



# STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION MEETING AGENDA Wednesday, February 5, 2025

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State House

10:00 AM

The meeting was called to order at \_\_\_\_\_ by Capt. Jeffrey L'Heureux.

**Chairperson:**

( ) Capt. Jeffrey L'Heureux

**Vice Chairperson:**

( ) Chief Matthew Moynihan

**Membership**

- ( ) Col. Darnell S. Weaver, RI State Police
- ( ) Mr. Peter Alviti, Jr., P.E., Governor's Rep to NHTSA
- ( ) Mr. Peter Alviti, Jr., P.E., RIDOT Director
- ( ) Mr. Thomas Verdi, RIDOR Director
- ( ) Chief Matthew Moynihan, South Kingstown Police

**Designees**

- ( ) Capt. Jeffrey L'Heureux
- ( ) Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE
- ( ) Ms. Lindsey Sasso
- ( ) Mr. Michael Kinch

**Secretary**

( ) Mr. Sean Raymond, PE

**Accept The Minutes From the Previous Meeting.**

**Consent Agenda (Motion To Continue)**

**BARRINGTON ==> RUMSTICK RD.**

*Creation Date*  
**11/26/2024**

*Item Number*  
**42291**

Request from the Barrington Police Department for a traffic study in the vicinity of Rumstick Road at its intersection with Woodland Road and Bosworth Street, to include but not limited to, restricting left-turns from Woodland Road to Rumstick Road.

**CHARLESTOWN ==> POST RD. U.S. 1**

*Creation Date*  
**9/24/2024**

*Item Number*  
**42277**

Request from the Town of Charlestown to install a right turn lane on Route 1 NB at Wildflower Road.



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## GLOCESTER ==> PUTNAM PK. U.S. 44

*Creation Date*  
11/13/2024

*Item Number*  
42286

Request from Representative Chippendale for a traffic study on Putnam Pike (RI 44) in the vicinity of Inland Marine, Inc (612 Putnam Pike).

## LITTLE COMPTON ==> COMMONS RD.

*Creation Date*  
11/21/2024

*Item Number*  
42289

Request from the Little Compton Police Department for a traffic study to include but not limited to the feasibility of reconfiguring The Commons area into a one-way traffic pattern.

## MIDDLETOWN ==> AQUIDNECK AVE. R.I. 138A

*Creation Date*  
11/22/2024

*Item Number*  
42290

Request from RIDOT on behalf of the Rhode Island Commerce Corporation for the installation of a crosswalk across Aquidneck Avenue in the vicinity of 1151 Aquidneck Avenue.

## NARRAGANSETT ==> POINT JUDITH RD. R.I. 108

*Creation Date*  
9/23/2024

*Item Number*  
42274

Request from RIDOT on behalf of a citizen to conduct a speed study along Point Judith Road (Route 108) from Wandsworth St to Ocean Road in Narragansett.

## NEWPORT ==> ADMIRAL KALBFUS RD. R.I. 138

*Creation Date*  
11/30/2023

*Item Number*  
42186

Request from the City of Newport to evaluate the need for truck restrictions on Admiral Kalbfus Road.



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## RICHMOND ==> KINGSTOWN RD. R.I. 138

*Creation Date*  
10/25/2024

*Item Number*  
42282

Request from the Richmond Police Department for the installation of an eastbound left-turn lane on Kingstown Road (Rt. 138) in the vicinity of the Westerly Community Credit Union (64 Kingstown Road) in Richmond.

## SCITUATE ==> DANIELSON PK. U.S. 6

*Creation Date*  
12/11/2023

*Item Number*  
42187

Request from Councilman McCormick to evaluate the need for truck restrictions throughout Scituate Village along Danielson Pike from its intersection with Route 6 (Hartford Pike) to the intersection of Danielson Pike to Chopmist Hill Road (Route 102) in Scituate.

## SMITHFIELD ==> GREENVILLE AVE.

*Creation Date*  
9/5/2024

*Item Number*  
42268

Request from the Town of Smithfield to evaluate the need for truck restrictions on Greenville Road from Putnam Pike (Route 44) in Smithfield to Sanderson Road in Johnston.

## SMITHFIELD ==> GEORGE WASHINGTON HWY. R.I. 116

*Creation Date*  
9/18/2024

*Item Number*  
42272

Request from Senator Tikoian for a reduction in speed limit from 50 mph to 35 mph on George Washington Highway (Rte. 116) from its intersection with Farnum Pike (Rte. 104) to Stillwater Road in Smithfield.

## WARREN ==> MARKET ST. R.I. 136

*Creation Date*  
5/24/2024

*Item Number*  
42236

Request from the Town of Warren to restrict parking on the west side of Market Street, from its intersection with Kickemuit Road to its intersection with Ellis Avenue.





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## WARREN ==> VERNON ST.

*Creation Date*  
11/26/2024

*Item Number*  
42292

Request from the Town of Warren for a traffic study, to include but not limited to, the installation of a multi-way stop at the intersection of Vernon Street and Warren Boulevard.

## WEST WARWICK ==> LEGION WAY

*Creation Date*  
12/16/2024

*Item Number*  
42296

Request from the Town of West Warwick for the installation of flashing One-way/Do not enter signs on Legion Way at its intersection with Main Street and Providence Street.

## WESTERLY ==> WATCH HILL RD. R.I. 1A

*Creation Date*  
11/21/2024

*Item Number*  
42287

Request from Representative Azzinaro for the installation of a crosswalk across Watch Hill Road (Route 1A) and Beach Street at its intersection with Sosoa Lane in Westerly.

## WESTERLY ==> POST RD. U.S. 1

*Creation Date*  
1/2/2025

*Item Number*  
42298

Westerly  
Request from Representative Azzinaro for the installation of a dedicated right-turn only lane on Route 1 (Post Rd.) northbound at its intersection with Sandy Hill Rd. in Westerly

## Old Business

### GLOCESTER ==> PUTNAM PK. U.S. 44

*Creation Date*  
9/5/2024

*Item Number*  
42267

Request from Representative Chippendale for the installation of a flashing control beacon at the intersection of Route 94(Reynolds Road)/Route 44 (Putnam Pike) in Glocester.





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## JOHNSTON ==> ATWOOD AVE. R.I. 5

*Creation Date*  
7/24/2024

*Item Number*  
42253

Request from Representative Cardillo for the installation of a left-turn phase for the northbound approach to intersection of Atwood Avenue and Simmonsville Avenue in Johnston.

## JOHNSTON ==> HARTFORD AVE. U.S. 6 / U.S. 6A

*Creation Date*  
9/24/2024

*Item Number*  
42276

Request from Representative Fellela for the installation a left-turn phase for Hartford Avenue eastbound at its intersection with Borden Ave in Johnston.

## JOHNSTON ==> GREENVILLE AVE.

*Creation Date*  
10/2/2024

*Item Number*  
42280

Request from RIDOT on behalf of a citizen for the installation of an advanced left-turn phase for the Greenville Avenue approach to its intersection with Atwood Avenue in Johnston.

## NEW SHOREHAM ==> DODGE ST.

*Creation Date*  
4/4/2024

*Item Number*  
42217

Request from the Town of New Shoreham to limit parking to fifteen (15) minutes on the south side of Dodge Street at the Island Free Library (9 Dodge Street - Plat 6, Lot 118).

## NEW SHOREHAM ==> OCEAN AVE.

*Creation Date*  
4/4/2024

*Item Number*  
42218

Request from the Town of New Shoreham to restrict parking on Ocean Avenue at the following location:

- Ocean Avenue: on the west side of the roadway from West Side Road to Beach Avenue from 1:00am to 5:00am.



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## NEW SHOREHAM ==> OCEAN AVE.

*Creation Date*  
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*Item Number*  
42219

Request from the Town of New Shoreham to restrict parking on Ocean Avenue in the following locations:

- Ocean Avenue: on both sides of the roadway from the point where Ocean Avenue meets Payne's Dock (133 Ocean Avenue - Plat 5, Lot 0) to fifty three (53) feet south. The parking shall be reserved for taxicabs only.
- Ocean Avenue: on western side of the roadway from fifty four (54) feet south of the point where Ocean Avenue meets Payne's Dock (133 Ocean Avenue) - Plat 5, Lot 0) to ninety four (94) feet south of said point. The parking shall be reserved for taxicabs only.

## WEST WARWICK ==> PROVIDENCE ST. R.I. 33 / R.I. 115

*Creation Date*  
12/16/2024

*Item Number*  
42295

Request from the West Warwick Police Department to restrict parking during school hours on Providence Street from its intersection with Wakefield Street to its intersection with Oakland Drive.

## WESTERLY ==> SHORE RD. R.I. 1A

*Creation Date*  
9/17/2024

*Item Number*  
42270

Request from Senator Gu to conduct a speed study on Shore Road (Route 1A) in Westerly.

## New Business

### BURRILLVILLE ==> DOUGLAS PK. R.I. 7

*Creation Date*  
1/30/2025

*Item Number*  
42303

Request from the Burrillville Police Department to conduct a traffic study to determine the feasibility of reducing the speed limit from 45 mph to 40 mph on Douglas Pike (Rt. 7) from the North Smithfield T/L to approximately 1000 ft south of Victory Highway.



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## EAST PROVIDENCE ==> TAUNTON AVE. U.S. 44

*Creation Date*

1/14/2025

*Item Number*

42301

Request from Senator Lawson for a traffic study to be conducted at the intersection of Taunton Ave./Waterman Ave/N Broadway in East Providence

## WESTERLY ==> BRADFORD RD. R.I. 91

*Creation Date*

1/10/2025

*Item Number*

42300

Request from the Town of Westerly for the installation of roundabouts at the following two intersections along Bradford Road (Rt. 91)

- Bradford Road (Rt. 91)/Church Street (Rt. 216)/South Main Street
- Westerly-Bradford Road (Rt. 91)/Bradford Rd. (Rt. 91)/Dunns Corner Bradford Road (McGowan Corners)

## STATEWIDE

*Creation Date*

1/29/2025

*Item Number*

42302

Request from RIDOT to rescind all previous bridge postings and approve all bridge postings as shown on attached "Posted Bridge List" dated 1/28/2025.





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### POSTED BRIDGE LIST

Report Date: 01/28/2025

#### DEFINITIONS:

**Posted Bridge:** A bridge with specific posted weight limits in tons. All vehicles exceeding the specified weight limits are prohibited from crossing the bridge, inclusive of vehicles that have an annual OSOW permit.

**Emergency Vehicles (EVs):** Pursuant to Section 1410 of the FAST Act (U.S. Congress, The Fixing America's Surface Transportation Act (P.L. 144-94)), emergency vehicles are designed to be used under emergency conditions to transport personnel and equipment to suppress fires and mitigate other hazardous situations (23 U.S.C. 127(r)(2)). Under this provision, the gross vehicle weight (GVW) limits for EVs is 86,000 pounds with additional limitations of 24,000 pounds on a single steering axle; 33,500 pounds on a single drive axle; 62,000 pounds on a tandem axle; or 52,000 pounds on a tandem rear drive steer axle. Vehicles subject to this act are generally various fire apparatus. Refer to [https://ops.fhwa.dot.gov/freight/pol\\_plng\\_finance/policy/fastact/iswprovisions/](https://ops.fhwa.dot.gov/freight/pol_plng_finance/policy/fastact/iswprovisions/) for more information.

#### REPORT NOTES:

1. For posted bridges without EV tonnage values provided in this report, the weight limits for EV vehicles shall be the tonnage values given for the applicable number of axles (i.e. "two axle", "three axle", etc).
2. Blank tonnage values under the "Posted Loads" of this report indicate there is no legal load restriction for that particular axle configuration unless a "Straight" posting is designated. In that case, the "Straight" posting shall be used for any number of axles.

#### LEGEND:

- NTLL = No Trucks in Left Lane.
- Const = Bridge Closed for Construction.
- "Straight" posting applies to all vehicle configurations (i.e. any axle configuration including EVs).

#### DISCLAIMER:

Every effort is made to ensure the information contained in this report is accurate and complete. However, actual posted signage on any bridge is subject to change. Current posted signage supersedes this report and must be obeyed. Furthermore, any overweight permit issued by RIDMV (annual, blanket, or other) is subject to these posted weight restrictions and these restrictions must be obeyed.

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	Posted Load (Tons)
	Emergency Vehicles (FAST Act)

Bridge ID	Facility Carried	Feature Intersected	Owner	2 Axle	3 Axle	4 Axle	5 Axle	6 Axle	7 Axle	Straight	Single Axle	Tandem Axle	Gross Wt.
<b>Bristol</b>													
030001	RI 114	MT HP BY,N SEC RR,114	State Toll Authr				30	30	30		17	26	36
072401	COLT DRIVE	MILL GUT TIDAL INLET	State							18			
<b>Burrillville</b>													
011201	VICTORY HWY	BRANCH RIVER	State	19	20	20	20	20	20		12	15	21
022201	LAUREL RIDGE	CLEAR RIVER	City/Town								17	27	37
030601	RI 107 EAST AV	PASCOAG RIVER	State							19			
<b>Central Falls</b>													
030501	RI 114 BROAD ST	BLACKSTONE RIVER	State				32	35	35		17	25	35
091701	SACRED HEART AV	AMTRAK & RAILROAD ST	State							20	16	19	27
<b>Charlestown</b>													
006101	SHANNOCK RD	PAWCATUCK RIVER	State								17	26	37
<b>Coventry</b>													
022701	RI 102 VICTORY HWY	BRIDLE / HIKING TRAIL	State	17	24	24	24	24	24		13	17	23
039901	RI 115 MainSt&Harr	Mill Canal	State								17	28	39
083601	LINCOLN AV	PAWTUXET RIVER N BRA	City/Town							4			
084201	HILL ST	PAWTUXET RIVER N BRA	City/Town	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed
084501	CAHOONE RD	BUCKS HORN BROOK	City/Town	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed
084601	NICHOLAS RD	ROARING BROOK	City/Town	7	9	9	10	10	10				
<b>Cranston</b>													
000101	US 1 ELMWOOD AV	PAWTUXET RIVER	State								17	30	41
008101	RI 14 PLNFLD ST	POCASSET RIVER	State							19			



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034701	DEAN PKWY	WASH SEC BIKE PATH	City/Town					17			25		35
066301	I-95 RAMP B-EL	WELLINGTON AV & AMTF	State					17			27		37
<b>Cumberland</b>													
020401	RI 114 DMND HLL RD	EAST BRANCH SNEECH I	State	5	10	15	15	15					
030101	SNEECH POND RD	ABBOTT RUN	State	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed
040801	RI 114 BROAD ST	P&W RR	State					17			26		36
045951	HOWARD RD	ABBOTT RUN	City/Town		26		26		26		24		33
094301	CHURCH ST	P&W RR	City/Town	13	13	13	13	13			9		13
<b>East Greenwich</b>													
119801	Tillinghast Rd	Frenchtown Brook	City/Town	9	13	13	13	13	13		8		14
<b>East Providence</b>													
020901	RI 114A Mink St	Runnins River	State	10	14	14	14	14					
046701	POTTER ST	I-195 EB & WB	State				29	29	29		15		26
046801	PURCHASE ST	I-195 EB & WB	State				30	30	30		17		30
046901	LYON AV	I-195 EB & WB	State				30	30	30		17		30
094601	WATERMAN AV	P&W RR R.O.W.	State								17		37
<b>Exeter</b>													
059001	AUSTIN FARM RD	I-95 NB and SB	State					37					
078501	PLAIN RD	FLAT RIVER	State								11		19
078601	BREAKHEART TRAIL	BREAKHEART BROOK	State	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed
078701	FROSTY HOLLOW RD	BREAKHEART BROOK	State	12	16	16	16	16	16				



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Number of Axles	Emergency Vehicles (FAST Act)

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078801	BARBER TRAIL	FALLS RIVER	State				4						
079001	BLITZKRIEG TRAIL	WOODY HILL BROOK	State				4						
082401	BRIDGE RD	AMTRAK,YAWGOO MILL I	State				36						
128901	MT TOM ROAD	WOODY HILL BROOK	City/Town				16				13	17	23
129701	SLOCUM ROAD	Unknown Brook	State	12							10	17	17
<b>Foster</b>													
085801	RAMS TAIL RD	PONAGANSETT BROOK	City/Town				15						
086101	HEMLOCK RD	BARDEN RESERVOIR	City/Town	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed
087901	MILL RD	HEMLOCK BROOK	City/Town	14	17	17	17	17	17		10	12	17
103201	Pine Tree Road	Ponagansett Brook	City/Town	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed
126701	King Road	Hemlock Brook	City/Town	17	22	22	22	22	22		14	17	23
<b>Glocester</b>													
113901	Jackson School Hou	Echo Lake Pascoag Reser	City/Town				15						
<b>Hopkinton</b>													
005001	LAUREL STREET	ASHAWAY RIVER	State	15	18	18	18	18	18		13	17	23
010101	RI 216 HIGH ST	ASHAWAY RIVER	State								17	26	36
032501	Chase Hill Rd	Tomaquag Brook	State	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
<b>Johnston</b>													
060901	US 6 EB & WB	US 6A HARTFORD AV RAI	State	25	25	25	25	25	25		15	18	25
<b>Lincoln</b>													
017901	LOWER RIVER RD	BLACKSTONE CANAL	State								17	28	39
021901	RI 126 Smithfield	MOSHASSUCK RIVER	State	19									

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037701	MOSHASSUCK ROAD	MOSHASSUCK RIVER	City/Town	27	27	27	29						
041701	TWIN RIVER RD	RI 146 EDDIE DOWLING I	State	24	24	24	24	24	24	17	24	24	33
<b>Newport</b>													
069701	GOAT ISL CAUSEWAY	NEWPORT HARBOR	City/Town				38						
<b>North Kingstown</b>													
001501	US 1 POST RD NB	HUNT RIVER	State				37			17	24	24	34
003701	GILBERT STUART RD	MATTATUXET RIVER	City/Town			31				17	22	22	31
036801	AUSTIN RD	POTOWOMUT POND	City/Town						18	13	15	15	21
036901	DEVILS FOOT RD	AMTRAK	State				5						
037001	EXETER RD	AMTRAK	State				37			17	24	24	34
078301	HATCHERY RD	AMTRAK	State					27		17	22	22	30
089501	STONY LANE	AMTRAK	City/Town	24	24	24	24	24	24	14	17	17	24
<b>North Providence</b>													
014501	GREYSTONE AV	WOONASQUATUCKET RI	State	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed
128101	ALLENDALE WAY	WOONASQUATUCKET HE	City/Town							4			
<b>Pawtucket</b>													
059401	GROTTO AV	MOSHASSUCK RIVER	City/Town	12	15	15	15	15	15	9	11	11	15
091501	CONANT ST	AMTRAK & P&W RR	City/Town						22				
091601	BARTON ST	AMTRAK & P&W RR	State	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed
093601	RI 114 BROAD ST	AMTRAK & P&W RR	State				30	30	30	16	22	22	28
096501	DIVISION ST	SEEKONK RVR TAFT S	City/Town							17	26	26	36



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097101	RI 15 MNRL SPRG AV	MOSHASSUCK RIVER	City/Town				18						
<i>Providence</i>													
051301	MANTON AV	WOONASQUATUCKET RI	City/Town	11	13	12	12	12	12	12			
065601	EDDY ST	I-95 & P&W RR	State				30	30	30	30	17	25	34
077601	DEAN ST	US 6 HARRIS AV & AMTR.	State					34	34	34	17	24	34
088501	CLADRASTIS AVE	PLEASURE LAKE	Local Park/Fo							8	17	22	30
088901	MEMORIAL BLVD	POLO LAKE	Local Park/Fo 15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	12	22	22
089001	VEAZIE ST	WEST RIVER	City/Town								17	26	36
092901	RI 7 ORMS ST	AMTRAK & P&W RR	City/Town	17	19	19	19	19	19	19	14	23	25
097201	EAGLE ST	WOONASQUATUCKET RI	City/Town								17	30	41
098001	POINT ST	PROVIDENCE RIVER	City/Town					33	35	35	17	26	37
098121	MEMORIAL BLVD	PROVIDENCE RIVER	City/Town				29	29	29	29	17	20	28
118701	F C GREENE MEM BVD	Elm Lake Brook	Local Park/Fo 13										
<i>Richmond</i>													
048801	SKUNK HILL RD	WOOD RIVER	State						37	37	17	26	36
082201	KINGS FACTORY RD	AMTRAK	State							25	16	19	27
<i>Scituate</i>													
008501	RI 14 Pinfld Pk	Cork Brook	State								17	24	33
038901	PONAGANSETT RD	PONAGANSETT RIVER	City/Town								17	27	37
<i>South Kingstown</i>													
017301	RI 138 Kingstown Rd	Chipuxet River	State								17	24	33



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017601	RI 108 Kingstown Rd	Indian Run	State								17	24	33
017801	RI 108 KINGSTOWN RD	SAUGATUCKET RIVER	State								17	22	31
018301	RI 138	Chickasheen Brook	State								17	29	40
019701	US 1 TOWER HILL RD	W.C. O'NEILL BIKE PATH	State	19							15	22	26
056501	SILVER LAKE AV	SAUGATUCKET RIVER	City/Town	19		24	26	26			15	18	25
095001	DUGWAY BRIDGE RD	QUEEN RIVER	City/Town	No	Comrcial Trucks	No	Comrcial Trucks				14	19	25
<b>Tiverton</b>													
012601	NANAQUAKET RD	NANAQUAKET RIVER	State		23	23	23	23			13	17	23
028501	Old Main Rd	Sin & Flesh Brook	State	18							14	19	24
029201	POND BRIDGE RD	NONQUIT POND	City/Town						4				
<b>Warwick</b>													
000201	RI 113 MAIN AV	AMTRAK	State				29S	29S	29S		17	20	28
068201	RI 113 EAST AV	I-95 NB & SB	State						37		17	25	35
072001	RI 113 EAST AV	I-295 NB & SB	State						37		17	25	35
072301	I-295 Ramp	PAWTUXET RIVER	State								17	19	26
<b>West Greenwich</b>													
011801	WHISPER PINE RD	EISENHOWER LAKE	State					32	32				
<b>West Warwick</b>													
051401	FACTORY ST	PAWTUXET RIVER S BRA	City/Town					32	35		17	23	33
<b>Westerly</b>													
085601	RI 78 WEST BY-PASS	RI 91 BRDFRD RD & AMT	State										
<b>Woonsocket</b>													

# Rhode Island Department of Transportation

## POSTED BRIDGE LIST

Report Date: 01/28/2025

<u>Bridge ID</u>	<u>Facility Carried</u>	<u>Feature Intersected</u>	<u>Owner</u>	<u>Posted Load (Tons)</u>							<u>Gross Wt.</u>		
				<u>2 Axle</u>	<u>3 Axle</u>	<u>4 Axle</u>	<u>5 Axle</u>	<u>6 Axle</u>	<u>7 Axle</u>	<u>Straight</u>		<u>Single Axle</u>	<u>Tandem Axle</u>
095501	SINGLETON ST	BLACKSTONE RIVER	City/Town								17	27	38
095601	RIVER ST	BLACKSTONE RIVER	City/Town								17	25	35



# STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION

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In attendance were:

Chief Matthew Moynihan

Capt. Jeffrey L'Heureux

Steven Pristawa, PE

Mr. Michael Kinch

Ms. Lindsey Sasso

Capt. Jeffrey L'Heureux declared that a quorum was present and called the meeting to order at 10:10 AM.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and, upon a motion duly made and seconded, were unanimously accepted by the State Traffic Commission. It was voted to continue to follow the procedures and policy of the State Traffic Commission as previously established.

## Consent Agenda

**BARRINGTON ==> RUMSTICK RD.**

*Creation Date*

**11/26/2024**

*Disposition*

**Continued**

*Item Number*

**42291**

Request from the Barrington Police Department for a traffic study in the vicinity of Rumstick Road at its intersection with Woodland Road and Bosworth Street, to include but not limited to, restricting left-turns from Woodland Road to Rumstick Road.

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

*Motion Made*

**Chief Matthew Moynihan**

*Motion 2nd*

**Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE**

*Voting Results*

**Unanimous**

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**CHARLESTOWN ==>> POST RD. U.S. 1**

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
9/24/2024	Continued	42277

Request from the Town of Charlestown to install a right turn lane on Route 1 NB at Wildflower Road.

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i>	<i>Motion 2nd</i>	<i>Voting Results</i>
Chief Matthew Moynihan	Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE	Unanimous

**GLOCESTER ==>> PUTNAM PK. U.S. 44**

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
9/5/2024	Continued	42267

Request from Representative Chippendale for the installation of a flashing control beacon at the intersection of Route 94(Reynolds Road)/Route 44 (Putnam Pike) in Gloucester.

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i>	<i>Motion 2nd</i>	<i>Voting Results</i>
Chief Matthew Moynihan	Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE	Unanimous

**GLOCESTER ==>> PUTNAM PK. U.S. 44**

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
11/13/2024	Continued	42286

Request from Representative Chippendale for a traffic study on Putnam Pike (RI 44) in the vicinity of Inland Marine, Inc (612 Putnam Pike).

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i>	<i>Motion 2nd</i>	<i>Voting Results</i>
Chief Matthew Moynihan	Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE	Unanimous



# STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION

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**JOHNSTON ==> ATWOOD AVE. R.I. 5**

<i>Creation Date</i> <b>7/24/2024</b>	<i>Disposition</i> <b>Continued</b>	<i>Item Number</i> <b>42253</b>
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Request from Representative Cardillo for the installation of a left-turn phase for the northbound approach to intersection of Atwood Avenue and Simmonsville Avenue in Johnston.

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i> <b>Chief Matthew Moynihan</b>	<i>Motion 2nd</i> <b>Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE</b>	<i>Voting Results</i> <b>Unanimous</b>
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**JOHNSTON ==> GREENVILLE AVE.**

<i>Creation Date</i> <b>10/2/2024</b>	<i>Disposition</i> <b>Continued</b>	<i>Item Number</i> <b>42280</b>
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Request from RIDOT on behalf of a citizen for the installation of an advanced left-turn phase for the Greenville Avenue approach to its intersection with Atwood Avenue in Johnston.

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i> <b>Chief Matthew Moynihan</b>	<i>Motion 2nd</i> <b>Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE</b>	<i>Voting Results</i> <b>Unanimous</b>
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**JOHNSTON ==> HARTFORD AVE. U.S. 6 / U.S. 6A**

<i>Creation Date</i> <b>9/24/2024</b>	<i>Disposition</i> <b>Continued</b>	<i>Item Number</i> <b>42276</b>
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Request from Representative Fellela for the installation a left-turn phase for Hartford Avenue eastbound at its intersection with Borden Ave in Johnston.

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i> <b>Chief Matthew Moynihan</b>	<i>Motion 2nd</i> <b>Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE</b>	<i>Voting Results</i> <b>Unanimous</b>
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**LITTLE COMPTON ==> COMMONS RD.**

<i>Creation Date</i> 11/21/2024	<i>Disposition</i> Continued	<i>Item Number</i> 42289
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Request from the Little Compton Police Department for a traffic study to include but not limited to the feasibility of reconfiguring The Commons area into a one-way traffic pattern.

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i> Chief Matthew Moynihan	<i>Motion 2nd</i> Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE	<i>Voting Results</i> Unanimous
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**MIDDLETOWN ==> AQUIDNECK AVE. R.I. 138A**

<i>Creation Date</i> 11/22/2024	<i>Disposition</i> Continued	<i>Item Number</i> 42290
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Request from RIDOT on behalf of the Rhode Island Commerce Corporation for the installation of a crosswalk across Aquidneck Avenue in the vicinity of 1151 Aquidneck Avenue.

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i> Chief Matthew Moynihan	<i>Motion 2nd</i> Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE	<i>Voting Results</i> Unanimous
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**NEW SHOREHAM ==> DODGE ST.**

<i>Creation Date</i> 4/4/2024	<i>Disposition</i> Continued	<i>Item Number</i> 42217
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Request from the Town of New Shoreham to limit parking to fifteen (15) minutes on the south side of Dodge Street at the Island Free Library (9 Dodge Street - Plat 6, Lot 118).

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i> Chief Matthew Moynihan	<i>Motion 2nd</i> Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE	<i>Voting Results</i> Unanimous
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### NEW SHOREHAM ==> OCEAN AVE.

<i>Creation Date</i> 4/4/2024	<i>Disposition</i> Continued	<i>Item Number</i> 42218
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Request from the Town of New Shoreham to restrict parking on Ocean Avenue at the following location:

- Ocean Avenue: on the west side of the roadway from West Side Road to Beach Avenue from 1:00am to 5:00am.

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i> Chief Matthew Moynihan	<i>Motion 2nd</i> Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE	<i>Voting Results</i> Unanimous
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### NEW SHOREHAM ==> OCEAN AVE.

<i>Creation Date</i> 4/4/2024	<i>Disposition</i> Continued	<i>Item Number</i> 42219
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Request from the Town of New Shoreham to restrict parking on Ocean Avenue in the following locations:

- Ocean Avenue: on both sides of the roadway from the point where Ocean Avenue meets Payne's Dock (133 Ocean Avenue - Plat 5, Lot 0) to fifty three (53) feet south. The parking shall be reserved for taxicabs only.
- Ocean Avenue: on western side of the roadway from fifty four (54) feet south of the point where Ocean Avenue meets Payne's Dock (133 Ocean Avenue) - Plat 5, Lot 0) to ninety four (94) feet south of said point. The parking shall be reserved for taxicabs only.

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i> Chief Matthew Moynihan	<i>Motion 2nd</i> Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE	<i>Voting Results</i> Unanimous
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**NEWPORT ==> ADMIRAL KALBFUS RD. R.I. 138**

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
11/30/2023	Continued	42186

Request from the City of Newport to evaluate the need for truck restrictions on Admiral Kalbfus Road.

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i>	<i>Motion 2nd</i>	<i>Voting Results</i>
Chief Matthew Moynihan	Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE	Unanimous

**RICHMOND ==> KINGSTOWN RD. R.I. 138**

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
10/25/2024	Continued	42282

Request from the Richmond Police Department for the installation of an eastbound left-turn lane on Kingstown Road (Rt. 138) in the vicinity of the Westerly Community Credit Union (64 Kingstown Road) in Richmond.

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i>	<i>Motion 2nd</i>	<i>Voting Results</i>
Chief Matthew Moynihan	Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE	Unanimous

**SCITUATE ==> DANIELSON PK. U.S. 6**

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
12/11/2023	Continued	42187

Request from Councilman McCormick to evaluate the need for truck restrictions throughout Scituate Village along Danielson Pike from its intersection with Route 6 (Hartford Pike) to the intersection of Danielson Pike to Chopmist Hill Road (Route 102) in Scituate.

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i>	<i>Motion 2nd</i>	<i>Voting Results</i>
Chief Matthew Moynihan	Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE	Unanimous



# STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION

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**SMITHFIELD ==>> GEORGE WASHINGTON HWY. R.I. 116**

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
<b>9/18/2024</b>	<b>Continued</b>	<b>42272</b>

Request from Senator Tikoian for a reduction in speed limit from 50 mph to 35 mph on George Washington Highway (Rte. 116) from its intersection with Farnum Pike (Rte. 104) to Stillwater Road in Smithfield.

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i>	<i>Motion 2nd</i>	<i>Voting Results</i>
<b>Chief Matthew Moynihan</b>	<b>Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE</b>	<b>Unanimous</b>

**SMITHFIELD ==>> GREENVILLE AVE.**

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
<b>9/5/2024</b>	<b>Continued</b>	<b>42268</b>

Request from the Town of Smithfield to evaluate the need for truck restrictions on Greenville Road from Putnam Pike (Route 44) in Smithfield to Sanderson Road in Johnston.

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i>	<i>Motion 2nd</i>	<i>Voting Results</i>
<b>Chief Matthew Moynihan</b>	<b>Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE</b>	<b>Unanimous</b>

**WARREN ==>> MARKET ST. R.I. 136**

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
<b>5/24/2024</b>	<b>Continued</b>	<b>42236</b>

Request from the Town of Warren to restrict parking on the west side of Market Street, from its intersection with Kickemuit Road to its intersection with Ellis Avenue.

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i>	<i>Motion 2nd</i>	<i>Voting Results</i>
<b>Chief Matthew Moynihan</b>	<b>Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE</b>	<b>Unanimous</b>





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**WARREN ==> VERNON ST.**

<i>Creation Date</i> 11/26/2024	<i>Disposition</i> Continued	<i>Item Number</i> 42292
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Request from the Town of Warren for a traffic study, to include but not limited to, the installation of a multi-way stop at the intersection of Vernon Street and Warren Boulevard.

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i> Chief Matthew Moynihan	<i>Motion 2nd</i> Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE	<i>Voting Results</i> Unanimous
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**WESTERLY ==> SHORE RD. R.I. 1A**

<i>Creation Date</i> 9/17/2024	<i>Disposition</i> Continued	<i>Item Number</i> 42270
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Request from Senator Gu to conduct a speed study on Shore Road (Route 1A) in Westerly.

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i> Chief Matthew Moynihan	<i>Motion 2nd</i> Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE	<i>Voting Results</i> Unanimous
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**WESTERLY ==> WATCH HILL RD. R.I. 1A**

<i>Creation Date</i> 11/21/2024	<i>Disposition</i> Continued	<i>Item Number</i> 42287
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Request from Representative Azzinaro for the installation of a crosswalk across Watch Hill Road (Route 1A) and Beach Street at its intersection with Soso Lane in Westerly.

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i> Chief Matthew Moynihan	<i>Motion 2nd</i> Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE	<i>Voting Results</i> Unanimous
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**Old Business**





# STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION

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**NARRAGANSETT ==>> BOSTON NECK RD. R.I. 1A**

*Creation Date*  
**10/2/2024**

*Disposition*  
**Approved**

*Item Number*  
**42279**

Request from RIDOT on behalf of a citizen for the installation of an advanced left turn phase for the South Ferry Road approach to its intersection with Boston Neck Road in Narragansett.

*Comments:* Sean Raymond said a traffic engineering study was completed for the above signalized intersection. Mr. Raymond said the Bridgetown Road eastbound approach includes an exclusive left-turn lane and left-turn phase. He said the South Ferry Road approach met warrants for an exclusive left-turn lane, although warrants were not met for a left-turn phase. Mr. Raymond said for consistency with the Bridgetown Road approach and to improve safety at the intersection, the study recommended the installation of the left-turn lane with a left-turn phase for the westbound South Ferry Road approach, which would cause a minimal increase in delay. The STC voted to approve the installation of an exclusive left-turn lane with a left-phase for the westbound South Ferry road approach to the above intersection. It should be noted that widening the roadway will be required to install the left turn lane. If shown in the design phase to be intrusive, this request may need to be revisited.

*Action Taken:*

*Motion Made*  
**Ms. Lindsey Sasso**

*Motion 2nd*  
**Mr. Michael Kinch**

*Voting Results*  
**Unanimous**



# STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION

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SMITHFIELD ==>> PLEASANT VIEW AVE. R.I. 5 / R.I. 116

*Creation Date*  
8/28/2024

*Disposition*  
Approved

*Item Number*  
42265

Request from the Town of Smithfield for the installation of a traffic signal at the intersection of Log Road and Pleasant View Avenue in Smithfield

*Comments:* Stephen Siragusa from Bowman Consulting Group, LTD spoke on behalf of this request. Mr. Siragusa said a traffic study was conducted for the requested intersection. As part of the study, he said vehicular volumes as well as crash and speed data were utilized as part of a traffic signal warrant analysis. He noted that one-third (2) of the six crashes which occurred for the most recent 3-years of crash history, were angle crashes with vehicles turning onto Log Road from Pleasant View Ave. He mentioned that the 85th percentile speeds on Pleasant View Avenue were 38 mph and 36 mph in the northbound and southbound directions respectively. He also said two of nine traffic signal warrants were met and study recommendations included the installation of a traffic signal for this intersection. The STC voted to approve the installation of a traffic signal at Pleasant View Avenue and Log Road.

*Action Taken:*

*Motion Made*  
Mr. Michael Kinch

*Motion 2nd*  
Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE

*Voting Results*  
Unanimous



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WESTERLY ==> POST RD. U.S. 1

*Creation Date*  
8/28/2024

*Disposition*  
Approved

*Item Number*  
42266

Request from the Town of Westerly for the installation of a flashing warning sign on the Post Road southbound (Route 1) approach to its intersection with Sandy Hill Road.

*Comments:* Sean Raymond said Sandy Hill Road leads to Westerly Middle School. He said the signalized intersection of Route 1 with Sandy Hill Road has adequate sight distance for speeds up to 65 mph and the signal heads can be seen from 1000 ft. back. He said a study was conducted and the above location did not meet warrants for the installation of flashing warning signs. He said an existing static traffic signal ahead warning sign is located 415 ft in advance of the signal. Mr. Raymond said the study recommended replacing the existing signal ahead warning sign with an oversized version and relocating the new sign approximately 570 ft in advance of the signal to improve perception-response time for motorists and to install an additional sign on the left side of the roadway. The STC voted to deny the installation of flashing signal ahead signs and to install the recommended oversized signage.

*Action Taken:*

*Motion Made*  
Mr. Michael Kinch

*Motion 2nd*  
Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE

*Voting Results*  
Unanimous

New Business





# STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION

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**BURRILLVILLE ==>> BRONCO HWY. R.I. 102**

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
<b>12/16/2024</b>	<b>Approved</b>	<b>42294</b>

Request from RIDOT to convert the existing temporary signal at the intersection of Route 102 and Glendale bypass in Burrillville into a permanent signal

*Comments:* Sean Raymond said that several temporary traffic signals were installed in the Town of Burrillville as part of the Mohegan Bridge replacement project. Mr. Raymond said one of RIDOT's traffic consultants conducted a traffic signal warrant analysis for the above intersection and warrants 1, 2 and 3 were satisfied for this location. Steve Pristawa said Route 102 approaching the above intersection is downhill from both directions and the speeds are high for both approaches. Mr. Pristawa reached out to the Burrillville Chief of Police and he said he preferred to leave the signal and make it permanent. The STC approved the conversion of the temporary signal into a permanent signal for the intersection of Route 102/Glendale By-pass in Burrillville.

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i>	<i>Motion 2nd</i>	<i>Voting Results</i>
<b>Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE</b>	<b>Chief Matthew Moynihan</b>	<b>Unanimous</b>



# STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION

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## WARWICK ==> AIRPORT CONNECTOR

<i>Creation Date</i>	<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
1/3/2025	Approved	42299

Request from The Rhode Island Airport Corporation for the installation of a roundabout to replace the existing traffic signal at the intersection of Evans Avenue/Airport Ring Road/Airport Connection Road in Warwick.

*Comments:* Mr. Joseph Bambara from CHA Consulting, Incorporated spoke on behalf of this request. Mr. Bambara said a traffic analysis was performed for the above signalized intersection. He said the traffic signal met none of the traffic signal warrants included within the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD) guidelines. He said the replacement of the traffic signal with a roundabout would provide a Level of Service of A, which indicates free-flowing traffic conditions. Mr. Bambara said the queues were calculated to be less than 50 ft for all approaches to the roundabout. Sean Raymond said roundabouts are considered to be a proven safety countermeasure by the Federal Highway Administration and have been shown to reduce emissions and they typically incur less maintenance costs as compared to traffic signals. Chief Moynihan asked Mr. Bambara if crash data was analyzed. Mr. Bambara said crash data was reviewed and most crashes were rear-end type. Mr. Bambara also said the placement of the proposed roundabout would be located away from the Pier and would increase sight distance. Tom Kravitz, the Planning Director for the City of Warwick, spoke in support of the installation of the roundabout. The STC voted to approve the replacement of the traffic signal with a roundabout for the above location.

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i>	<i>Motion 2nd</i>	<i>Voting Results</i>
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## WEST WARWICK ==> LEGION WAY

<i>Creation Date</i> 12/16/2024	<i>Disposition</i> Study	<i>Item Number</i> 42296
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Request from the Town of West Warwick for the installation of flashing One-way/Do not enter signs on Legion Way at its intersection with Main Street and Providence Street.

*Comments:* Representative Thomas Noret (District 25) spoke on behalf of this request. He said he lives in the area and often travels through this busy intersection. Representative Noret said he is a retired police officer and considers the intersection a crash ready to happen. He said the existing one-way signage does not grab the motorist's attention. Representative Noret said signs with LED lights would improve the safety at this intersection. Sean Raymond recommended a traffic study be conducted and recommended installing overhead and "No Right-turn" signs prior to the completion of the study. The STC approved a study for the above location.

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i> Ms. Lindsey Sasso	<i>Motion 2nd</i> Mr. Michael Kinch	<i>Voting Results</i> Unanimous
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## WEST WARWICK ==> PROVIDENCE ST. R.I. 33 / R.I. 115

<i>Creation Date</i> 12/16/2024	<i>Disposition</i> Study	<i>Item Number</i> 42295
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Request from the West Warwick Police Department to restrict parking during school hours on Providence Street from its intersection with Wakefield Street to its intersection with Oakland Drive.

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

<i>Motion Made</i> Ms. Lindsey Sasso	<i>Motion 2nd</i> Mr. Michael Kinch	<i>Voting Results</i> Unanimous
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WESTERLY ==> POST RD. U.S. 1

*Creation Date*  
1/2/2025

*Disposition*  
Study

*Item Number*  
42298

Westerly  
Request from Representative Azzinaro for the installation of a dedicated right-turn only lane on Route 1 (Post Rd.) northbound at its intersection with Sandy Hill Rd. in Westerly

*Comments:*

*Action Taken:*

*Motion Made*  
Ms. Lindsey Sasso

*Motion 2nd*  
Mr. Michael Kinch

*Voting Results*

The next meeting of the State Traffic Commission will be on Wednesday, February 5, 2025 at 10:00 am in Room 101 of the State House. This meeting was adjourned at 10:50.

Respectfully submitted,

Mr. Sean Raymond, PE  
Secretary

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

Capt. Jeffrey L'Heureux  
Chairperson

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Chief Matthew Moynihan  
Vice Chairperson