

## ***The Town of Hamden Traffic Authority***

Miller Library Complex Activity Room

Wednesday, January 8, 2014

1. The meeting was called to order at 6:03 p.m. In attendance: Commissioners Strickland, Curtis, LaTorraca, Iezzi (by phone), Police Chief Wydra, Deputy Police Chief Cappiello and Town Attorney Gruen.
2. Election of Officers- Appointments forwarded to the Legislative Council.
3. Approval of Minutes- Motion to approve by Commissioner Strickland, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Commissioner Curtis. Unanimously approved.
4. Public Comment on Agenda Items- Cindy Civitello asked whether the Traffic Authority would be involved in the process for Quinnipiac University's plan to make Whitney Avenue a public way. Specifically, she asked if the project was required to come before the Traffic Authority. Commission LaTorraca answered affirmatively. Ms. Civitello continued voicing her concerns about the project. Commissioner Curtis responded that the Traffic Authority's involvement would be to respond to questions if asked. Ms. Civitello will provide the Traffic Authority with information.
5. Department Report of Activity- Chief Wydra reported that due to holidays and weather, other than signal malfunctions, there was not much activity. The greatest concern is the Whitney and Dixwell intersection mostly over aged equipment. There is a project to address this coming in the future.
6. Old Business- The department is working on a plan for Ridge and Hartford Turnpike. Chief Wydra reported that after speaking with the 4<sup>th</sup> district councilperson, the department will conduct a review of stop signs at certain intersections in Spring Glen and formulate an opinion.
7. New Business- None.
8. Motion to Adjourn by Commissioner Strickland, second by Commissioner Curtis. Unanimous. Mtg adjourned at 6:17 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Town Attorney Gruen.