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Case # 1120277

Ms. Debra Malaney  
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Ticonderoga, NY 12020-2517

Re: **SAFETY CONCERNS  
ROUTE 74  
TOWN OF TICONDEROGA  
ESSEX COUNTY**

Dear Ms. Malaney:

This letter is in response to your October 12, 2012 letter to our Essex County Residency regarding the safety of Route 74 near the causeway at Eagle Lake in the Town of Ticonderoga. Your letter was forwarded to our office for review.

We conducted a review of the area, which included a review of existing curve warning signs including the advisory speed values that supplement the curve warning signs. Our investigation found the existing signs to be appropriate.

We also conducted a review of accidents in this section of Route 74 for a 9 year period between January 1, 2004 and December 31, 2012. In our study we found there to be 5 reported accidents in this time period, 3 of which were truck rollovers. Based on this information, we have determined that it may be beneficial to install TRUCK ROLLOVER warning signs in advance of the Eagle Lake causeway for both directions of travel. We will arrange to have this work done as our time and workload will allow.

Thank you for bringing this location to our attention for review. If you have any questions concerning this investigation, please call Jim Corbett of this office at 457-5283.

Sincerely,

Mark J. Kennedy  
Regional Traffic Engineer

Cc: Eagle Lake Property Owners Inc., PO Box 287, Ticonderoga NY, 12883  
S. Clinton, Essex County Residency