

# Statewide Planning Partners Meeting

Blueprint for Safety

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# Topics

Missouri's Blueprint to Save More Lives

Missouri's new Strategic Highway Safety Plan

2015/2016 Crash Data

2016 Legislation

Questions

# Blueprint to Save More Lives

- Overall goal of 700 or fewer fatalities by 2016
- Six Emphasis areas with 25 focus areas
  - Serious Crash Types
  - High-Risk Drivers and Unrestrained Occupants
  - Special Vehicles
  - Vulnerable Roadway Users
  - Special Roadway Environments
  - Data and Data System Improvements

# 2017 Strategic Highway Safety Plan

- Current plan expires 12-31-2016
- New plan activates 01-01-2017
- Traffic and Highway Safety Blueprint Conference October 18-20, 2016.
  - Holiday Inn Executive Center Columbia, MO

# Requirements

- Plans must be based on crash and other safety data analyses to identify safety issues on all public roads
- Developed after consultation with a broad range of stakeholders
- Address the 4 E's of safety through a multidisciplinary approach
- Describe program strategies to reduce or eliminate safety hazards
- Consider other state highway safety plans and processes

# SHSP Development Team

- MPO's MARC – East West Gateway
- City, County, State Law Enforcement Officers
- State Bureau of EMS
- Department of Revenue
- Universities - Washington University and UCM
- Health Professionals
- FMCSA – FHWA - NHTSA
- MoDOT
  - Assistant District Engineer - Kevin James
  - Transportation Planning - Karen Miller
  - Design - Jerica Holtsclaw
  - Traffic and Highway Safety staff
  - Non-motorized - Ron Effland
  - St. Louis District - Teresa Krenning

# Emphasis Areas

- Serious Crash Types
- High Risk Drivers
- Special Vehicles
- Vulnerable Roadway Users
- Special Roadway Environments
- Data/Data System Improvements

# 2015/2016 Crash Data

- 870 fatalities as of 2-16-2016 + 13.6%
- Pedestrians fatalities 93 + 34.8%
- +82.8% vehicle overturning
- 63% unbuckled rate 50% of those were ejected (200)
- 2016 + 4% for the year.
  - 2016-97 fatalities
  - 2015-93 fatalities



# 2016 Legislation

- Primary Safety Belt
- All Driver Texting Ban
- Motorcycle Helmet Repeal

Questions?