevens		
Anu Dasika		
Emily Bange		



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CORRIDOR ANALYSIS
 FIGURE 7- LOCATION MAP
 COUNTY LINE

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 2018-21100-02
 DATE: