

Traffic Commission

Patrick C. Phelps, Acting Chairman

The Dalton Traffic Commission is an advisory board to both the Town Manager and the Select Board. The board is responsible for the review of proposed developments/subdivisions and driveways, as well as requests for new signs, speed zoning and truck exclusions, etc., on town roads. We feel that our work has made the town safer for both pedestrians and vehicular traffic.

The Traffic Commission meets on the third Tuesday of the month in the Crane Room. The public is welcome to attend any meeting.

The commission consists of seven members, five of whom are volunteers appointed by the Select Board. The other two are representatives of the police and fire departments.

This past year the commission reviewed a number of commercial projects and a large subdivision. We also completed the revision of the Traffic Codes that were written in 1969. The Traffic Codes were submitted to and approved by the Select Board.

The commission works closely with Highway Superintendent James "Cutter" Galliher to address traffic problems and to come up with acceptable solutions. We would like to thank Mr. Galliher for his assistance during the past year.

We also would like to thank recording secretary Esther Balardini without whom we would be lost.

If there are any questions, problems or requests a citizen may have, please contact the Traffic Commission c/o the Town Manager/Select Board Office at 426 Main Street, Dalton MA 01226.