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Keeping motorists and highway workers safe tops MoDOT's legislative agenda this year. The agency is seeking legislation that would allow photos generated by an automated speed control device to serve as evidence to issue speeding tickets in work zones.

Another proposal would protect highway workers under the same criminal assault laws that apply to law enforcement officials, emergency personnel and probation and parole officers.

And Gov. Matt Blunt has proposed legislation that would require drunk drivers to get ignition lock devices on their vehicles before they could get a new drivers license.

MoDOT Director Pete Rahn will present the fifth and final State of Transportation Address to state legislators at 10:30 a.m. on Feb. 6. A video of Rahn's speech will be posted on MoDOT's Web site, modot.org.

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