



**Minutes of the
Dodge County Traffic Safety Commission
Tuesday, October 11, 2022**

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order by the TSC Coordinator at approximately 9:30 a.m. on October 11th, 2022, in the Dodge County Sheriff's Office Training Room/EOC.

Commission Members Present: Scott Smith, Chad Enright, Nathan Kempke, Trace Frost, Dave Beal, Brandon Stommel, Erica Ballweg-Larson, Charlene Schmid, Amy Yanke, Amy Haase, Jeremy Rasch – Waupun PD, Matthew Christian – Fox Lake Fire, and Heather Cramer – Hustisford School District.

Consideration of Minutes: *Motion by Christian to approve the July 14th, 2022 Minutes as written. Seconded by Rasch. Motion carried.*

Public Comment: Call for Public Comment made by Smith. *No public in attendance.*

New Business: (for information, discussion and potential motion for action)

1. Review of WI DOT PIM (Public Involvement Meeting) USH 151 / CTH C occurred on September 21st. Outline of PIM included in packet.
Smith stated the only concern brought up at the meeting was the timeline for the project.
Schmid stated DOT plans to meet with Law Enforcement for a field visit.

Old Business: (take action/table/dismiss)

1. Young driver safety concerns with lead in and background from Dave Jasperson, driving education instructor Hustisford. Discussion should lead to actionable proposal(s) by Dodge Co TSC membership and their agencies.
Enright stated the sheriff's office is working with the court to get the classes to be back in person. Motioned by Enright for Smith to reach out to superintendents of schools, and motion to continue in next meeting. Seconded by Rasch.
2. Follow up from motion (July, 2022 TSC meeting) regarding safety check of Welsh Rd/STH 26 (City of Watertown).
Update from Smith: in 2022 they will be doing centerline edge paving, in 2023 the designing of the guardrail will begin, and the construction of the guardrail will begin in 2024.

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Fatal Traffic Crash review: *July, 2022 - September, 2022* and potential recommendation(s) for action(s) to appropriate department, board, committee or other applicable branch government.

- a. STH 60 / Resthaven Rd. (Town of Rubicon), 07/10/2022 (DOSO: 22-22376)
1 fatality; *Schmid submitted a plan to widen shoulders to 5 feet and have shoulder rumbles. No motion for action.*
- b. CTH DJ/Shady LN RD (Town of Oak Grove), 02/17/2022 (DOSO 22-05489
(corrected from agenda)) 1 fatality; *No motion for action.*
- c. CTG G / CTH CP (Town of Westford), 07/20/2022 (DOSO 22-23436) 1 fatality;
Smith will be doing follow up research on how many accidents occurred in this area and whether or not the area will be receiving chevrons.
- d. STH 26 / STH 16 (City of Watertown), 08/09/2022 (DOSO 22-25865) (corrected from agenda) 1 fatality; *Enright states this possibly was the result of a medical condition. Still investigating, no motion for action.*

Commission Member Reports:

- a. BOTS – Bureau of Transportation Safety- Presentation on statistics and Teen Driver Safety PowerPoint. New ATV/UTV filter feature on county maps.
- b. WisDOT – Wisconsin Department of Transportation; The TS Engineer Workgroup Meeting is this Thursday to vote on all the submitted applications, including the widened shoulder at STH 60 / Resthaven Rd. State HY 151 and CORD DE and State HY 151 and CORD C and follow up discussions of any new information and/or actionable items since last meeting.
- c. Dodge County Highway Department; The Highway Department provided information on their upcoming resurfacing projects through the fall. The full list of projects can be found on the on the Dodge County website, on the Highway Department page “Road Construction” link.
- d. District Attorney’s Office; Not in attendance.
- e. Law Enforcement; Nothing new to add.
- f. Medical, EMS, Emergency Management, 911; nothing new to add.
- g. Education/Schools. Cramer stated they are reminding and reviewing road safety concerns with young drivers.

Items for Review and Placement on Next Agenda: Discussion with Dave Jaspersen about young driver safety concerns. 2023 TSC Membership Roster Review.

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Determine Next Meeting Date and Time: Proposed next meeting continues pattern of 2nd Tuesday each quarter - Tuesday, January 10th, 2023, at 9:30 A.M. *Motion by Beal, seconded by Cramer. Motion carried.*

A motion was made by Beal to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Rasch. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 10:52 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Summer Zuhlke, Traffic Secretary

