

# **RADNOR TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT**

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**TO:** A Staff Traffic Committee Meeting was held on March 19, 2014, and was attended by Commissioner James C. Higgins, William Cassidy, Public Works, Lieutenant Andrew J. Block; Officer Mark Stiansen, Officer John Miller; Highway Patrol, Mary Ann Donnelly, Administrative Assistant and Olav Urheim, Radnor resident.

**RE: STAFF TRAFFIC COMMITTEE MEETING HELD IN THE POLICE ROLL CALL ROOM,  
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19, 2014, 10:00AM.**

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

1. Mr. Colin Whelan of Poplar Avenue is requesting stop signs be added at the intersection of Radnor Street Road and Poplar Avenue.

A crash analysis and sight distance study was conducted at the above referenced intersection. The crash analysis revealed no accidents within the three previous years. The current sight distances are well within the accepted ranges established under PennDot's engineering requirements. The Staff Traffic Committee recommends no action at this time. Highway Patrol will continue to monitor sight distance issues and will revisit this item during the spring and summer months to ensure appropriate sight distances are maintained.

2. Craig Smith requests permission to hold the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual St. Katharine's of Siena School 5k Run to be held on Saturday May 10, 2014 at 0900 hours.

The Staff Traffic Committee recommends approval of the 4th Annual St. Katharine's of Siena School 5k Run to be held on Saturday May 10, 2014 at 9:00AM. Highway Patrol reviewed the application and all applicable documents have been executed. Approximately 250 runners are expected to participate in this race. An extra-duty detail officer will be required for this event to assist with traffic control at the intersection of Conestoga Road and South Aberdeen Avenue.

3. David Van Dyke requests permission to hold the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Hill Top Preparatory School 5k Run to be held on Saturday May 17, 2014 at 0900 hours.

The Staff Traffic Committee recommends approval of the 3rd Annual Hill Top Preparatory School 5k Run to be held on Saturday May 17, 2014 at 9:00AM. Highway Patrol reviewed the application and all applicable documents have been executed. Approximately 200 runners are expected to participate in this race. An extra-duty detail officer will be required for this event to assist with traffic control at 737 South Ithan Avenue.

4. Olav Urheim is requesting speed humps on School Lane due to traffic safety concerns.

Staff Traffic recommends no action at this time. Under the Radnor Township Traffic Calming ordinance, this location does not meet the requirements set forth for speed humps. Highway Patrol will place the radar speed board at this location as part of a regular rotation for awareness and passive enforcement.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

1. Commissioner John Fisher requests speeding vehicles on Callanan Avenue be addressed by the Staff Traffic Committee.

Staff Traffic recommends no immediate action at this time. The Highway Patrol placed a passive, multi-purpose, speed box in the area of 233 Callanan Avenue for approximately three weeks. In addition to flashing the speed of oncoming vehicles the board also documents volume, speed, and takes photos of vehicles traveling at a predetermined miles per hour. The average daily traffic was 76 vehicles per day. The 85% speed was 16 MPH. The 50 % speed was 12 MPH. A number of photos were taken of vehicles traveling at speeds of 29 MPH and higher. Highway Patrol made contact with the operators of the vehicles and advised them of their speeds. A 5 year crash history was conducted and yielded zero crashes. Staff Traffic will continue to place speed boards at this location and will continue to monitor the traffic situation.