

Letter to: Marty Griffin at KDKA

From: Darrin J. Krally

Date: August 11, 2009

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Marty:

Good afternoon and how are you? We are sorry to bother you, but are desperately in need of your help.

Our group of Indiana Township Residents is looking for some help with a very important issue – that being Rich Hill Road. Please see [www.darrinjkrally.com](http://www.darrinjkrally.com) for some background information on Rich Hill Road. The Harmar Township portion of the road, which leads into our township, is a mess. It is a pot hole infested lineless danger that needs repavement ASAP. We would very much appreciate if both you and your crew could please attend the Harmar Twp. Board of Supervisors meeting on Thursday 8/20 at 7 pm? They are located at 701 Freeport Road, Cheswick, PA 15024.

We would welcome any amount of press coverage to create and further awareness of this terrible road. We need to convince the Harmar Township Supervisors to authorize the funds to fix their portion of Rich Hill road. Fortunately, we have the support of both local Allegheny County Councilmen – Nick Futules (Harmar) and James Burn (Indiana Twp) However; we have been told that grant money that Harmar applied for is slated for “other” more important roads in the County. We do not agree with this at all. Besides, we know that Harmar has the funds to repair this terrible road. They have several profitable businesses located on this road. They collect a great deal of tax dollars from these businesses. It is these same business that are also responsible for destroying the road. These businesses consist of trucking companies, a brick plant and an indoor sports center. Hundreds of cars are on this road throughout the day. The condition is so bad that you cannot even call it a road any longer. It is simply some asphalt with holes.

I realize that you may have bigger fish to fry, but Rich Hill road is a danger to not only our children, but anyone motorist that uses it. During the school year, our children’s school bus(es) ride on this road everyday as well. I know you have a child as well. You would definitely get involved if this road was located in Mt. Lebanon.

I would welcome a call from you in the early AM or over lunch. Any evening is fine as well. Feel free to use either phone number.

Thank you,  
Darrin J. Krally  
Indiana Township Mayor/Supervisor  
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