



Minutes

**Dodge County Traffic Safety Commission
Thursday, February 11, 2021 – 9:30 AM
Sheriff's Office Training Room
124 West Street, Juneau, Wisconsin 53039**

1. Call to Order, Roll Call and Non-Committee Member Supervisor Attendance and Acknowledgement of Others in Attendance.

The meeting was called to order by Smith at 9:36am.

Members present: Scott Smith, Dodge County Traffic Safety Coordinator; Chad Enright, Co-Coordinator DOSO; Nathan Kempke, Dodge County Highway Department; Trace Frost, WISDOT BOTS; Kurt Klomberg, Dodge County DA; Amy Nehls, Dodge County Emergency Management; Brian Field, Dodge County; Mary Wendel, Probation and Parole; Matt Christian, BDFD; Abby Sauer, Public Health Officer; Jeremy Rasch, Waupun Police Department; Adam Zoch, Wisconsin State Patrol; Kevin Meier, Wisconsin State Patrol; Susan Nast, WISDOT

Also present were Joe Meagher, Dodge Emergency Management; Jim Mielke, Dodge County Administrator

Members absent: Brandon Stommel, BDPD; Ryan Toellner, Mayville PD; Amy Yahnke, Horicon PD; Charlene Schmid P.E. WISDOT; Dave Beal, Juneau Police Department;

2. Public Comment; None present
3. Consideration of Minutes: October, 2020

The minutes were approved as presented on a motion by Enright and second by Rasch.

4. Information presented for discussion, deliberation and possible recommendation for corrective action:
 - a. Follow up from 2020 meetings; review any discussions and analysis of intersection of State Highway 151 and County Highway DE since last quarter and County Highway intersection A/W near Juneau;
USH 151/DE - Significant patrol and enforcement has occurred by Dodge Sheriff's Department since last meeting. WISDOT advises of a proposed study in



which a J-Turn is recommended. Permission was given to enter phase 2 of the study and additional proposals could be taken into consideration. No timeline on completion.

County Hwy A/W - Dodge Hwy Department replaced signs and constructed new rumble strips that meet current DOT code. Kempke will look at a sign on County A that may hinder views.

- b. Speed limit posting on County Highway C (btw US HY 151 & CTY HY A).
County Deputies report no speed signs. Kempke will follow up and install if/where needed.
5. Fatal Traffic Crash review, *October, 2020 thru January, 2021* and potential recommendation(s) for action(s) to appropriate department, board, committee or other applicable branch government;
- a. CTH T, south of CTH TT, 10/10/2020 (DOS0 20-28553) 1 fatality;
No recommendations
 - b. CTH G, south of Crestview Drive, 11/01/2020 (DOS0 20-30944) 1 fatality;
No recommendations
 - c. STH 60, near Jefferson Rd, 12/12/2020 (DOS0 20-35606) 1 fatality;
No recommendations
 - d. STH 73, north of CTH D, Town of Calamus, Jan 5, 2021 (DOS0 21-00548) 1 fatality;
No recommendations
6. Commission Member Reports
- a. BOTS – Bureau of Transportation Safety
Frost presents updates in Community Maps and updates fatal crashes. 8 fatalities in Dodge County in 2020 compared to 13 in 2019. 14% less crashes in 2020 compared to 2019 in Dodge County. 28% more Class A injury crashes in 2020



compared to 2019 in Dodge County. Alcohol related crashes up from 77 in 2019 to 119 in 2020 IN Dodge County. 2 fatal crashes in 2021 so far in Dodge. Preliminary numbers show 599 fatalities in Wisconsin crashes in 2020. Motorcycle fatalities up almost 40% in the state in 2020. Frost will email the power point info. Governors conference scheduled Aug 16-20. BOTS has crash analysis services available for law enforcement.

- b. WisDOT – Wisconsin Department of Transportation; None
- c. Dodge County Highway Department;
2021 projects – Reconstructing County M north of E, Resurfacing County BB, County I, County EM, County TW, County S, County AC, County CP. Bids being taken for parking lot at the Court House and on West/Center St in Juneau.
- d. District Attorney’s Office; None
- e. Law Enforcement;
USH 151/County C turning lane discussion – put on next agenda
- f. Medical, EMS, Emergency Management, 911;
Sauer advises County Health is planning Child Safety Seat events
- g. Education/Schools; None

7. Items for Review and Placement on Next Agenda.

- a. Follow up from 2020 meetings; review any discussions and analysis of intersection of USH 151 and County Highway DE since last quarter.
- b. County Highway intersection A/W near Juneau (sign on County A that may impede views.
- c. USH 151 at County C intersection/turn lane discussion

8. Determine Next Meeting Date and Time – Regular April meeting, or combine remainder of 2021 1st quarter and 2nd quarter and meet regular date in June.

Motion was made by Rasch and second by Enright to conduct the 1st quarter TSC meeting in July. A date will be determined after a pole is completed.

9. Adjourn.



Motion was made by Rasch and second by Kempke at 11:05am.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "J. Rasch".

Jeremy Rasch, Waupun Police Department