

**Town of Auburn
Highway Safety Committee
June 21, 2017**

Committee Members Present: Mike Dipietro, Chairman; and Sergeant Kevin Cashman.

Also Present: Town Administrator William Herman

Mr. Dipietro called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM. A quorum was not present to conduct business.

Old Business:

There was no Old Business to review.

Road Agent Report:

Mr. Herman reported the Road Agent had completed the Old Candia Road Culvert replacement last week, and the guardrail was installed this week. The project is completed and will be inspected by FEMA and the NH Bureau of Homeland Security & Emergency Management on July 5th. The project is funded through a FEMA Hazard Mitigation Program grant approved four or five years ago.

He indicated the road crew would begin work on the reconstruction of Nutt Road this week. He also was aware that paving had been completed on Pricilla Lane, Beaver Brook Road and Pingree Hill Road. Also, the sinkhole on Dartmouth Drive has been repaired, but several others have been discovered. The Road Agent had reported to the Selectmen that it is likely the Town will need to reconstruct large portions of the road in order to eliminate the problems that appear to be associated with the road.

Police Report:

Sergeant Cashman reported there had been 252 motor vehicle stops since the Committee's last meeting. There were also 15 accidents and nine arrests during the same time period.

Mr. Dipietro noted he saw the mobile radar trailer in use on Wilsons Crossing Road. Sergeant Cashman indicated the battery is not re-charging and the unit is not able to record data. A homeowner has allowed the department to plug the unit into his electric service in order to maintain the radar function of the unit.

Other Business:

Mr. Dipietro asked if any progress had been made on the Hooksett Road discussions. Mr. Herman reported the next step is scoping the drainage systems at Exit 2 to determine their conditions. NHDOT has agreed to do this work in conjunction with Stantec, but it has not yet taken place.

Next Meeting:

Mr. Dipietro noted the Committee normally recesses its meeting schedule for the months of July and August. Mr. Herman noted the Road Agent and Mr. Carpenter had both indicated to him their agreement with that schedule.

Kevin Cashman moved to schedule the next Highway Safety Committee meeting in September. Seconded by Mike Dipietro. A vote was taken, all were in favor, the motion carried unanimously.

The next meeting of the Highway Safety Committee will be held on Wednesday, September 20th at 7:00 PM.

Adjourn:

Kevin Cashman moved to adjourn; Mike Dipietro seconded the motion. All were in favor, the meeting was adjourned at 7:20 PM.