

WINNEBAGO COUNTY SAFETY COMMISSION

Meeting Minutes- April 9, 2014

Members Present:

Robert Doemel-Winnebago County Highway
Mike Panosh-DOT-BOTS
Bill Anthes- Winnebago County Sheriff's Office
Kevin Wilkinson-Neenah PD
James Merten-City of Neenah
Scott Morrison- Oshkosh Area School District
Steve Weyers-Oshkosh PD
Scott Nelson- DOT Traffic
Dan Kussman- Oshkosh Street Department
Mike McGinley-Community Representative
Daunita Kline-Senior Representative

Meeting was called to order at 9:03 A.M. by Bob Doemel. Members were recorded and collected. Motion made by Weyers to approve the minutes from last meeting was 2nd by McGinley. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Nelson-Presentation on USH 41 Corridor camera locations and capabilities.

Public may access through 511.wi.gov which will provide still shots.

Emergency responders have access through transportal.cee.wisc.edu for live continuous feed.

Users will need to request access and once credentials approved will be able to utilize.

Winnebago County Communications Center in the process of a live feed through fiber which they will be able to isolate cameras for continuous viewing.

STH 76 project (2020)

Early stages of planning at this time with design plans beginning 2014 and a projected start date of 2020. Roundabouts may be part of this project at intersections with CTH JJ, CTH G, and CTH GG.

ROUNDTABLE

Kline-nothing to report

Weyers- nothing to report

Anthes- Fatalities were discussed.

- 1) 01-15-14 two vehicle crash on STH 76 at Joseph Peters. N/B vehicle lost control and crossed centerline and collided with S/B vehicle. Driver of N/B vehicle Amanda Prado was killed. Snow covered roadway, Too fast for conditions, and Failure to have control were factors.

- 2) 01-30-14 two vehicle crash on USH 45 South at Coronado. S/B vehicle lost control and crossed centerline and collided with N/B vehicle. Driver of S/B vehicle Gerardo Medina was killed. Snow covered roadway, Too fast for conditions, and Failure to have control were factors.
- 3) 02-20-14 two vehicle crash on STH 44 at Bonnieview. N/B vehicle crossed centerline and collided with S/B vehicle. Passenger in N/B vehicle Ann Knuth was killed. Left of center was factor.
- 4) 02-23-14 snowmobile vs. truck on Fairview Rd at the Friendship Trail in which the operator of the snowmobile Robert Schneider was killed. Failure to yield right away was factor.
- 5) 03-12-14 three vehicle crash at STH 76 at CTH G. N/B vehicle stopped at CTH G waiting to turn left was rear-ended by another N/B vehicle and was pushed into the path of a S/B vehicle. Driver of stopped N/B vehicle Richard Morton was killed.

Panosh-

-Reported that 2014 fatalities are down Statewide when compared to a year ago. 2013 at this time last year had 108 reported traffic deaths while this year there have been 90 to date. There will not be any additional funding available for traffic grants in 2014, unsure of the funding available for next year.

Wilkinson-

-Neenah had no serious crashes or fatalities to report.
-Question about structure of TSC's throughout the State for comparisons and accountability.

Morrison- Nothing to report

Kussman- Nothing to report

McGinley-

-Citizen concern for the intersection of STH 21 at Leonard Point. Continued concern for the safety of this intersection. At this time there are no plans for any changes.
-Citizen concern for a speed limit reduction on Murdock Avenue east of Hazel. City will take a look at this but have not heard of any issues.
-Discussed the highway memorials representing Highway Workers that have been killed in Indiana and how much of an impact they had while driving through the area.

Doemel-

-Navigation opens April 18th
-Work Zone Awareness week April 14-18
-CTH GG and CTH Y overpass construction has begun and will be completed late Summer or early Fall. There will be lane restrictions on USH 41 throughout the construction.

Next meeting scheduled for 07/09/14

Motion made by Doemel and 2nd by Wilkinson to adjourn. Motion carried.

