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TRAFFIC SAFETY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

AGENDA

May 25, 2017

7:00 P.M.

Review any items for addition to the agenda before taking up any business.

New items for consideration to be added to the agenda

1. Review and approve the Minutes of February 22, 2017.
2. Review and Discussion – Workshop Session
 - A. Review Upper Prospect Street – Consider speed limit change from 40 MPH to 35 or 25 MPH for section between Barre City Line and Jensen Road. **Possible Action item**
 - B. Airport Road @ Miller Rd. intersection – Safety Issues & concerns raised by resident Tim Barre of Cogswell St. upper Graniteville relating to right turning traffic.
 - C.
3. Other Business –
 - A. Miscellaneous –
 - B.
4. Adjourn

**1. TRAFFIC SAFETY ADVISORY COMMITTEE
AGENDA
May 25, 2017**

7:00 P.M.

**Review and approve the Minutes of February 22, 2017.
Additional items for consideration to be added to the agenda**

**Bill K: Flashing light on speed cart – Route 302 East Barre
Dan N: Graniteville Rd. intersection @ Church Hill Rd. –
GMP Responsible for directional sign reinstall near project at substation
Dan: Church Hill Rd. – Drainage at (Federico) driveway near the corner of
Graniteville Rd. - House # 732**

Members Present: Dan Newhall, Val Vallerand, William Kirby

Others Present: Harry Hinrichsen

Absent: Chauncey Liese, Jeff Blow

1. Review and approve the Minutes of February 22, 2017.

Discussion: Val need a correction on page 3.

Motion: Motion to accept with changes

Made by: Val Vallerand

Second: William Kirby

Adopted Unanimously

2. Review and Discussion – Workshop Session

**A. Review Upper Prospect Street – Consider speed limit change from
40 MPH to 35 or 25 MPH as requested by resident Robert Codling
of 445 Upper Prospect Street. **Possible Action item****

**Discussion: Tabled until traffic information from CVRPC is
available.**

**Harry indicated that CVRPC is scheduled to do a traffic study but
hasn't had it set up yet. Once the info is available Harry will
provide it and put on the agenda for a future meeting**

- B. Airport Road @ Miller Rd. intersection – Safety Issues & concerns raised by resident Tim Barre of Cogswell St. upper Graniteville relating to right turning traffic.**

Discussion:

Dan Newhall – Indicated that there needs to be some effective painting and diagonal line striping to create an island in the center of the intersection. Once this has been marked out we need to follow up with the Town Manager to include this in the line painting and striping contract for the 2017. There may still be people that cut corner or try to sneak by, perhaps a sign indicating keep single lane would help.

3. Other Business –

A. Miscellaneous –

William Kirby – There has been a speed cart from the Washington County Sherriff’s Dept. near Rolland’ in East Barre. They are using a blue & red flashing strobe light with it.

- B. Dan Newhall – There are several directional signs that are missing on Graniteville Road at the intersection of Church Hill Rd that direct traffic to Route 302 and Route 110. These signs were taken down during the substation work by GMP. They should be put back up ASAP.**

- C. Dan Newhall – There is a drainage problem on the corner Church Hill Road and Graniteville Road. Carl Federico’s house has a driveway apron that prevents water from getting to the catch basin system by the big stone wall on Church Hill Road. This will be a safety problem in the winter if it becomes icy.**

4. Adjourn

William Kirby moved to adjourn @ 8:27 P.M.