

SEMINOLE COUNTY COMMUNITY
TRAFFIC SAFETY TEAM
May 27, 2014 Meeting

Attendees:

Robin Butler, SCFD

Mark Pergola, SCSO

Terri Touchton, SCFD

Mike Blinn, SCTE

Jim McKenna, LPD

Byrdell Hancock, ASPD

James Roark, SCPS

JoJo Sturm, SCSO

Dacia Maisonave, SCSO

Pete Brenenstuhl, SCSO

Stephen Dunn, OvPD

Will Maxwell, WSPD

Colleen Jarrell, HNTB

Rusty Montgomery, SCSO

Jason McDaniel, LMPD

Dave Andrews, SCPW

Jesse Gelm, LPD

Sheryl Bradley, HNTB/FDOT

Ann Buwa, SCSO

Robert Asbill, FHP

Chris Schuck, SCSO

Robin opened the meeting at 8:34 a.m. and advised she was circulating a CTST e-mail list if all would review to see who should be taken off and/or added.

JoJo made a motion to approve the April 22 minutes and Will seconded motion.

2013 Fatalities list was reviewed with the need for several corrections provided to Mike. Mike indicated there were six bike and four pedestrian incidents with a total of 41 incidents, 45 fatalities. Once the report is corrected, Mike will send to Terri to forward to group.

JoJo advised they are working with Traffic Eng on the flashers at Indian Trail and Keeth and has a meeting on Friday.

There was a brief discussion regarding On line Enforcement Reports and Will noted a need to revise the form. Sheryl advised they are entering their reports but they are all noted as pending. Sheryl will forward e-mail to the State to see if they are still utilizing.

Calendar of Events

June 1 – 7 Train Safety Week

July 3 – Red Hot and Boom in Altamonte Springs

July 4th – Fireworks at Central Winds park in Winter Springs

August 15th - Sept 1 - Stop on Red Campaign. SO will coordinate

August 11th – School begins in Seminole County, with buses on road August 5th

Sept 16 -18 Child Passenger Safety Class in Winter Springs at Fire Station. Robin to register class.

Biketoberfest - will not be setting up a booth again at Seminole Harley.

Oct 20 - 24 School Bus Week.

Wed, November 26th - Special Enforcement Operation for Thanksgiving

Fatalities

It was indicated that there was one known fatality for the Memorial Day Weekend (motorcycle). No reports available for review. Sheryl noted we are at 12 fatalities, 13 including this weekend, up 20% from last year.

RSA

SR 434 and Markham Woods Road – Colleen advised DOT has not finalized study.

Problems and Solutions

Mike indicated he received e-mail on Lake Jessup Stop Bars and Jim noted it has been corrected and can be closed.

Rusty advised of an issue on Oxford Road near English States - SO did two speed studies and found nothing but resident, Mr. Johnson, has threatened going to BCC.

There was a discussion regarding markings for I-4 and 434. Robin requested Sheryl look at final marking plans.

Problems and Solutions link seems not to be working. Terri will check on it.

Announcements

Byrdell requested names be forwarded for anyone who could assist with July 3rd event and advised if anyone needs assistance for July 4th events to let him know.

Colleen advised she has approximately 20 cones in her garage should anyone need them. Mike will check with Traffic to see if they need them. A discussion ensued regarding a countywide training monthly training and school.

JoJo advised once school ends there will be a Traffic Eng study for crossings and then they will plan Carl's Safe Crossings, etc. There was a discussion regarding the back pack program. Robin indicated there was \$2,500 left from the English Estates grant and 300 backpacks were purchased with reflective strips. JoJo indicated they will be distributed before school begins. JoJo indicated law enforcement has had a greater presence in school activities and it has made a big difference. JoJo also indicated they have distributed over 350 helmets.

Sheryl noted June 1st - 7th is Train Safety week. SO noted they have been doing enforcement with Sun Rail. There was a discussion regarding striping of a "box of death" at crossings for more awareness of track safety. Lake Mary noted they did operation for 2 weeks after opening

of Sun Rail. It was advised that 50 ft on either side of track is RR property and a rail employee has to be present when any other entity is working on site. Colleen suggested that someone from Sun Rail come to next meeting. Sheryl noted that Sun Rail is aware of issues and they are working on it and others indicated they have met with Sun Rail officials at various sites. Sheryl further noted next week would be a good week to have press release, with Robin indicating she would look for one. Robin suggested strong enforcement for train safety week.

It was noted that tomorrow is the last day of school for Seminole.

Robin mentioned it was time to have a new CTST picture taken.

There being no further discussion, meeting was adjourned. The next meeting is June 24th at 150 Bush Blvd, Room 1-104 and 1-105.