

**East Hempfield Township
Traffic Commission Minutes**

Date and Time: July 20, 2016 6:15 p.m.

Commission members in attendance: Scott Russell, John Bingham, Stephen Skiles and Ed LeFevre.

Others present: Robert Krimmel, Cindy Schweitzer, and Perry Madonna.

The meeting was called to order at 6:15 pm by Mr. Russell, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Public Comment: none

Old Business: none

New Business:

Wheatland Avenue – 4-way stop at Tulane/Wheatland and/or Eisenhower/Wheatland – Ms. Schweitzer was contacted by a resident who had an interest in seeing 4-way stop signs at the above areas. Chief Skiles provided a Wheatland Avenue speed summary report which indicated that speeds in both directions on Wheatland averaged 18-21 MPH. He also provided a summary of traffic commission minutes where the issue had been discussed (April/2007, Dec/2014 and Feb/2015) and at those times a 4-way stop was not warranted. Chief Skiles further noted that there was only one reportable accident at Tulane/Wheatland since 2011 and none at Eisenhower/Wheatland. Neither speed nor crash data support adding 4-way stop signs at these intersections.

Motioned by Mr. Bingham, seconded by Chief Skiles and unanimously carried indicating that the idea of a 4-way stop sign at Tulane/Wheatland or Eisenhower/Wheatland does not meet warrants.

Minutes:

Motioned by Mr. LeFevre, seconded by Chief Skiles and unanimously carried to table action on the June 15, 2016 minutes until next meeting.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned by the unanimous consent of the Commission.

Meeting adjourned at 6:30 pm.

Submitted by: Robert Krimmel,
Township Manager/Secretary