

July 11, 2019 Public Hearing Held at the Marion Township Municipal Building

Public Hearing regarding the Speed and Weight Limits on Nittany Ridge Ordinance

Present: Archie Gettig Jr, John (Rick) Dillon, Tanner Day and Angel Emery

Guests: David Emery Jr.

Call to Order at 7:30 p.m. followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Public comment: Gettig read aloud an email received from Beth and Marion Dennis opposing the adoption of ordinance 2019-75. The Dennis' would like to see the speed limit remain at 25 mph regardless of what Don Franson found in his speed study.

After some discussion, the board decided that going with the Township Engineer, Don Franson, would be in the best interest as he did conduct a speed study. It was noted that the State Police cannot enforce speed limits without an ordinance to set them. Also, aggressive driving cannot be addressed by the township, people are responsible for their own actions.

No public comment was offered from the audience.

Motion to adopt and vote:

On a motion by Gettig and 2nd by Dillon, motion passed to adopt Ordinance 2019-75, setting the speed limit on Nittany Ridge at 35 mph, Farmdale Road at 25 mph and the weight limit at 10 Tons 3-0.

On a motion by Dillon and 2nd by Day, motion passed to adjourn public hearing at 7:38 p.m. 3-0.

Angel Emery, Secretary/Treasurer

Archie Gettig Jr., Head Chairman

John R. Dillon, Vice Chairman

Tanner Day, Supervisor