

STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION

Minutes of the meeting held Thursday, September 09, 2004

In attendance were:

Ms. Janis Loiselle

Lt. Mark E. Bilodeau

Mr. John DiTomasso

Mr. Bernie Frezza

Rep. Timothy A. Williamson declared that a quorum was present and called the meeting to order at 11:14:00 AM.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, upon a motion duly made and seconded, were unanimously accepted by the State Traffic Commission. It was voted to continue to follow the procedures and policy of the State Traffic Commission as previously established.

Old Business

NARRAGANSETT ==> SUCCOTASH RD

Creation Date

06/23/2004

Disposition

Tabled

Item Number

40019

Request from the Town of Narragansett to allow parallel parking between poles 13 and 18, between poles 5 and 8 on Succotash Rd., and between poles 62 and 64 on State

Comments:

Action Taken:

Work Order

WARREN ==> MAIN ST HWY 114

Creation Date

07/12/2004

Disposition

Continued

Item Number

40039

Request from the Town of Warren to conduct a traffic signal analysis at the intersection of Child Street and Main Street.

Comments:

Action Taken:

Work Order

New Business

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BRISTOL ==> HOPE ST HWY 114

Creation Date
08/12/2004

Disposition
Study

Item Number
40034

Request from the Town of Bristol for a crosswalk on Hope Street at Tupelo.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

JOHNSTON ==> CHERRY HILL RD

Creation Date
08/19/2004

Disposition
Denied

Item Number
40035

Request from the Town of Johnston for a crosswalk on Cherry Hill Road at Whytebrook Terrace and Cherry Hill Manor.

Comments:
Action Taken: Location was determined to be on a curve and 100" from an existing traffic signal.
Work Order

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NEWPORT ==> HWY 138A

Creation Date
08/24/2004

Disposition
Approved

Item Number
40036

Request from the City of Newport for the following:

Memorial Blvd. -

Spring Street - Conduct traffic counts for possible adjustments to the signal and review turning movements on Spring Street for Left Lane and Through Traffic for the left lane and Right Turn Only for the right lane.

Approved left lane as a Left Turn Only and right lane as a Right and Through movement.

Bellevue Avenue – No Turn On Red on eastbound Memorial Blvd.

Denied

Eustis Avenue – A crosswalk on Memorial Blvd. in the proximity of the entrance to the Cliff Walk.

Denied. Approved pedestrian warning signs.

Easton's Beach – Advance pedestrian warning signs for the existing crosswalks on Memorial Blvd.

Approved

America's Cup Avenue and Thames Street –

Designate the right lane as a Right Turn Only.

Approved

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

NORTH KINGSTOWN ==> POST RD US 1

Creation Date
08/20/2004

Disposition
Study

Item Number
40037

Request from Senator James C. Sheehan to add a left turn signal to the existing traffic signal for Post Road southbound at Oakdale Road.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

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WARWICK ==>> CENTERVILLE RD HWY 117

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
08/12/2004	Study	40038

Request from the City of Warwick for a delay left green turn signal on Centerville Road to Tollgate Road and Gilbane Road.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

WARWICK ==>> POST RD US 1A

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
06/04/2004	Study	40033

Request from Representative Al Gemma for a traffic signal at the intersection of Post Road and Norwood Avenue.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

WESTERLY ==>> POST RD US 1

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
08/27/2004	Approved	40041

Request from Senator Dennis L. Algieri that STC reconsider the installation of a traffic signal on U.S. Route 1 at Locksley Drive.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

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The next meeting of the State Traffic Commission will be on Thursday, October 14, 2004 at 11:00 AM in Room 203 of the State House. This meeting was adjourned at 11:38 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Frank Corrao, III, P.E.
Secretary

Approved: _____
Representative Timothy A. Williamson
Chairperson

Senator Michael J. Damiani
Vice Chairperson