

STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION

Minutes of the meeting held Wednesday, May 11, 2005

In attendance were:

Ms. Janis Loiselle

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 10:18 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

LINCOLN ==>> OLD LOUISQUISSET PIKE HWY 246

Creation Date

04/07/2005

Disposition

Approved

Item Number

40093

Request from the Town of Lincoln to install a traffic light at the intersection of Cobblehill Road and Old Louisquisset Pike.

Comments:

Action Taken:

Work Order

PAWTUCKET ==>> NEWPORT AV US 1A

Creation Date

04/07/2005

Disposition

Continued

Item Number

40095

Request from Senator James E. Doyle, III to install a leading and lagging traffic light at the intersection of Newport Avenue and Central Avenue.

Comments:

Action Taken:

Work Order

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PORTSMOUTH ==> TURNPIKE AV

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
04/07/2005	Approved	40096

Request from the Town of Portsmouth to establish a School Zone for the following near Portsmouth High School.
Turnpike Avenue near the the entrance to Portsmouth High School. -APPROVED
Sprague Street near the entrance of Education Lane. -DENIED
Patriots' Way near the entrance of East Main Road (Rt. 138). -DENIED

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

SOUTH KINGSTOWN ==> HWY 138

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
04/07/2005	Continued	40100

Request from Senator V. Susan Sosnowski to review the uniformity of the speed limits on Rt. 138 in the Towns of South Kingstown and Richmond.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

TIVERTON ==> BULGARMARSH RD HWY 177

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

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

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

New Business

CUMBERLAND ==> HIGH ST HWY 114

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
05/02/2005	Denied	40107

Request from the Cumberland Police to rescind the No Parking restriction in front of 422 High Street.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

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EAST PROVIDENCE ==> PAWTUCKET AV US 1A

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
05/02/2005	Continued	40108

Request from the East Providence Police for a traffic signal study on Pawtucket Avenue at 10 Office Parkway.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

LINCOLN ==> OLD LOUISQUISSET PIKE HWY 246

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
05/02/2005	Approved	40109

Request from the Town of Lincoln for a left turn light on Old Louisquisset Pike for left turning traffic westbound onto Twin River Road.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

MIDDLETOWN ==> ACCESS RD

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
05/02/2005	Continued	40110

Request from the Town of Middletown for the following:

To install a crosswalk and pedestrian signs on the north end of Chase Lane.

-APPROVED

To install a crosswalk and pedestrian signs from the southwest corner of the Access Highway and Chase Lane to the parking lot of Building #80. - APPROVED

Repaint the existing crosswalk at the intersection of Access Highway and the entrance to Gate #11. - NO ACTION

Reduce the existing Speed Limit of 40 MPH on Access Highway to 30 MPH or 35 MPH.

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>
05/02/2005	Approved	40111

Request from the South Kingstown Police for a Yield sign at Dale Carlia Corner for westbound Tower Hill Road traffic onto northbound Kingstown Road.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

TIVERTON ==> BULGARMARSH RD HWY 177

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
05/02/2005	Approved	40112

Request from RIDOT to change the existing passing permitted pavement markings to a No Passing zone, from Route 77 to Susan Lane for a distance of approximately 1000'.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

Special Event

BARRINGTON ==> COUNTY RD HWY 103

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
05/04/2005	Approved	40118

Request from the Barrington Police to permit the CVS Charity Classic to be held from June 26 to June 28, 2005 by placing signs, using state highways, and detouring traffic as required in the Town of Barrington.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

BRISTOL ==> HOPE ST HWY 114

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
05/02/2005	Approved	40113

Request from the Bristol Police to permit the 4th of July Parade to be held by using state highways during the times as designated in their letter dated 4/20/2005.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

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CRANSTON ==> ATWOOD AV HWY 5

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
05/04/2005	Approved	40117

Request from the Cranston Police to permit the Will Speck Memorial Race to take place on June 19, 2005 by using state highways during the hours as designated in their letter dated 04/28/2005.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

GLOCESTER ==> PUTNAM PK US 44

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
05/02/2005	Approved	40114

Request from the Gloucester Police to permit the the Memorial Day Parade on May 30th and the 4th of July parade to be held by using state highways during the times as designated in their letter dated 04/23/2005.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

SOUTH KINGSTOWN ==> POST RD HWY 1A

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
05/04/2005	Approved	40119

Request from the South Kingstown Police to permit the Put The Move On Diabetes' Walk / Bike to be held on May 22, 2005 by using state highways during the hours as designated in their letter dated 05/02/2005.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

WEST GREENWICH ==> NOOSENECK HILL RD HWY 3

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
05/04/2005	Approved	40120

Request from Senator Kevin A. Breene to permit the Annual Christy Lussier Walk on June 4, 2005 by using state highways during the hours as designated in his letter dated

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WEST WARWICK

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
05/02/2005	Approved	40116

Request from the Town of West Warwick to permit St. Anthony's Church to hold a parade on June 19, 2005 by using the state highways during the times as designated in their letter dated 04/21/2005.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

WESTERLY

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
05/02/2005	Approved	40115

Request from the Town of Westerly to hold a 5K Road Race on June 8, 2005 by using the state highways during the times as designated in their letter dated 05/02/2005.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

Addendum

EAST GREENWICH ==> DIVISION RD HWY 401

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
05/24/2005	Approved	40121

Request from the East Greenwich Police to approve No Parking on the south side of Division Road from Route 2 westerly to a point 1,320 feet.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

JAMESTOWN ==> NARRAGANSETT AV

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
05/05/2005	Approved	40122

Request from Jamestown Police on behalf of the Town of Jamestown to hold a Memorial Day Parade on May 30, 2005 by using state highways as designated.

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

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TIVERTON ==> E MAIN RD HWY 77

Creation Date
05/11/2005

Disposition
Approved

Item Number
40123

Request from the R. I. State Police on behalf of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society to hold their MS 150 Bike Tour on June 25th and 26th, 2005 by using state highways as

Comments:
Action Taken:
Work Order

The next meeting of the State Traffic Commission will be on Wednesday, June 15, 2005 at 10:00 AM in Room 203 of the State House. This meeting was adjourned at 10:36AM.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Rocchio,
Secretary

Approved: _____

Ms. Janis Loiselle
Acting Chairperson