

September 16, 2015

The Honorable Polly Trottenberg  
Commissioner  
NYC Department of Transportation  
55 Water Street, 9th Floor  
New York, NY 10041

Dear Commissioner Trottenberg:



I hope this letter finds you well.

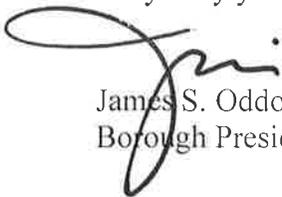
Enclosed please find a printout (with comments) of a recent Facebook post I did regarding the process for installing speed humps.

This post received a large amount of traffic and many comments from Staten Islanders. It does raise some questions that I hope you will be able to answer in an expedited manner.

1. Please delineate for me the DOT policy for Staten Island, including the process and standards for evaluating requests.
2. Kindly provide me with a breakdown for the past ten (10) years the total number of speed hump requests on Staten Island broken down by year, along with the number of denials and installations broken down by year.
3. How many current outstanding requests is DOT currently evaluating?
4. Kindly describe the impact that federal warrants have on DOT's deliberative process. Has there been a change in recent years in the federal warrant process vis-à-vis speed humps?

Thank you for your time, courtesy, consideration, and timely response.

Very truly yours,



James S. Oddo  
Borough President

