

STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION

Minutes of the meeting held Monday, February 14, 2005

In attendance were:

Lt. Mark E. Bilodeau
Mr. John DiTomasso
Chief Thomas P. Tighe

Ms. Janis Loiselle declared that a quorum was present and called the meeting to order at 11:21 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

BRISTOL ==> HOPE ST HWY 114

Creation Date

10/05/2004

Disposition

Denied

Item Number

40059

Request from the Town of Bristol to study the intersection of Hope Street (Rt. 114) and Fales Road for the installation of a traffic signal.

Comments:

Action Taken:

Work Order

NARRAGANSETT ==> SUCCOTASH RD

Creation Date

06/23/2004

Disposition

Denied

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 Pier

Comments:

Action Taken:

Work Order

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SOUTH KINGSTOWN ==> KINGSTOWN RD HWY 138

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
09/17/2004	No Action	40050

Request from the South Kingstown Police to review the intersection of Kingstown Road and North Road in regards to accident data, vehicle counts and turning movements for improved traffic circulation.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

WARREN ==> MAIN ST HWY 114

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
07/12/2004	Continued	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

WARWICK ==> POST RD US 1

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
10/04/2004	Continued	40063

Request from Representative Eileen S. Naughton to conduct a traffic study on Post Road (U.S. Rt. 1) from 1200 through section 1500.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

WEST WARWICK ==> PROVIDENCE ST HWY 33

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
10/25/2004	Continued	40065

Request from Senator Stephen D. Alves and Representative William J. Murphy for a traffic signal at the intersection of Tanglewood Drive and Providence Street.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

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WEST WARWICK ==> TIOGUE AV HWY 3

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
10/28/2004	Continued	40060

Request from Senator Stephen D. Alves for the installation of a pedestrian activated signal, crosswalk, and No Parking signs on the side of 60 Tiogue Avenue.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

New Business

CHARLESTOWN ==> SCENIC HWY

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
02/10/2005	Approved	40077

Request from RIDOT to approve the installation of traffic signals for the following locations on U.S. Rt. 1: - Wagner Road, Warren Road, Ross Hill Road, East Beach Road and Wildflower Road.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

CRANSTON ==> NEW LONDON AV HWY 2

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
02/08/2005	Approved	40070

Request from Representative James F. Davey for the installation of a left turn signal at the intersection of Garden Hills Parkway and New London Avenue.

Comments:
Action Taken: Approved a left turn signal for both directions.
Work Order

LINCOLN ==> JENCKES HILL RD HWY 123

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
02/08/2005	Approved	40071

Request from the Lincoln Police for a reduced speed limit School Zone and flashers in the vicinity of the entrance for the proposed Middle School onto Jenckes Hill Road.

Comments:
Action Taken: Approved a 25 MPH School Zone. Town is responsible for the design, installation and maintenance of the flashers and assembly.
Work Order

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PAWTUCKET ==>> NEWPORT AV US 1A

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
02/08/2005	Study	40072

Request from the City of Pawtucket for a crosswalk or flashing signals for the St. Theresa's Church at 358 Newport Avenue.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

PROVIDENCE ==>> HARTFORD AV US 6A

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
02/08/2005	Approved	40073

Request from Councilman John J. Iglizzi for a No Parking sign on Hartford Avenue at Ophelia Street.

Comments:
Action Taken: Approved No Parking 25' To Corner for both sides at Ophelia
Work Order

SCITUATE ==>> NORTH RD HWY 116

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
02/08/2005	Approved	40074

Request from Scituate Police for a fixed radar / speed limit School Zone signs for both both directions for the Hope Elementary School on North Road (Rt. 116).

Comments:
Action Taken: Approved the Town of Scituate to design, install and maintain assembly through a PAPA.
Work Order

TIVERTON ==>> BULGARMARSH RD HWY 177

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
02/08/2005	Study	40075

Request from Representative John J. Loughlin, II and Senator June Gibbs for the installation of a traffic signal at the intersection of Bulgarmarsh Road and Brayton

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

Special Event

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JAMESTOWN ==> NARRAGANSETT AV

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
02/10/2005	Approved	40078

Request from the Jamestown Police to permit the Annual Ali Dunn Memorial Race to take place on June 5, 2005 beginning at 1:00 PM, by using state highways as designated in their letter dated 2/01/2005.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

JOHNSTON ==> CHERRY HILL RD

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
02/08/2005	Approved	40076

Request from the Johnston Police to permit a 5K Run / 2 Mile Walk on May 15, 2005 by using state highways as designated in their letter to the STC dated 2/04/2005.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

LINCOLN ==> SMITHFIELD AV HWY 126

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
02/10/2005	Approved	40079

Request from the Town of Lincoln to hold its Memorial Day Parade on May 30, 2005 beginning at 11:00 AM to approximately 12:30 PM, by using state highways as designated in their letter to the STC dated 2/02/ 2005.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

RICHMOND ==> KINGSTOWN RD HWY 138

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
02/10/2005	Approved	40080

Request from the Richmond Police to permit the following Memorial Day Parades to be held by using state highways as designated in their letter to the STC dated 2/01/2005:

Gordon Greene American Post 27 on May 29, 2005, beginning at 1:30 PM.
Downey Weaver American Legion Post May 30, 2005, beginning at 9:00 AM

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

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WEST WARWICK ==> MAIN ST HWY 115

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
02/10/2005	Approved	40081

Request from the Town of West Warwick to permit the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick to hold a parade on March 13, 2005 by using state highways as designated in their letter to the STC dated 2/04/2005.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

Addendum

BARRINGTON

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
02/17/2005	Approved	40083

Request from the Town of Barrington to hold a Memorial Day parade on May 30, 2005 by using state highways as designated in their letter to the STC dated 2/8//2005.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

GLOCESTER

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
02/16/2005	Approved	40082

Request from the RI State Police to conduct a 5K Foot Pursuit Race on 4/30/2005 by using state highways as designated in their letter to the STC dated 1/24/2005.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

SOUTH KINGSTOWN

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
02/17/2005	Approved	40084

Request from the Town of South Kingstown and South Kingstown Police to hold the following events by using state highways as designated in their letters to the STC:

- The 12th Annual 5K road Race on 5/28/2005.
- The Annual Durathlon at the Dunes on 5/7/2005.
- A Memorial Day Parade on 5/30/2005 beginning at 10:00 a.m.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

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WARREN ==> MAIN ST HWY 114

Creation Date
02/17/2005

Disposition
Approved

Item Number
40085

Request from the Town of Warren on behalf of the Warren Veteran's Council to hold a Memorial Day Parade on 5/30/2005 beginning at 8:30 a.m. by using state highways as designated in their letter to the STC dated 2/8/2005.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

The next meeting of the State Traffic Commission will be on Wednesday, March 09, 2005 at 11:00 AM in Room 203 of the State House. This meeting was adjourned at 11:58AM.

Respectfully submitted,

Frank Corrao, III, P.E.
Secretary

Approved: _____

Ms. Janis
Acting Chairperson

The State Traffic Commission members voted to approve Ms. Janis Loiselle as Acting