

TOWN OF CHESTER, CONNECTICUT
203 MIDDLESEX AVENUE
CHESTER, CT 06412

Citation Review Board

Minutes of Meeting of March 14, 2022

1. Call to Order

The meeting, held in the Town Hall, was called to order at 7:04 P.M. Members present were Kathy Merola, Bettie Perreault, Rick Schreiber and Whitelaw Wilson. Also present was Marjorie Kagan.

2. Request to Review Citations:

- a. Citation #026-0249 – Marjorie Kagan – Traveling Unreasonably Fast, Route 148 in area of Camp Hazen-YMCA – 57 MPH in 30 MPH zone.

Ms. Kagan reported she had exited Route 9 at Exit 6, turning right onto Route 148, and was following a vehicle in front of her, and assumed a similar speed. She advised she was not familiar with Route 148 and had not noticed any of the speed limit or pedestrian signage when approaching Camp Hazen-YMCA. Upon realizing a police car had activated its lights, she assumed it was for the vehicle preceding her, but did pull over and stop. The officer's report of the traffic stop indicated laser recorded speed of 57 MPH in what is a clearly marked 30 MPH zone on Route 148. Ms. Kagan advised she has never been issued a traffic ticket up until that time.

3. Guests: Ms. Kagan was advised decision of the Board would be sent to her.

4. Review of and Decision on Citation Review Request:

- a. Citation #026-0249 – Marjorie Kagan – Traveling Unreasonably Fast, Route 148 in area of Camp Hazen-YMCA – 57 MPH in 30 MPH zone.

Following discussion on the petitioner's statements, **on Motion by Whitey Wilson, seconded by Kathy Merola, the Board voted unanimously that the Citation remains valid and the fine of \$75 was due and payable, with the laser-recorded speed confirming the speed reported.**

5. Approval of Minutes – February 14, 2022

On Motion by Kathy Merola, seconded by Bettie Perreault, the minutes of February 14, 2022 were unanimously approved, with Rick Schreiber and Whitey Wilson abstaining.

6. Old Business - there was none.

7. New Business – there was none.

8. Adjournment

There being no further business to conduct, the meeting was adjourned at 7:19 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Bettie Perreault, Acting as Secretary