TOWN OF HARWICH -TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

July 11, 2023 10 am Regular Meeting Harwich Police Department

1. Call to Order.

2. Approval of minutes of: December 8, 2022

3. Correspondence:

 Receipt of petition re HarwichPort regarding need for safety improvements.

 Possible vote to send to Select Board.

4. Old Business

 a. status of Miles/South/Pleasant intersection- new telephone pole in place, what is status of

 moving wires and other tasks: Verizon still needs to move wires

 5. New Business

 a. Bikeways update on Vulnerable Roadways Users Law

 b. Overall complaints about speeding and dangerous intersections

 Bank & Pleasant- parking too close to intersection, visibility issue, can there be sign

 for no parking here to corner

 Bank Street to Route 28- speeding. Can there be more signs? Traffic Enforcement?

 Old Chatham Road/Factory/Depot Street intersection- site line issues. Request to do

 a four way stop ( already stop signs on OCR and Factory)

c. Intersection of Old Chatham Road and Route 39 (“ Hope & Go”)

 Discussion and possible vote on temporary plan to be proposed to Select Board

 Discussion and possible vote on support for a permanent solution

d. Cross Street between Route 28 and Pleasant Street

 Discussion and possible vote on adjustments to be proposed to Select Board

e. any other business that may come before the Committee

6. Public comment

Adjournment

Authorized Posting Officer: Linda Cebula Date Posted: July 2023

Issues Being followed

Still not on capital plan: Intersection of Old Chatham Road and Rte 39 (“Hope ‘n’ Go”) ,TSC

 voted to request inclusion in June 2021. TA Powers so advised

Sidewalk from Harwich Port to Harbor- TIP project for 2025

Revisit use of speed tables

Status of drainage issues at Pleasant Bay Road and Route 39

Creation/updating by-laws re line of sight, bush issues, impacts on town right of way

*\*Per the Attorney General’s office, the Committee may hold an open session for topics not reasonably anticipated by the Chair 48 hours in advance of the meeting following” New Business”. If you are deaf or hard of hearing or a person with a disability who requires accommodation, contact the office of the Board of Selectmen at 508-430-7513.*