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TO: A Staff Traffic Committee Meeting was held on Wednesday, November 20, 2013 and was attended by Lieutenant Christopher B. Flanagan, William Gallagher, Supervisor of Parking, Officers Ray Matus and Mark Stiansen of the Traffic Safety Unit and Radnor Township residents.

FR: William A. Colarulo

RE: **STAFF TRAFFIC COMMITTEE MEETING HELD IN THE POLICE ROLL CALL ROOM, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2013, 10:00AM.**

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Jen Willner has issues with people existing from Barrack Academy on Bryn Mawr Avenue.

Officer Matus stated there is an issue with the existing wall on site. The existing wall in the center roadway prohibits two lanes for vehicles existing Barrack Academy. If the wall was removed, more turning lanes could be created. There is a back entrance through the Church, the school has never investigated having vehicles exit there. Barrack rents the property and have not had the opportunity to discuss this with the land owner. 3:30 pm is when the bottleneck at the exit exists. Hiring an off-duty Officer is not an option for the school. It was discussed as an option that the school hire a Traffic Engineer to do a traffic study. This will determine if a traffic signal is warranted at the school exit area. An option would be to install a 'Do Not Block Driveway' sign to see if this helps manage the traffic and the blocking of the driveway exit. Penn DOT would need to approve. One hundred-eighty (180) signatures were submitted on a petition for the Township to help with their situation. Public Works Director will have the traffic light adjusted at Bryn Mawr Avenue and County Line Road during peak times to attempt to reduce congestion.

2. Michael Richardson, Gale Morrison and Commissioner Jim Higgins request Staff Traffic Committee take up the problem of stop sign and speeding violations on Woodland Avenue near Poplar and Walnut Avenues.

The residents feel that Woodland Avenue is being used as a cut through. The concerned resident discussed possible crosswalks at intersections, divider lines in middle of road, no through traffic during peak hours and speed limit; ideas to help curtail traffic in the area. A one week traffic count on Woodland Avenue was conducted with the following results; ADT 885 vehicles and the 85% was 30 MPH. The painting of crosswalks and additional suggestions must be discussed with Steve Norcini of Public Works. Staff Traffic Committee will speak with him as well as the Commissioner to determine how to proceed.

3. Paul Bucco is concerned about sight obstructions and speeding speeding at 107 Pine Tree Road.

A one week traffic count was completed with the following results: ADT 2,043 vehicles and the 85%; 37 MPH. Officer Stiansen reported there are bushes along Pine Tree Road which are in the right-of-way. These bushes make it difficult to exit the driveway at 107 Pine Tree Road.

Highway Patrol will contact Public Works Director Steve Norcini and request that he evaluate the situation from an engineering standpoint. Highway Patrol will send letters to neighbors regarding trees and bushes within the right-of-way to help increase sight distance on Pine Tree Road.

OLD BUSINESS:

Status on the following projects will be discussed at the next meeting with the Public Works Division:

4. Conestoga Road at Iven Avenue (5 points) – change current green signal to Iven Avenue and Church Road, instead of Aberdeen Avenue and Church Road.

This item is tabled until the December Staff Traffic Committee meeting.

5. Conestoga Road at Mill Road – line painting – re-direct traffic flow on Mill Road.

This item is tabled until the December Staff Traffic Committee meeting.

6. Bryn Mawr Avenue at Sproul Road – traffic congestion on Bryn Mawr Avenue – check signal timing.

This item is tabled until the December Staff Traffic Committee meeting.

7. County Line Road at Glenbrook Avenue – left turn signal.

This item is tabled until the December Staff Traffic Committee meeting.

8. Conestoga Road at Sproul Road – add left turn arrow to signal.

This item is tabled until the December Staff Traffic Committee meeting.

9. North Wayne Avenue at Pennsylvania Avenue – paint piano key crosswalk.

This item is tabled until the December Staff Traffic Committee meeting.

10. South Devon Avenue at Arbordale Road – install crosswalk.

This item is tabled until the December Staff Traffic Committee meeting.

11. Request from Bryn Mawr Fire Company for one side of street parking in the Conestoga Village area of Ward 7 be placed on the Board of Commissioner's agenda at a future meeting since this item has been tabled.

This item has been pulled from the agenda until Commissioner Fisher informs the STC. Commissioner and Fire Company will facilitate a neighborhood meeting.