MUNICIPALITY OF MT. LEBANON MOBILITY & TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY BOARD

DATE: Wednesday, November 5, 2025

TIME: 6 p.m.

PLACE: Mt. Lebanon Municipality – Room D

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Seth Davis, Charlotte Ford, Lisa Hurm, Elizabeth McCabe, John Ragan, Bob Garrity. Taryn Malavite-Babb was present via Zoom for part of meeting.

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT: Public Works Director Rudy Sukal, Police Chief Jason Haberman, Traffic Engineer Mike Haberman, Commissioner Andrew Flynn

1. Meeting Minutes

Ms Hurm moved and Mr. Gerrity seconded to approve the Tuesday, October 7, 2025, meeting minutes. The motion carried unanimously.

2. Citizen Comments

Christine Nightingale, 799 Ella Street, would like to see Ella on the list to have sidewalks added. Many children use the street to get to the path that leads from Ella to Bower Hill Road to reach Jefferson elementary and middle schools.

Bill Bates, 57 Marlin Drive West, said many vehicles use this street as a cut through with many accidents and is requesting traffic calming measures, such as speed bumps. He submitted a signed petition.

Elaine Kramer, 783 Ella Street, supports installing sidewalks on Ella.

Lyndsay Cashman, 820 Ella Street, supports installing sidewalks on Ella.

Commissioner Flynn asked if the neighbors have thought about closing that walkway, or other approaches other than sidewalks. There was further discussion regarding the subject.

3. Chairperson's Report

Mr. Davis gave his report. He attended the Vision Zero summit in October where there was discussion regarding the fatal crash response group who respond to every fatal crash in the City of Pittsburgh. Allegheny County is involved with a safety action plan and is working towards zero deaths and injuries with a target date of 2075. There are several streets within Mt. Lebanon that have been identified on a high injury network. He also discussed street design, sidewalk and traffic calming policies.

4. Commission Liaison Report

Commissioner Flynn said it is budget season with hearings beginning the next day and the public is welcome to comment on those issues during regular Commission meetings.

5. Staff Liaison Report

Mr. Sukal gave his report focusing on leaf collection. A stop sign was installed on Sunrise at Glaids, and the contractor completed moving the ADA pedestrian buttons at Bower Hill Road and Asbury Heights. All pedestrian signals put in the application for the Green-Light-Go grant were completed.

Chief Haberman said the police department continues educating the public on distracted driving and walking legislation. He has been working with the school district regarding safe walking routes. There was further discussion regarding walking routes.

6. Sub-Committee Reports

a. Capital budget

Ms Ford said they did not have a capital sub-committee meeting this month. There was discussion regarding whether Greenhurst sidewalks are in the 2026 budget.

b. Policy & Street design

Mr. Ragan said this sub-committee will meet in November.

7. Old Business

a. Ralston Pl + Bower Hill Rd

Mr. Davis said there were no recommendations for this intersection at this time. There was discussion regarding requesting traffic studies and current information from previous studies.

8. New Business

a. Edward Avenue

This item was tabled.

b. Ella Street

There was discussion regarding possible solutions for safe walking for students and vehicular traffic. Mr. David moved and Mr. Gerrity seconded to recommend that the municipality evaluate interim solutions for Ella Street and the connection to the school district considering the activity and the need, and evaluate interim solutions coupled with providing support for the long-term sidewalk petition. The motion carried unanimously.

9. Announcement of Next Meeting Date and Time

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Mt. Lebanon Mobility & Transportation Board is **Tuesday**, **December 2**, **2025**, at 6:00 p.m. All municipal meetings have a Zoom webinar component to enable residents to attend meetings virtually.

10. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 7:20 p.m.