Administrative Advisory Committee
Meeting Minutes
1/5/2017

Meeting Guest: Linda Wetsell

• Reminder: “Coffee Break” on January 6th
  o Sponsored by AAC and SAC

• North Main Street Safety Study (discussion with Linda Wetsell)
  o Study was done measuring the amount of both automobile and pedestrian traffic
  o Long + shot term goals set to reduce speed on North Main
  o Study limits were set from Henry Street to Limber Road
  o Some of the countermeasures efforts discussed to date:
    ▪ 20-24 lighting lamps up the street (project underway, institution initiative)
    ▪ Overhead gateway signs
    ▪ Curb extensions/bulb-outs
    ▪ Chicanes
    ▪ Chokers
    ▪ Two-way cycle track
    ▪ Bike lanes
    ▪ Raised Pedestrian Crosswalks
    ▪ Raised intersections
    ▪ Raised median crosswalks
    ▪ Flashing beacons @ crosswalk
    ▪ Narrow N. Main
  o Immediate Improvements
    ▪ Switch from standard transverse crosswalk markings to continental style
- Install pedestrian crossing next ½ mile sign
- Install in-roadway pedestrian crossing for each crosswalk

  ○ Feedback from community at PennDot Open Meetings
    - Requested public safety meetings for students through the college-institution already practices this
    - Vegetation barriers shouldn’t be distracting or hard to maintain
    - Reduce the amount of cross walks
    - Bicyclist could be affected if narrow the roads
    - Create some type of artwork on the ground to tell students look up

○ Financials
  - It looks as though there will be a partnership between Allegheny College, PennDot, Crawford County Planning Office and a couple other establishments

○ What can we do as employees to assist?
  - Communicate to departments the improvements
  - Set an example
  - Encourage dialogue with students to raise awareness

○ January 2017-plan to finalize safety study