



## Southwest Minnesota Toward Zero Deaths Workshop

April 30, 2009

Redwood Falls Community Center  
Redwood Falls, Minnesota

### FINAL AGENDA

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**9:30 a.m. Registration and Continental Breakfast**

**10:00 Welcome and Workshop Charge**

- Dave Trooien, District 8 Engineer, Minnesota Department of Transportation; Southwest Minnesota TZD Co-Chair
- Lieutenant Brian West, Minnesota State Patrol; Southwest Minnesota TZD Co-Chair
- Tom Sorel, Commissioner, Minnesota Department of Transportation
- Bernie Arseneau, Division Director, Policy, Safety and Strategic Initiatives, Minnesota Department of Transportation

**10:30 Southwest Minnesota: What Does the Data Tell Us?**

- Cheri Marti, Director, Office of Traffic Safety, Minnesota Department of Public Safety

**11:15 Living With Loss: Why we are Here**

- Carleen Wiersma, Personal Impact Statement
- Don LeClaire, Pastor, Marshall Evangelical Free Church

**11:45 Lunch**

**12:30 Breakout Sessions:**

1. Seatbelts (Room 3A)  
Moderators: *Lt. Brian West, Minnesota State Patrol; Deb Turner, Minnesota State Patrol; Jean Johnson, McLeod County Public Health*
2. Rural Roadways Engineering (Room 1 & 2—general session room)  
Moderators: *Howard Preston, CH2M Hill; Jon Henslin, Minnesota Department of Transportation; Deb Anderson, Minnesota Department of Transportation*  
\* This session will include three short presentations: 1) Run off the Road Crashes; 2) Intersection crashes; 3) Road Safety Audits/Feasibility Studies
3. Inexperienced Drivers (Room 3B)  
Moderators: *Amy Roggenbuck, Minnesota Department of Public Safety; Cindy Skulstad, South West Central Safe Communities*

Sessions are a brainstorming/discussion format. Each group will review/discuss the following:

- Review of comments from 2008 breakout groups
- What have we done since last year?
- What more can we do?

- 2:00**            **Break and Dessert**
- 2:10**            **Breakout Group Reports**
- 2:30**            **How to Save a Life Video**
- Lt. Brian West
- 3:00**            **Wrap Up and Closing Remarks**
- Dave Trooien
  - Lt. Brian West
- 3:15**            **Adjourn**