

Minnesota TZD Program
Leadership Team Meeting Notes
Friday, July 9, 2021
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
Virtual via Zoom

Participants: Paul Aasen, Chris Ballard, Broyles, Linda Dolan, Craig Flynn, JP Gillach, Kristine Hernandez, Jeff Huettl, Ken Johnson, Mark Kinde, Annette Larson, Derek Leuer, Stephanie Malinoff, Scott McConkey, Kristi Sebastian, Brian Sorenson, Dan Starry, and Scott Wasserman

Guests: Lisa Kons and Jessica Schleck

Action items are denoted in bold.

Welcome, introductions, and review agenda

Steph welcomed members to the meeting and each member

TZD Now List Update

Jessica Schleck and Lisa Kons discussed the Speed State Action Team. They used the SHSP for action items and out of the box ideas to determine their approach. They looked at data available and new data needs on speed. They started meeting in March and have had active participation. Speed has been a critical issue since Covid. They are focusing on 3 subareas:

- 1. Collaborate, Educate, and Messaging (Large Group)
- 2. Automatic Speed Enforcement (Subcommittee)
- 3. Improvements to Roadway Design (Subcommittee)

Lisa Kons discussed the Speed Action Team new July TZD speed project. They hope by implementing this project with 71 dynamic speed signs that traffic will slow down in the Metro. They sent a survey to police departments and public works departments, etc. to see if they wanted to participate in this project if they had dynamic speed signs. They will use their dynamic speed signs for 7 days with data off then for 7 days they will have data on to report speeds.

They will look at the reports and see what the results are. Signs will be moved weekly or bi-weekly so people don't become complacent. A report will be available in September.

Traffic Safety Summit Recap

On June 30th a group of multi-disciplinary members attended to review the fatality data including the data of over 100 mph speeders. From 2010 to now, there has been a 50% reduction in ticketing. They

mentioned that it is important to be clear WHY we do traffic safety. There was significant discussion regarding what the next steps are and what we can/should do right now! They also discussed law enforcement not feeling supported.

Regional Workshop Update

Tabled

Below information provided via email after the meeting....

TZD Statewide Conference/Awards Update

There are four award categories that have no nominations (Judicial, EMS, Media, and Emerging). If you have any nominations, please email Linda by Monday, July 12th.

2022 TZD Statewide Conference Date and Location

The 2022 TZD Statewide Conference will be at St. Cloud's River's Edge Convention Center on October 12 and 13, 2022.

2021/2022 Meeting Dates, Time, and Location

The Minnesota Safety Council will be the location for the future meetings from Sep 2021 to Dec 2022 for the hybrid meetings (in-person and virtual). The winter meetings will all be 100% virtual with the exception of December meeting with the LELs and regional coordinators are present.

Meeting was adjourned at 10:22 a.m.