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TO: Grand Island Town Board

RE: South Point Residential Development project

TSAB Meeting 12/10/19

This correspondence is to address concerns regarding out dated South Point traffic study of 2017.

The Traffic Safety Board is advising that the Town request a status change update, noting any changes and evaluate all the components as a part of the latest study. The request is so the Traffic Safety Board can adapt a resolution regarding safety, scope and comments as a result of the study.

The information request should include:

- 1) Current traffic counts in the new traffic study.
- 2) Areas of Love Road, Glen Avon, Carl Road and Grand Island Village (duplex complex) must be evaluated.
- 3) Evaluate traffic mitigation measures that could be employed.
- 4) Suitability of roads to handle more traffic and increased activity, pedestrian safety and accessibility to South Point with anticipated traffic increases. Specifically to include, but not be limited to, the condition of Glen Avon Road.
- 5) Residential sub division roads usage.
- 6) Former report of 2017 made current and expanded peak hours 7:15 – 8:15 a.m. and 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. Traffic Safety is asking that additional peak hours also include 6:00 - 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 to 6:00 p.m.
- 7) Impact of South and North Grand Island bridges at peak hours and all roads to I-190 from Parkway.
- 8) Request all EST. AADT numbers used should be current data from 2016 not 2011, 2013, and 2014.
- 9) Address regional traffic issues identified by GBNRTC, the Thruway Authority and the Department of Transportation.

The Traffic Safety Advisory Board advising the Town Board to request South Point developers update and consult with the Town Board and to be responsible for any costs as a result of such study.

Thank you.

Regards,



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TSAB Co-Chair

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