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PRESS RELEASE

Springettsbury Township Installs Temporary Speed Hump on Kingston Road

York, PA – In accordance with its Temporary Speed Hump/Speed Table Policy, Springettsbury Township Board installed a temporary speed hump on Kingston Road. The speed hump was installed on Monday, June 20, 2011, after receiving residential requests petitioning such a device, and studies that showed speeding as an issue in this area, and that other traffic enforcement measures were not having the desired effect of reducing vehicular speed along this roadway.

It is important to note that at this time, the speed hump is only temporary. As per the Township policy, its effectiveness will be evaluated after a period of 90 days. This will be done by comparing a traffic study that was conducted prior to its installation, to that of a study conducted 90 days after its installation. It will be considered effective if 85% of vehicle speeds are reduced to within 5 miles per hour of the posted limit. If the measure is proven ineffective, other traffic calming measures may be evaluated by the Board of Supervisors.

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