

**Town of Wareham
BOARD OF ROAD COMMISSIONERS
Monday, August 14, 2017**

MINUTES

Location: The Wareham Board of Road Commissioners meeting was held on August 14, 2017 at 4:00 p.m. in Room 27 of Memorial Town Hall.

Members Present: Member Joseph Cardoza, Chair William Heaney, Recording Secretary John McGonnell and Member Howard Smith. Also present were two members of the public.

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 4:00 p.m. by Chair Heaney.

Minutes: The Minutes of the Board of Road Commissioners meeting held on June 12, 2017 were reviewed. Motion by Member Smith to accept the Minutes. Seconded by Member Cardoza. Vote: 4-0-0. (Note: There was no meeting in July 2017.)

New Business:

Request for Tenant Parking at 155 Onset Avenue: The matter was discussed briefly, but the Board requires more information from the Police Department and Municipal Maintenance Department. This issue will be brought up again at the November meeting along with all other Onset parking matters. Motion to table by Member Smith. Seconded by Member Cardoza. Vote: 4-0-0.

Congestion and Intersection Blocking at Route 6/28 at Depot Street: Following discussion, it was decided this matter would be best addressed by the Massachusetts Department of Transportation. A request, with the endorsement of the Board of Road Commissioners, will be made by the Municipal Maintenance Director to Mass DOT for its recommendations. Motion by Recording Secretary McGonnell. Seconded by Member Cardoza. Vote: 4-0-0.

Speed on Irene Avenue: After discussion, Recording Secretary McGonnell made a motion that Municipal Maintenance place a "Slow Children" sign in the area. Seconded by Member Cardoza. Vote: 4-0-0.

Request for Temporary Handicapped Parking Sign at 20 Barnes Street: Chair Heaney indicated that this matter has been resolved. No Board action required.

Issue Regarding Mailboxes at 205 Barker Road: Following discussion, it was decided this issue is not a Road Commission matter. Member Smith made a motion that no action be taken. Seconded by Member Cardoza. Vote: 4-0-0.

Request for Crosswalk Painting at Route 6 and Swifts Beach Road: During discussion, it was determined this is a Mass. DOT matter. It was decided to request that the Municipal Maintenance Director alert Mass. DOT about this matter at the same time he addresses the Depot Street issue.

Request for Handicapped Parking Sign at 29 Union Avenue: During discussion, it was brought up that there is a somewhat obstructed view in this area, and the driveway at 29 Union Avenue is not on a level plane, creating difficulties for a handicapped person. Motion made by Recording Secretary McGonnell to request that Municipal Maintenance install a handicapped parking sign at 29 Union Avenue. Seconded by Member Smith. Vote: 4-0-0.

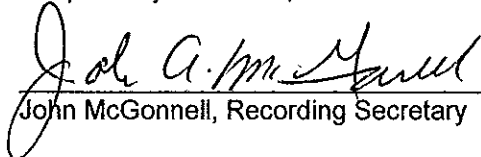
Old Business: None.

Any Other Business: None.

Next Meeting: To be announced.

Adjournment: Member Smith moved to adjourn. Seconded by Member Cardoza. The meeting was adjourned at 4:35 p.m. by a vote of 4-0-0.

Respectfully submitted,



John McGonnell, Recording Secretary

These Minutes were reviewed and accepted by a vote of 4-0-3 (with Members Menard, Smith and Walsh abstaining) at the meeting of the Board of Road Commissioners held on October 2, 2017.