

TRAFFIC SAFETY MEETING

October 4, 2022

The Traffic Safety Commission met in person at 3315 Ridge Road, Highland Police Dept. Commander Banasiak called the meeting to order at 8:05 A.M.

Roll Call: Robyn Pappenheim, Project Engineer of DVG Team, Inc.
William Timmer, Fire Chief
Mark Knesek, Public Works Director
John Banasiak, Commander Highland Police Dept
Stephen Jurczak, Police Commissioner
Roger Sheeman, Councilman
Absent with prior notice: Peter Hojnicky, Chief of Police
Also present: Rachel Hibbard, Highland resident

Highland resident Rachel Hibbard, was present to express her safety concerns regarding the traffic intersection of Ridge Road and Osborne Street. Conversation was had by all stating different suggestions for heightening the awareness for road travelers to be aware of the signal at this intersection given its close proximity to the traffic signal at Indianapolis and Ridge Rd. A motion was made to have Robyn review the signal timing and the area would be reviewed for possible improvements, possibly to include signage posted on the bar over the bridge WB towards the intersection, and possibly adding a single signal to the wires at the start of the intersection, similar to those used by INDOT at some US 41 intersections. Public Works Director Mark Knesek will have the stop bar repainted.

Councilman Sheeman stated he and the Chief had responded to Mr. Trevino's concerns of the traffic on Kennedy Ave., especially the truck traffic. Public Works Director Mark Knesek stated an additional "No Trucks" sign will be posted on the mast with the signals at Main and Kennedy.

With no further business the meeting was adjourned at 8:55 am.