

Vision Zero Task Force
August 16, 2021 @ 9:00am
Zoom Meeting link on meeting invite

The VZTM Meeting began at 9:00 a.m.

Welcome/Introductions VZTM Task Force and Guests Present:

Task Force present:

Michael Moreno-RTC, Rebecca Kapuler-RTC, Erin Breen-LV, Grace Davis-WCSD, Hao Xu-UNR, Michael Close-FHWA, David Hutchinson-COR Traffic Engineering, Juan Balbuena-FHWA, Katie Metz, Renown Safe Kids Washoe County, Francisco Ceballos, REMSA, Jim Gee-RTC, Julie Duewel-COS, MJ Cloud-WCSD SRTS, Jake Waclaw-FHWA, Matthew Brown, Nick Mannering-Renown Trauma, James Weston, RTC, Nicole Coots, Lt. Browett, Officer Robbie Pape

Guests present: Maria Paz Fernandez, Kim Eldridge, Lacey Tisler

Welcome/Introductions

- Robbie Pape and Lt. Browett

Action Plan Items:

- **Pedestrian Safety Zone Update** was given by Lt. Browett stated speed trailers for enforcement is being implemented. There are no complaints on the safety signs. Albert Jacquez stated on July 16th he was in the area and pedestrians are behaving better. Erin Breen recommended the use of signs with 20 is enough. A discussion on starting a sub-committee for this project. Michael Moreno, RTC briefed the task force on the Locked eyes Saves Lives Campaign and the engagement with social media, KOLO and the Tik Tok campaign is going well.
- **Oddie/Wells Project Update** - Maria Paz Fernandez, RTC Project Manager Engineer gave a presentation on the Oddie/Wells Project update. MJ Cloud asked of the type of trees being installed in that corridor. Maria Paz Fernandez stated several species have been chosen from a list from City of Reno. The project was commended on the visibility improvements for that project.
- Multimodal trip generation study performed by UNR Student Shabnam Karam on presentation of an analysis of pedestrians and vehicles using a gas station. GIS trajectory was conducted which, this LIDAR is being used for Planning and Engineers.
- **Safe Routes to School – 2021-2022** school year brief update and welcome Officer Pape updated the task force of the reports of no vehicle – pedestrians accidents and media release of Locked eyes Save Lives. Lt. Browett asked of the all day school zones with the flashing lights. Office Pape stated it is being conducted two times a day or can be all day due to the off campus schools.

- Share the Road Grant Update Albert Jacquez stated there are seven grant awarded for programs such as Vision Zero. Rebecca stated 20 bus tails, interiors are being implemented. A discussion on the back to school education to be done on the 1st week of October and greet or bike with the children.

Business/Update:

- Vision Zero Truckee Meadows Task Force and Agency Updates
- Also Katie Metz announced an event at Wild Island sponsorships with proceeds for children injuries, and a courtesy check for car seat check. Francisco Ceballos gave information on a class for training on the car seat check and appointments are limited til September and to go to remsaeducation.com for appointment.

Data/Trends

- Crashes/FARS Report

Comparable crashes 2020-2021 with 149 crashes in 2020 and 192 crashes in 2021. Rebecca stated Andrew Bennett sends the Fars Data report. Erin Breen stated the Dusk2Dawn campaign task force will be sometime in November.

Other items/future agenda items:

- Update to the Action Plan

Rebecca Kapuler briefed the task force regarding the application for the Vision Zero Plan and would like to form a subcommittee to review the plan for strengthening the Vision Zero Plan.

Next Meeting: October 18, 2021

The VZTM TF meeting ended at 10:08 a.m.