

TRAFFIC SAFETY MEETING
February 4, 2025

The Traffic Safety Commission met in person at 3315 Ridge Road, Highland Police Dept. Chief Potesta called the meeting to order at 8:00 A.M.

Roll Call: Mark Knesek, Public Works Director
 Mike Pipta, Fire Chief
 John Banasiak, Patrol Commander
 Steve Jurczak, Police Commissioner
 Tom Black, Councilman

A request was made for School Zone signage to be placed on Ridge Road for the Highland Christian School which was already completed.

A request was made to have signage near OLG School. Public Works Director Mark Knesek stated he would have Derek Snyder of Nies Engineering look into this as children do not cross streets and are dropped off in the parking lot.

On a motion by Commander John Banasiak and seconded by Public Works Director Mark Knesek, with the Commission concurring, the request for a 4-way stop at Strong and 4th Street was denied as it is a 2-way stop currently with signage stating cross traffic does not stop and the accident history does not warrant same.

On a motion by Public Works Director Mark Knesek and seconded by Commander John Banasiak, with the Commission concurring, the request for any changes to be made to the intersection of Liable and 45th was denied as lighting is provided on the south side of 45th Street and there are no visual/tree blockages on the north side.

On a motion by Public Works Director Mark Knesek and seconded by Fire Chief Pipta, and the Commission concurring, additional signage would be posted on lightpoles or signage already posted as to no backing into angle parking spaces as per the Ordinance Code, in the downtown area.

On a motion by Commander John Banasiak and seconded from Police Commissioner Steve Jurczak and the Commission concurring; Public Works Director Mark Knesek will reach out to the Developer to replace the faded Stop Sign for the service road behind Jimmy John's plaza Westbound at the Walgreens lot and have them add a new stop sign for the service road behind the Jimmy John's plaza eastbound at Osborne Street.

With no further the meeting adjourned at 8:30 am.