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ROADWAY: Robinhood Rd.

SPEED SURVEY

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INITIAL COMPLAINT: The Traffic Safety Unit conducted this survey based on a complaint from a resident and Commissioner Hecker.

DESCRIPTION OF AREA: Robinhood Rd. is a two lane roadway posted at 25 MPH. It intersects Old Welsh Rd.. to the north and Washington Lane to the south. It is located in the Meadowbrook section of Abington Township. There are residential homes and some businesses on the east and west sides of the street.

INFORMATION GATHERING METHOD: Speed survey was conducted with a RADAR TRAFFIC COUNTER. The counter is attached to a pole and uses radar to record traffic volume and speed data. Crash data was obtained from the closest two intersections (Old Welsh Rd. to the north and Washington Lane to the south) for the past 5 years. There were five (5) reported crashes at Old Welsh Rd. (one due to vehicle crossing Old Welsh north to south). All others occurred on Old Welsh Rd. and were side swipe crashes or rear end crashes. There were no crashes reported at Washington Lane or on Robinhood Rd. in the past 5 year period. None of the crashes were speed related.

FACTORS: The speed of the vehicles using this section of Robinhood Rd. showed that 2 % of the traffic met the criteria for enforcement. The 85th percentile speed for this section of Robinhood Rd. was 29 MPH. 1541 vehicles were monitored in this survey.

ANALYSIS: At this time, speeding does not seem to be an issue on this section of Robinhood Rd. The average speed was 25 MPH. Based on the analysis, the roadway appears to be appropriately posted.

RCOMMENDATIONS: A speed cart/ sign will be put on the block (when available) to make motorists more aware of their speed.

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