

Chili Traffic and Safety Committee Minutes

May 5, 2022 Minutes	
Committee Members	Brad Grover; Chairman, Stephen Tarbell; Vice-Chair, Michael Tata; Secretary Marlene Kretser, Thomas Schreck, Jason Marsherrall, Shane Hirt
Advisors	Dave Lindsay; Town Highway Superintendent Brent Penwarden; Monroe County DOT Chris Fish; Chili Fire Department
Town Board Liaison	Mark DeCory
Guests	None
Excused	Chris Fish, Brent Penwarden, Shane Hirt
Meeting Called to Order	7:00 PM
April 2022 Minutes	First: Jason Marsherrall; Second: Stephen Tarbell Unanimous Approved

OLD BUSINESS

Date	Issue/Concern	Discussion/Actions Taken
Jan. 3, 2019 Item #1	Concerns were raised from the committee regarding posted speed limits being too low and improper pavement markings existing on several rural roads in the town.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Chili Highway Department will work with the Monroe County Department of Transportation to complete a speed and pavement marking assessment on Ballantyne Rd, Humphrey Rd, Bowen Rd, Stryker Rd. and Reed Rd. Copies of the written correspondence can be found in the meeting minutes of Nov. 7, 2019 • [Aug 6, 2020] MCDOT will review the needed work given that there was a delay in many projects relating to the governor's pandemic orders. • [Sept 3] Time/Resources need to be allocated. • [Nov 5] Restating that this issue is contingent on time and resource needs. • [Dec 3] This will more than likely happen in the Spring. • [Jan 7, 2021] Town and County will work on a pavement marking study as time and resources permit. • [Feb 4] Review and assessment of striping reasons from the past to better determine the needs for changes • [Apr 1] Review of jobs and needs has begun. The expectation is that a list of roads will be compiled for changes. Approved changes in striping will occur when resurfacing is conducted on designated roads. • [May 6] County and town are working on a schedule of work • [Jun 3] Planning for this task is being determined to coincide with work being done by the County. • [Aug 5] Waiting for status update from County • [Sept 2] Waiting for the Passing Zone Assessment to be completed by the County. A strong possibility that the new posted speed limit signs will not be completed until Spring 2022. • [Nov 7] County has yet to finish its Passing Zone assessment. • [Jan 6, 2022] No discussion • [Mar 3] County plans to conclude the assessment plan in May 2022. • [Apr 7] On schedule for May 2022 • [May 5] On schedule for May 2022, contingent on workforce availability/resources.

Date	Issue/Concern	Discussion/Actions Taken
May 6, 2021 Item #1	Committee member Michael Tata noticed that the intersection of Orange Tree and Chili Ave. is set with a yield sign rather than a stop sign.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • David Lindsay will reach out to NYSDOT and county to determine why a yield sign was placed at this intersection and if a stop sign is warranted. • [Jun 3] David Lindsay will reach out to the county and state to determine if the intersection has the proper sign placement (Stop sign vs. Yield sign). • [Aug 5] Waiting for response from the NYSDOT for confirmation of correct sign placement (Stop or Yield). • [Sept 2] Since Chili Ave (Rt. 33A) is a state road, it requires NYSDOT approval, waiting for response from the NYSDOT. • [Oct 7] Traffic Operations group is currently reviewing. <i>(Information provided by David Lindsay)</i>. • [Nov 4] Inquiry sent to NYSDOT and awaiting response. • [Dec 2] Follow up with NYSDOT on status • [Jan 6] David submitted written comments that NYSDOT was not aware of the Yield sign and trying to track down the documents from the original development to determine if there was a justifiable reason for the Yield sign instead of a standard Stop sign. • [Mar 3] In a letter to David Lindsay dated Jan. 25, 2022, NYSDOT informed Town that the yield sign will be replaced as time permits. • [Apr 7] NYSDOT did place a stop sign, removing the Yield sign. The stop bar striping will be made as soon as weather permits. • [May 5] NYSDOT did stripe the solid, stop bar; issue resolved.

NEW BUSINESS

Date	Issue/Concern	Discussion/Actions Taken
May 5, 2022	Committee member Stephen Tarbell expressed concern of the road conditions on Rt. 252.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There are numerous repairs needed which include potholes and shoulder repair. Request to determine a work status from NYSDOT.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:11 PM

The next Traffic and Safety meeting is scheduled for June 2, 2022 at 7:00 PM.



Brad Grover, Chairman



Michael Tata, Secretary