TOWNSHIP OF VERONA NEIGHBORHOOD TRAFFIC & SAFETY ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES May 13, 2025

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL. Abigail Chirico, George Manousos, Andrea Anderson, Elizabeth Hynes, Chief Christopher Kiernan, Paul Mickiewicz and Council Woman McGrath joined late. Absent were Robin Wallace, Robert Robotham, Laura Palmerezzi/Diane DiGiuseppi and Steve Cruz

CALL TO ORDER

MINUTES APPROVED FROM MARCH 11, 2025 MTG.

Members Chirico, Manousos, Anderson, Hynes and Mickiewicz all voted "Aye" to approve. Members Wallace and Cruz were absent.

AGENDA ITEMS

1. VOTE ON COMPLETE STREETS POLICY FOR RECOMMENDATION TO TOWN COUNCIL- GEORGE PROVIDED OVERVIEW.

George provided an overview of the process which started in December 2023. George made a motion to approve the policy to be recommended to the Town Council for adoption and Liz Hynes was the 2nd to approve the motion. The vote was unanimous in favor of the policy as it stands.

2. TOWNSHIP'S PLAN FOR REPAVING LINDEN AVENUE

We discussed that the Township did NOT include all of the VNTSC recommendations but that members Chirico and Mickiewicz did meet with Manager O'Sullivan who agreed to keep delineators as part of the median feature crossing the Peckman River Bridge and explore free standing delineators as part of the curb extensions.

3. COMMUNITY CENTER PARKING LOT RE-ROUTING IDEAS TO IMPROVE SAFETY. (PLAYGROUND ENTRANCE SAFETY? CONTRA-FLOW BIKE LANE?

Chief Kiernan share the rough plans to re-route traffic flow at the Community Center with the hope of making it safer. The idea of including a contra-flow bike lane on the short section of the one-way

drive passing by the lower fields up to the ball fields was promoted as part of this change. This would provide a safer return route for people on bikes.

4. TRAFFIC CALMING DEMOS IN VERONA? WHAT'S NEXT?

5. BLOOMFIELD AVENUE REPAVING SCHEDULE

Concrete work for ADA ramps is underway. You probably see the work occurring as you make your way through town. Paving will continue as soon as the week of May 19th. Striping will be shortly thereafter.

6. BIKE FRIENDLY NETWORK PLANNING FOR VERONA

PUBLIC COMMENT - HERB LEV

NEXT MEETING- JULY 8, 2025

ADJOURNMENT- 8:48PM