

Bolton Public Ways And Safety Committee
May 8, 2019

In attendance: Mary Ciummo, Leslie Breeze, Mike Keller

Police Chief Meeting Information:

Check on one year to the next on traffic reports for accidents.

Compare with older data, including intersections.

Post on latest material from DPW Director.

How can we get more specific on record management information?

State is not very forthcoming with state data.

Radar only gets when cars go over 10 mph. Sign does not record under 9 mph. So data from speed signs is skewed because of slow cars. There should be more traffic than reported during rush hour times.

Sight line issues- DPW cutting better is actually having a difference on intersections

Safe routes to School Program- Chief not aware of program and will look into it.

Upcoming state programs, end of August getting a new officer training for commercial enforcement is a 2 wk. training session.

Speed limits- Mass Works is looking into 25 mph limit in town but may not be feasible.

Parking in town once Mass Works is complete? Don Lowe needs to address.

Town planner meeting should be scheduled and see if there is any public safety issues in their planning process. Driveways on Sugar Road and has illegal parking areas are becoming too many per house and so this may be needed to be looked at for issues. Blind spots should be addressed.

March speed data is consistent from one report to the other. When does the signs pick up and report the actual speed from cars? Ask Joe Lynch.

Action list: Keep it going and we should add to this list.

Signage Inventory in storage and of signs currently posted in town is needed.

Minutes submitted by Mike Keller

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