

# East Central Minnesota Toward Zero Deaths 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Regional Workshop CentraCare South Point 3001 Clearwater Road, St. Cloud

#### **April 5, 2018**

8:30 a.m. Registration & Continental Breakfast

9 a.m. Welcome

Capt. Joe Dwyer, Minnesota State Patrol District 2800, and TZD regional co-chair

9:15 a.m. The Breakdown: Regional TZD Data

Lt. Keith Benz, Minnesota State Patrol District 2800

A brief regional snapshot of data will be presented. Then at each table, attendees will look at multiple data resources and discuss trends, possible project ideas and report back something for each county. A facilitator will engage the audience in providing feedback on what each county could implement in 2018 to further reduce

traffic-related deaths.

10 a.m. **Networking & Visit Exhibits** 

10:15 a.m. The Teenage Brain and Risk Reduction: Connecting the Dots

Erin Walsh, Mind Positive Parenting

Erin connects the dots between the latest in brain science and risk-taking behaviors in adolescence as it relates to traffic safety. She explores the role of "emotional accelerators" in the brain, impacts of technology on the developing brain and practical strategies for engaging young people in risk reduction. Using stories, warmth and humor, Erin presents the latest science in an engaging way, making it

easy to apply this information with youth and families.

11:30 a.m. **DAM is All It Took** 

The impact of a distracted driver can have deadly consequences. Rhonda Maurer, Alenita Maurer and Alora Nelson will share their story of just how a distracted driver

changed their lives forever.

12 p.m. Lunch & Exhibits

12:30 p.m. **Bad Bad Highway – or is it?** 

Tom Dumont, Traffic engineer, MnDOT District 3

Man, that road is terrible! How many times have we heard or even said that ourselves? Oftentimes, this needs to be addressed with "is it a factor or a

perception?" What do we do when we hear that? This session will address how the

response is important, with audience involvement in table discussions.

1:15 p.m. **15 Years of Minnesota TZD: Major Accomplishments and What's the Future Hold?**Kristine Hernandez, Statewide TZD program coordinator

#### 1:30 p.m. **Trauma Care for Everyone**

Sara Stolt, RN BAN CEN, Outreach educator, Trauma Services, CentraCare
The "Stop the Bleed" campaign wants you and everyone you know how to control
major bleeding. This topic is applicable to traffic crashes, and will prepare attendees
with much of the information needed to provide time critical care to someone with
severe bleeding. This will also allow for attendees to be a resource to the greater
community beyond the workshop.

#### Tots in the Big World

Michelle Pooler, planner, MnDOT

Safety Town is an education tool about how to be a non-motorized user of the infrastructure, aimed at pre-K through 2<sup>nd</sup> graders. An introduction for attendees to be aware of the resource and discover ways to engage a new audience.

#### 2:15 p.m. What Did You Do?

Sgt. Lance Turcotte, Minnesota State Patrol District 2800

What does the decisions people make behind the wheel mean for their liability or legal risk? In a "Did You Know" format, attendees will be presented with questions to be answered for everyone's benefit. For instance, if you stop to be a good Samaritan, are you taking on risk too?

#### 2:45 p.m. Wrap up & Adjourn

Tom Nixon, East Central TZD regional coordinator

Please take time throughout the day to visit the traffic-safety exhibit tables for reference materials and ideas to implement in your communities.

# EAST CENTRAL TZD REGIONAL WORKSHOP EVALUATION FORM

CentraCare South Point, St. Cloud, MN April 5, 2018

Please take a few minutes to complete the following survey. Your comments, opinions and suggestions are very important to us. With your feedback we can better understand the needs of our participants and ensure the quality of future programs.

Please evaluate how informative and interesting the sessions were to you by placing a check in the box that best describes your opinion.

General Sessions	Excellent (4)	Good (3)	Fair (2)	Poor (1)	Did Not Attend
Welcome & Regional Accomplishments					
The Breakdown: Regional TZD Data					
Networking					
The Teenage Brain and Risk Reduction:					
Connecting the Dots					
DAM is ALL it Took					
Bad Bad Highway – or is it?					
15 years of Minnesota TZD: Major					
Accomplishments and What's the Future					
Hold?					
Trauma Care for Everyone					
Tots in the Big World					
What Did You Do?					
Wrap Up & Adjourn					

Arrangements	Excellent (4)	Good (3)	Fair (2)	Poor (1)
Convenience of the registration process				
Location of CentraCare				
Facilities were comfortable and appropriate for the workshop.				
Food served for meals and breaks was satisfying.				
Participant materials were helpful and useful.				
How beneficial are the mounted regional crash maps provided to each county?				
How useful was the e-packet?				

Comments on the general sessions:

Do you have suggestions for topics you would like to see offered at future workshops?
What are your suggestions for building and maintaining support for this region's Minnesota TZD initiative:
Any other comments or suggestions are welcome.

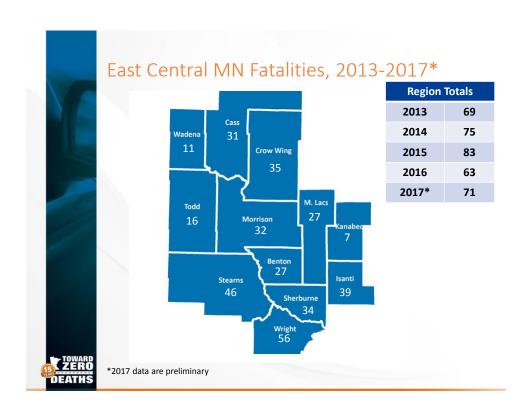
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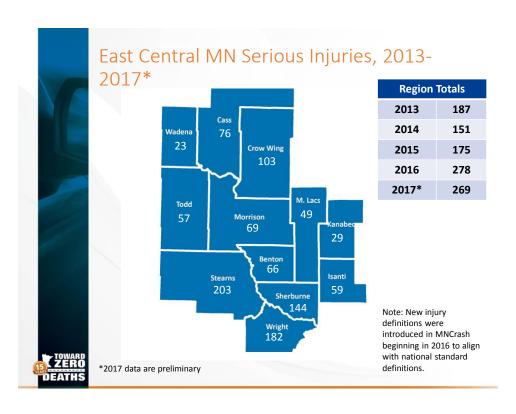
Please return your completed evaluation to the registration table or email or fax to Linda Dolan at ldolan@umn.edu and (612)625-6381.

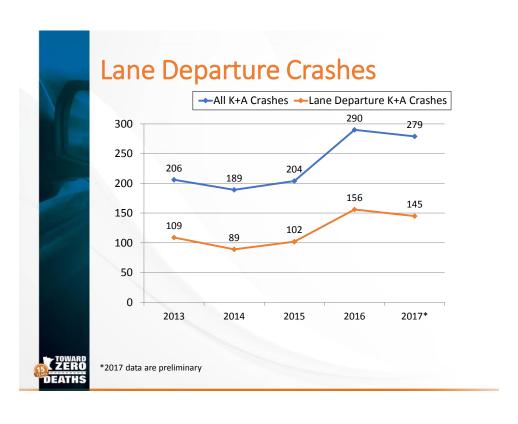


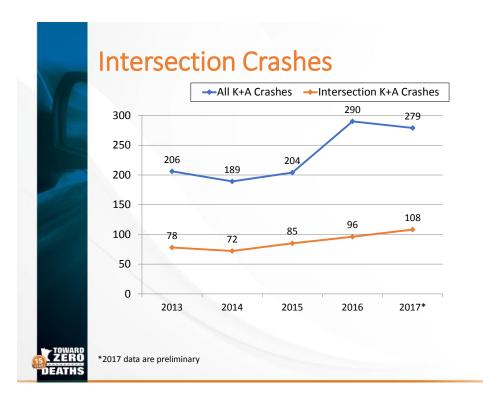
# East Central Minnesota Regional Crash Data

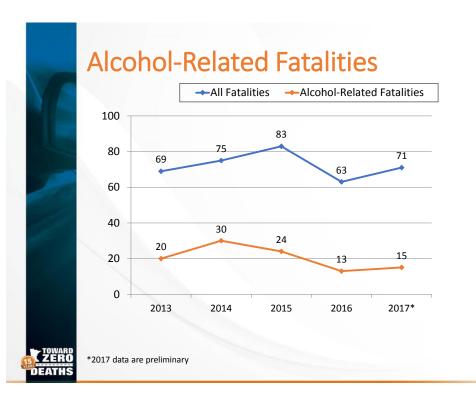
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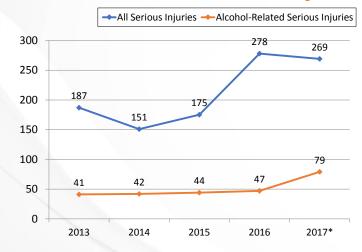








# Alcohol-Related Serious Injuries†



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## **Alcohol-Related Target Audience**

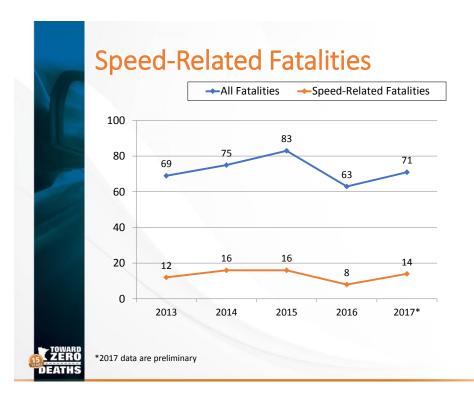
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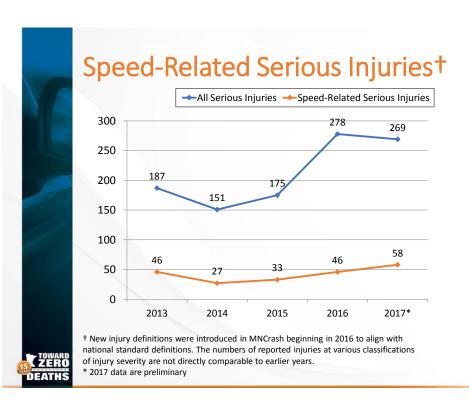
- Young adults (age 21-35)—31% of alcohol-related fatalities
- Men—80% of alcohol-related fatalities

#### When?

- 6 PM 2 AM
- · Weekends (Friday, Saturday, and Sunday)









# **Speed-Related Target Audience**

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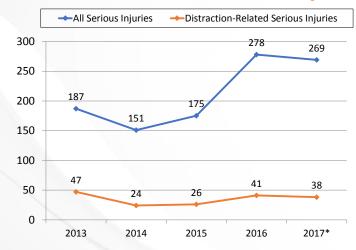
- Teens and young adults (age 16-30) make up half of fatalities and serious injuries
- Men—almost 75% of fatalities and serious injuries

#### When?

- Afternoon and evening—almost half occurred between 2 PM and 10 PM
- · Weekends (Friday, Saturday, and Sunday)

#### **Distraction-Related Fatalities** →All Fatalities → Distraction-Related Fatalities 100 83 75 80 69 60 40 22 20 6 0 2013 2014 2015 2017\* 2016 \*2017 data are preliminary

# Distraction-Related Serious Injuries†



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### **Distraction-Related Target Audience**

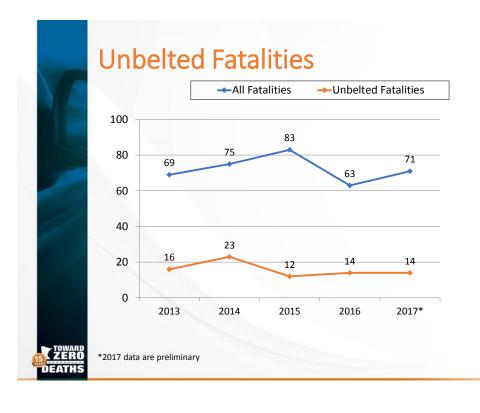
#### Who?

- All ages
- Men-64% of fatalities and serious injuries

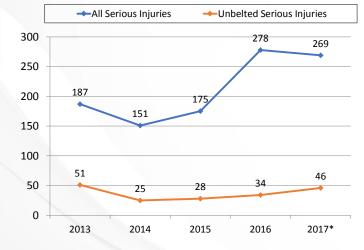
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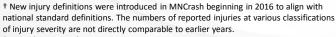
"Work hours" (10 AM – 6 PM )





# **Unbelted Serious Injuries†**





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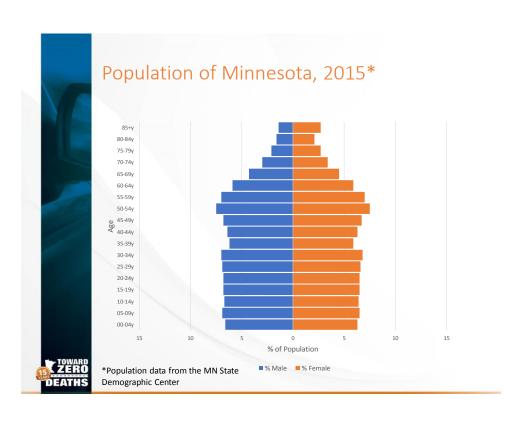
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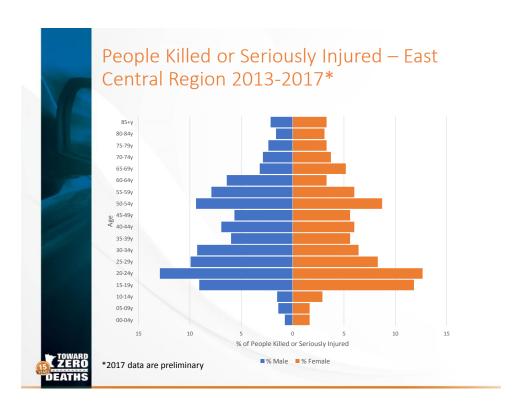
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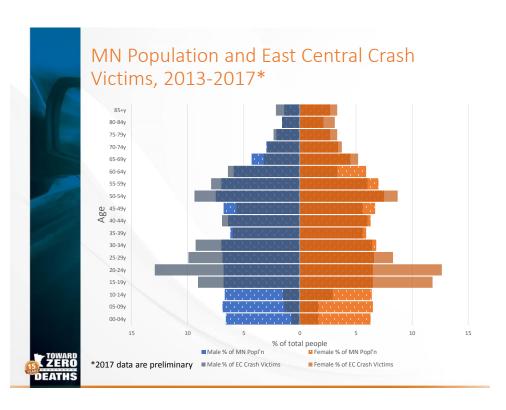
- Teens and young adults (age 16-35) make up more than half of fatalities and serious injuries
- Men account for 71% of fatalities and serious injuries

#### When?

Weekends (Friday, Saturday, and Sunday)









### **East Central Minnesota Key Findings**

- Compared to 2016, fatalities were up but serious injuries were down in 2017
- o The "Big Four" remain a challenge
  - Impairment
  - Distraction
  - Seat belt use
  - Speed
- Teens and young adults continue to be overrepresented in crashes

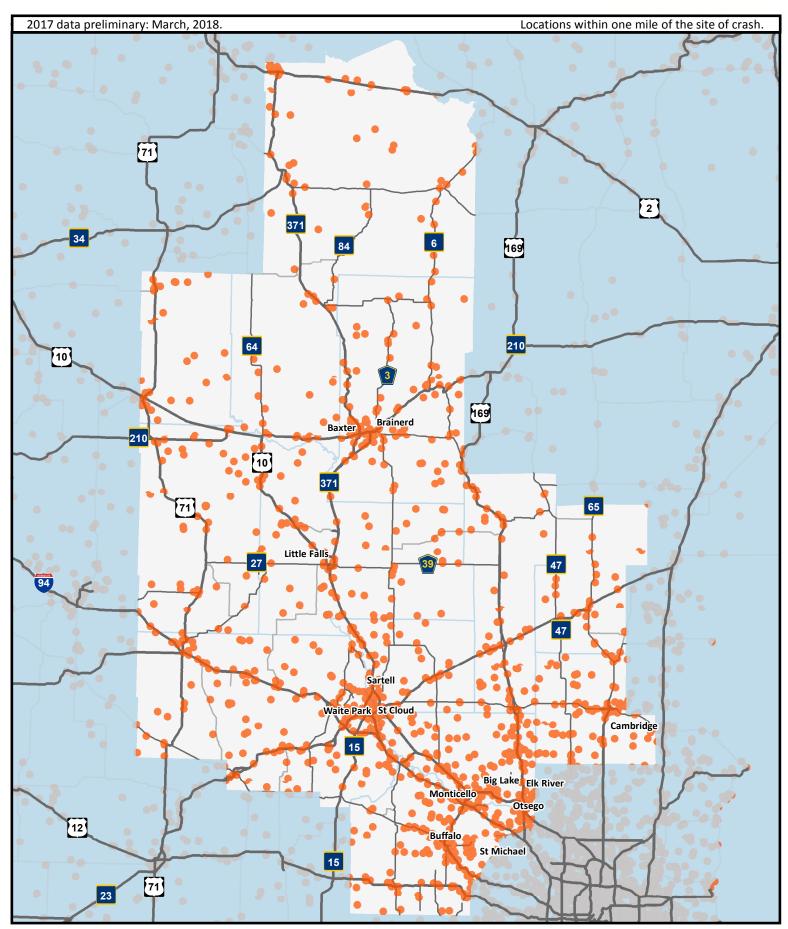
### **Additional Resources**

- Minnesota Toward Zero Deaths
  - www.MinnesotaTZD.org
- Strategic Highway Safety Plan
  - www.mndot.gov/TrafficEng/Safety/SHSP
- Minnesota Crash Facts
  - https://dps.mn.gov/Divisions/OTS



# **East Central TZD Region**Fatal and Serious Injury Crashes, 2013-2017

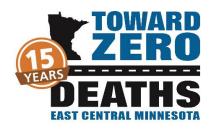




### East Central TZD Region Crash Data, 2013 to 2017\*

County	Injur	ies	Distrac	ted	Alcoh	ol	Spee	d	Unbelt	ed
County	Killed	A Inj.	Killed	A Inj.	Killed	A Inj.	Killed	A Inj.	Killed	A Inj.
Benton	27	66	3	14	10	14	3	10	5	12
Cass	31	76	2	15	14	21	10	22	7	20
Crow Wing	35	103	7	18	7	22	6	20	8	14
Isanti	39	59	8	8	10	11	7	8	5	16
Kanabec	7	29	2	6	2	6	0	4	3	5
Mille Lacs	27	49	6	9	9	7	4	12	5	13
Morrison	32	69	3	8	9	22	4	16	9	14
Sherburne	34	144	2	30	6	43	8	25	5	11
Stearns	46	203	9	37	9	50	13	43	10	32
Todd	16	57	4	9	8	23	0	16	8	15
Wadena	11	23	2	1	3	6	2	7	3	7
Wright	56	182	6	21	15	28	9	27	11	25

County	Lane Dep	parture	Intersed	ction	Motorc	ycle	Pedestr	ian	Bicycl	st
County	Killed	A Inj.	Killed	A Inj.	Killed	A Inj.	Killed	A Inj.	Killed	A Inj.
Benton	12	38	14	30	2	7	6	5	0	1
Cass	22	54	4	14	2	6	2	2	1	0
Crow Wing	21	56	12	37	10	24	0	3	0	5
Isanti	22	31	14	25	12	8	3	1	1	2
Kanabec	3	24	1	6	1	7	0	0	0	0
Mille Lacs	12	22	11	24	4	5	2	1	1	0
Morrison	15	36	15	23	1	8	0	2	0	2
Sherburne	18	72	15	69	5	33	3	11	0	1
Stearns	18	91	23	78	6	38	5	18	2	8
Todd	9	34	7	13	0	11	2	4	0	1
Wadena	7	11	4	12	1	3	1	2	0	0
Wright	24	81	19	76	6	32	4	13	0	2



#### East Central Minnesota Toward Zero Deaths Regional Strategic Plan

#### Mission

To move East Central Minnesota toward zero deaths on our roads, in a partnership with area education, enforcement, engineering and emergency services representatives.

#### Goal 1 - Reduce TZD Fatality and Serious Injuries

To continuously decrease traffic related fatalities and serious injuries in East Central Minnesota from the past **5-year averages** 2013-2017\* of 72 fatalities and 212 serious injuries. Note: New injury definitions were introduced in 2016 and may have contributed to a higher reported number of serious injuries.

#### **Objectives**

A. To continuously increase regional seatbelt use rates.

The statewide average was 92% in 2017.

The regional seat belt rate was 86.01% in April 2017.

The last survey finding of 84.1%, was in April 2016.

Goal: to achieve 90% compliance by next study.

- B. <u>To examine the characteristics of the unbelted fatalities and serious injuries.</u> Calculation of seat belt use in fatal and serious crashes is possible with existing data.
- C. <u>To continuously decrease the following:</u>

5-year averages (2013-2017\*) in East Central Region - Baseline Data

#### Contributing Factors:

Average annual

	Alcohol	Speed	Distraction	Total
Fatalities	20	13	11	72
Fatal Crashes	17	12	10	67
Severe Injuries	51	42	35	212
Severe Injury Crashes	39	34	26	166

Note: a crash may have more than one of the above listed or additional contributing factors

<sup>\*2017</sup> data are preliminary.



#### East Central Minnesota Toward Zero Deaths Regional Strategic Plan

#### **Total East Central Region - Baseline**

	Fatalities	Fatal Crashes	Severe Injuries	Severe Injury Crashes
2017* Totals	71	69	269	210
2013-2017*	361	337	1,060	831

#### **Region Goal 2-TZD Partnership Goals**

To continuously increase TZD awareness and partnerships across East Central Minnesota for both the general public and traffic safety professionals

- 1. <u>Establish the vision of TZD as a priority for all region, county, city (government agencies)</u>
  - A. Engage local government involvement in TZD steering committee and workshops
  - B. Educate/promote traffic safety awareness of city/county officials
  - C. Promote City/county employee education/policies that facilitate the TZD vision

(Activities: Recruitment of city and county to attend TZD event, giving TZD presentations to boards/councils, mailings/connections to Network of Employers for Traffic Safety (NETS))

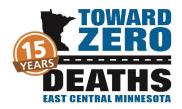
- 2. Create and strengthen partnerships in the region
  - A. Engage stakeholders
  - B. Develop networking relationships
  - C. Recruit membership of the TZD partnership

(Activities: EMS Conference booth/presentation, regional workshop, calendar, statistics, workshop and engage RTAC)

- 3. Promote and implement effective traffic safety initiatives in the region
  - A. Develop and distribute resource materials
  - B. Provide enforcement wave support in community
  - C. Promote evidence based countermeasures
  - D. Collect data and statistics within region
  - E. Implement best practices within region

(Activities: web, brochure, one-pagers, presentations, news advisories, workshop, seatbelt observational survey and omnibus survey, media messaging and media events, news releases re: activities woven into existing messages, worksite education and policy development, parent component to drivers education, sober cab development, youth enforcement and education activities)

<sup>\*2017</sup> data are preliminary.



# **East Central Minnesota Toward Zero Deaths**

#### **Mission:**

To create a culture for which traffic fatalities and serious injuries are no longer acceptable through the integrated application of education, engineering, enforcement and emergency medical and trauma services. These efforts will be driven by data, best practices and research.

#### Values:

- Continuous Improvements
- Engaged Partners
- Evidence-based Approaches

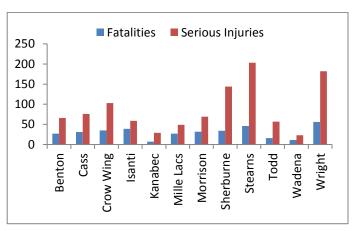


The East Central Minnesota Toward Zero Deaths (TZD) program has been developing for five years. The counties involved include: Benton, Cass, Crow Wing, Isanti, Kanabec, Mille Lacs, Morrison, Sherburne, Stearns, Todd, Wadena and Wright.

The leading cause of deaths and severe injuries in East Central Minnesota include:

- Lack of Seatbelt Use
- Impaired Driving
- Speed and Aggressive Driving
- Inattentive Driving

East Central Minnesota Fatals and Serious Injuries by County (2013-2017\*)



The leading type of crash resulting in deaths and severe injuries include:

- Run off the Road
- Impaired Driving

The East Central Minnesota TZD program is led by a steering committee comprised of the "4 Es:"

- Enforcement
- Engineering
- Education
- EMS / Emergency Medical & Trauma Services

## **East Central Minnesota TZD Leadership Contacts**

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Captain Joe Dwyer

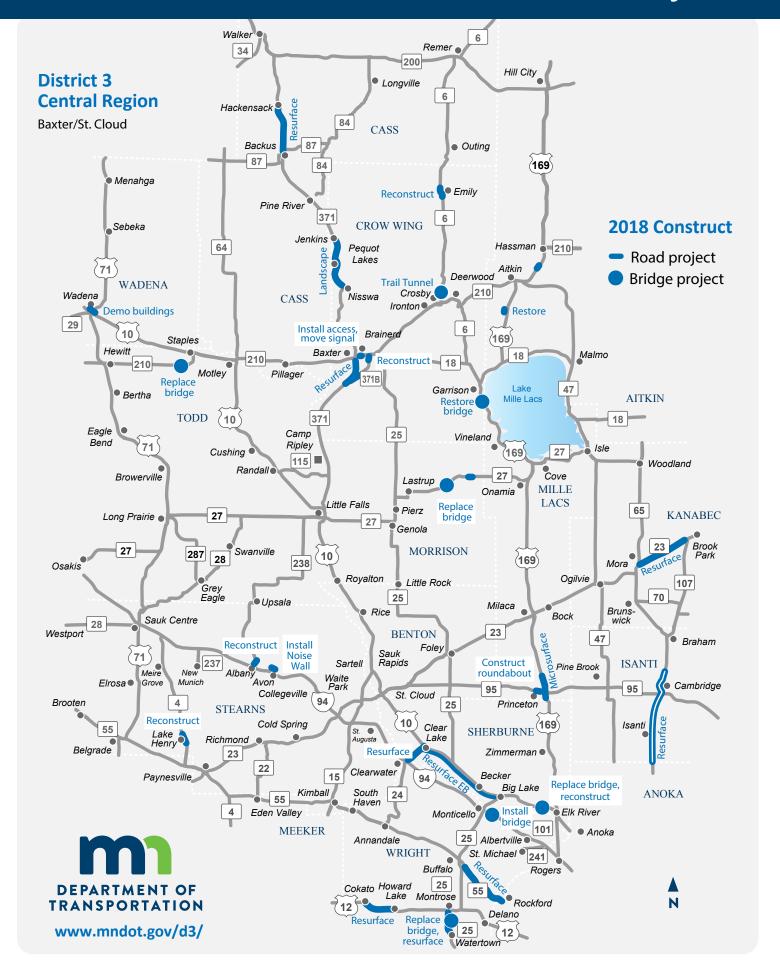
Captain Jeff Westrum Minnesota State Patrol 320-223-6660 jeffrey.westrum@state.mn.us

#### **Education/EMS**

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# 2018 Central Minnesota Construction Projects







#### **District 3–Central Region**

Baxter/St. Cloud

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Mndot.gov/d3

#### Hwy 4

Location: Lake Henry

**Description:** Reconstruct and redesign road from Ball Park St to Cartway Dr, construct new boulevard, move power poles outside of curb line, improve pedestrian access, improve underground utilities

Cost: \$1.1 million
Date: April-Sept

Impact: Detour, truck detour

Benefit: Smoother ride, improved safety,

extend life of roadway

mndot.gov/d3/2018/lakehenry/

#### Hwy 6

**Location:** Crosby

**Description:** Install tunnel beneath Hwy 6 just north of downtown Crosby. City-

led project. **Cost:** \$700,000 **Date:** Fall

Impact: Hwy 6 closed N of Crosby,

detour

Benefit: Improve safety at Hwy

6/Cuyuna Trail crossing

#### Hwy 6

**Location:** Emily

**Description:** Reconstruct Hwy 6 and Hwy 6/CR 1 intersection, install new curb/gutter and sidewalk, storm water holding pond, underground pipes, improve drainage to eliminate roadway ponding, improve pedestrian safety and

Cost: \$2.1 million Date: April-Oct

accessibility

**Impact:** NB Hwy 6 open on narrow, temporary lanes, SB Hwy 6 detoured, local roads intermittently close at Hwy 6, all businesses remain accessible at all times

**Benefit:** Redesign roadway, smoother ride, extend life of roads, improve

drainage and safety

More information:

www.mndot.gov/d3/emily

#### **Hwy 10**

Location: Clear Lake to Big Lake

Description: Reclaim/resurface 14 miles
of EB Hwy 10 from Lakeshore Dr in Big
Lake to Hwy 24 in Clear Lake, install new
Reduced Conflict Intersection at Hwy
10/CR 23 in Becker, extend turn lanes,
repair underground pipes, improve

pedestrian accessibility

Cost: \$9.4 million

Date: June-Oct

Impact: Both directions of Hwy 10 reduced to a single lane 24/7 with head-to-head traffic on WB side of road, intermittent lane closures, longer-life

pavement

**Benefit:** Smoother ride, extend life of roadway, improve safety, drainage and

accessibility

More information:

mndot.gov/d3/2018/clearlaketobiglake

#### **Hwy 10**

Location: Elk River

**Description:** Replace bridges over Lake Orono, reconstruct Hwy 10/Joplin St intersection, resurface Xenia St NW to Joplin St NW, pave new trail segment, improve pedestrian accessibility,

improve drainage **Cost:** \$9.8 million

Date: July 2017-Oct 2018

**Impact:** EB Hwy 10 reduced to a single lane, WB Hwy 10 two lanes open at most times, narrow lanes, reduced speed

limit, lane closures, flaggers

**Benefit:** Preserve important river/lake crossing, extend life of road, smoother ride, improve pedestrian accessibility, improve safety, improve drainage, two new bridges, new trail provides safe access across river

More information:

mndot.gov/d3/h10orono/

#### **Hwy 10**

Location: Wadena

**Description:** Building demolition

Cost: \$104,712 Date: Spring

**Impact:** Intermittent lane or shoulder closures, trucks hauling debris **Benefit:** Prepare for future Hwy 10

reconstruction project **More information:** 

www.mndot.gov/d3/wadena



#### **Hwy 12**

**Location:** Cokato to Howard Lake **Description:** Resurface from 7<sup>th</sup> St E in Cokato to 13<sup>th</sup> Ave in Howard Lake, upgrade guardrail, restripe at entrance to future development

Cost: \$1.6 million
Date: May–June

**Impact:** Hwy 12 reduced to single lane, flaggers, pilot cars, potential 20 minute

delays

Benefit: Extend life of road, smoother

ride, improve safety

More information:

mndot.gov/d3/cokato

#### **Hwy 18**

Location: W of Garrison

**Description:** Restore historic Kenney

Lake roadside overlook

**Cost:** \$359,500 **Date:** Spring/summer

**Impact:** Parking area closed as needed **Benefit:** Preserve historic wayside rest

More information:

mndot.gov/roadsides/historic

#### **Hwy 23**

**Location:** Mora westward to Hwy 107 **Description:** Resurface from Hwy 65 in Mora to Hwy 107 near Brook Park, install new turn lanes, upgrade guardrail, new curb and gutter near Hwy 65

Cost: \$2 million Date: July-Sept

Impact: Hwy 23 reduced to single lane,

pilot cars, flaggers

**Benefit:** Extend life of road, smoother ride, improve safety and drainage

#### **Hwy 24**

**Location:** Clearwater to Clear Lake **Description:** Resurface from 179th St (W of I-94) in Clearwater to Henry St in Clear Lake, upgrade signal systems, improve pedestrian accessibility. In Clear Lake: new sidewalk, curb, intersection changes near RR crossing W of Hwy 10

Cost: \$1.8 million Date: April–Aug

**Impact:** Hwy 24 reduced to single lane overnight, flaggers, pedestrian detours **Benefit:** Smoother ride, improve safety and accessibility, extend life of roadway

More information: mndot.gov/d3/hwy24/

#### **Hwy 24**

**Location:** Clearwater

Description: New Hwy 24 bridge over

Mississippi River **Cost:** \$17.4 million

Date: July 2015-June 2018

**Impact:** Minimal, new bridge now open **Benefit:** New bridge, improve safety for

motorists and pedestrians

More information:

mndot.gov/d3/hwy24

#### **Hwy 24**

**Location:** Clearwater

Description: Landscape near new bridge

Cost: \$17.4 million Date: Summer-fall Impact: Minimal.

Benefit: New bridge, improve safety for

motorists and pedestrians

More information: mndot.gov/d3/hwy24

#### **Hwy 25**

Location: 7<sup>th</sup> St S in Montrose to CR 10 in

Watertown

**Description:** Resurface 8 miles, replace underground pipes, replace box culvert bridge, install new LED stop signs at Hwy 25/CR 30, upgrade guardrail, install

rumble and mumble strips

Cost: \$2.6 million Date: May-Aug

**Impact:** Segments of Hwy 25 close, detours, lane closures, pilot cars, flaggers **Benefit:** Extend life of road, smoother ride, improve safety and drainage, repair

slope with erosion problem

More information: mndot.gov/d3/2018/h25

#### **Hwy 27**

**Location:** E of Lastrup, near CR 47 **Description:** Replace bridge over Skunk River tributary with new box culvert

bridge, install new guardrail

Cost: \$539,000 Date: June-Aug

**Impact:** Hwy 27 closed, detour, flaggers **Benefit:** New bridge, improved water flow, less maintenance, wider shoulders, upgrade guardrail, preserve roadway,

improve safety

More information:
mndot.gov/d3/2018/h27

#### **Hwy 27**

Location: Hwy 27/CR 8 intersection,

E of Lastrup

**Description:** Install rural intersection

conflict warning system

Cost: \$130,000 Date: Summer

**Impact:** Lane closures, flaggers **Benefit:** Improve safety



#### **Hwy 55**

Location: Buffalo to Rockford

Description: Reconstruct from Division
St in Buffalo to Electric Dr/Autumn Oaks
Dr in Rockford (7 miles), resurface
Electric Dr/Autumn Oaks Dr to Crow
River bridge in Rockford (.5 miles),
replace or repair underground pipes,
upgrade guardrail, upgrade road signs,
repair or replace segments of sidewalk

Ash St to Walnut Pl in Rockford

Cost: \$4.8 milion

Date: June-Oct; detour July-Aug
Impact: Hwy 55 Division St in Buffalo to
Electric Dr/Autumn Oaks Dr in Rockford
closed, detour; short-term intermittent
lane closures Electric Dr/Autumn Oaks Dr
to Crow River bridge in Rockford; all
businesses and residents remain
accessible throughout project
Benefit: Smoother ride, full-depth
reclamation results in long-life
pavement, improve safety, drainage and

pedestrian accessibility

More information:
mndot.gov/d3/2018/h55/

#### **Hwy 65**

**Location:** 245<sup>th</sup> Ave (S of Isanti, near East Bethel) to 357<sup>th</sup> Ave (N of

Cambridge)

**Description:** Resurface 14.5 miles of Hwy 65, extend turn lanes, improve intersections, improve pedestrian accessibility, repair or replace culverts

Cost: \$12.8 million

Date: July 2017–June 2018

**Impact:** Hwy 65 reduced to single lane, heavy equipment and trucks hauling **Benefit:** Smoother ride, improve safety,

drainage and accessibility **More information:** mndot.gov/d3/h65isanti/ 1-94

Location: Avon

**Description:** Construct noise barrier

along WB I-94, W of CR 9

Cost: \$1.8 million

Date: Spring-summer

Impact: Off-roadway work

Benefit: Reduce road noise in adjacent

community

More information:

www.mndot.gov/environment/noise

**I-94** 

**Location:** Rogers to Osakis

**Description:** Install alternate route signs

along county, city roads

Cost: \$137,000 Date: April–July

**Impact:** Shoulder closures

**Benefit:** Improve mobility and safety when I-94 lanes close for an extended period of time due to an emergency **More information:** mndot.gov/d3/i94

**I-94** 

**Location:** Monticello to Clearwater **Description:** Diamond grind driving lanes

Cost: \$1.2 million

Date: Spring-summer 2018

Impact: Non-rush hour lane closures

**Benefit:** Smoother ride mndot.gov/d3/i94

**I-94** 

**Location:** Monticello, between Hwy 25 interchange and CR 18/39 interchange **Description:** New bridge spans I-94, new local road connects Fallon Ave to 7<sup>th</sup> St, three new roundabouts, sidewalk and trail connections, city-led project

**Cost:** \$6 million **Date:** April-Nov

Impact: Local road closures and detours,

I-94 lane closures

**Benefit:** New bridge spans new local road across I-94, decrease congestion, improve mobility and safety for motorists and pedestrians, improved access to business park on S side of I-94

More information:

www.ci.monticello.mn.us/fallon

**Hwy 95** 

Location: Princeton

**Description:** Install new roundabout at Hwy 95/CR 157 (21<sup>st</sup> Ave); city-led

project

**Cost:** \$1.6 million **Date:** Summer 2018

Impact: Hwy 95 closed, detour, lane

closures, flaggers

**Benefit:** Improve safety, mobility, traffic flow, access to commercial development

More information:

mndot.gov/d3/2017/princeton/

**Hwy 169** 

**Location:** Garrison

**Description:** Restore historic bridge

Cost: \$1.6 million
Date: July 9—fall

Impact: Single-lane, head-to-head traffic

on southbound side of road

Benefit: Preserve historic structure

More information:

mndot.gov/d3/2018/garrison



#### **Hwy 210**

Location: Baxter

**Description:** New Hwy 210/Cypress Dr intersection; part of larger city-led

project

**Cost:** \$7.5 million **Date:** 2018-2019

**Impact:** Shoulder closures, lane closures **Benefit:** Improve mobility in Baxter

#### Hwy 210/169

Location: 3 miles NE of Aitkin at

Sissabagamah Creek

**Description:** Replace box culvert bridge

Total Cost: \$1.2 million

Date: Spring

Impact: Lane closures, flaggers

Benefit: New, lower maintenance bridge

#### **Hwy 210**

Location: W of Staples

**Description:** Replace bridge over Moran

Brook, E of CR 9 Cost: \$495,000 Date: June-Aug

Impact: Hwy 210 closed, detour; watch

for horse and buggy traffic

**Benefit:** New bridge, improved water flow, less maintenance, wider shoulders, upgrade guardrail, preserve roadway,

improve safety

More information:

mndot.gov/d3/2018/h210/

#### **Hwy 238**

**Location:** Albany

**Description:** Reconstruct from Railroad

Ave to N of Lake Ave, replace

underground utilities, upgrade sidewalk

Cost: \$1.2 million Date: June-Sept

**Impact:** Hwy 238 closed, detour **Benefit:** Smoother road, improve

drainage, improve pedestrian safety and

accessiblity

More information:

www.mndot.gov/d3/2018/albany

#### **Hwy 371**

Location: Baxter, Brainerd

Description: Resurface from S of Hwy

210 to S of 50<sup>th</sup> Ave SW **Cost:** \$3.3 million **Date:** June–Aug 2018

**Impact:** Segments of Hwy 371 reduced to single lane up to 24 hours, reduced

speed limits

**Benefit:** Smoother ride **More information:** 

www.mndot.gov/d3/2018/h371

#### **Hwy 371**

**Location:** Backus to Hackensack

**Description:** Reconstruct from S junction of Hwy 87 to CR 40, replace or repair

underground pipes
Cost: \$3 million
Date: Aug-Oct

Impact: Detour adds 22 miles to trip while Hwy 371 from Hwy 87 to CR 40 closes; Hwy 371 CR 40 northward reduced to single lane, flaggers

Benefit: Smoother ride, long-life pavement with reduced maintenance and lifecycle costs, improve drainage

More information:

www.mndot.gov/d3/2018/h371

#### **Hwy 371**

**Location:** Nisswa to Jenkins **Description:** Landcape

Cost: \$500,000

**Date:** Fall 2018—spring 2019 **Impact:** Shoulder closures

Benefit: Establish turf, erosion control

More information: mndot.gov/d3/hwy371

#### Hwy 371/371B interchange

**Location:** S of Baxter

**Description:** Resurface interchange

**Cost:** \$800,000 **Date:** Fall 2018

**Impact:** Lane closures, flaggers

Benefit: Smoother ride

#### Hwy 371B/S 6th St

Location: Brainerd

**Description:** Reconstruct and redesign from Hwy 210/Washington St to Joseph

St; improve signals, lighting, underground utilities, RR crossing, pedestrian crossings/sidewalks

Cost: \$5.7 million

Date: April–Oct 2018

**Impact:** Roads closed and detoured, pedestrian detours, truck route **Benefit:** Improve traffic flow, safety, city underground utilities, drainage, accessibility; smoother ride

More information: mndot.gov/d3/brd/



#### **Useful Links**

- Realtime road conditions
   511mn.org
- <u>Statewide roadwork</u> mndot.gov/roadwork/current
- <u>Central Mn roadwork</u> mndot.gov/d3/construct.html
- <u>Central Mn Twitter news feed</u>
   Twitter.com/MnDOTcentral
- Work zone safety tips mndot.gov/workzone/
- Project email updates mndot.gov
- Contact us mndot.gov/d3

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Many licensure and certification agencies require the demonstration of continuing professional competency. The Minnesota Board does not pre-approve courses and activities, however to the best of our knowledge this course/activity meets the continuing education requirements outlined in MN Statute 326.107. Final discretion is up to the Board.

The table below shows the professional development hours (PDH) that can be earned for the continuing education activities included in the Center for Transportation Studies East Central Toward Zero Deaths Regional Workshop held in St. Cloud, MN on Thursday, April 5, 2018.

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DAY	TIME	TITLE	HOURS	HOURS
			AVAILABLE	EARNED
April 5,	9:15am-10:00am	The Breakdown: Regional TZD Data	0.75	
2018	10:15am-11:30am	The Teenage Brain and Risk Reduction: Connecting the Dots	1.25	
	11:30am-12:00pm	DAM is All It Took	0.50	
	12:30pm-1:15pm	Bad Bad Highway – or is it?	0.75	
	1:15pm-1:30pm	15 Years of Minnesota TZD	0.25	
	1:30pm-2:15pm	Trauma Care for Everyone	0.75	
		Tots in the Big World		
	2:15pm-2:45pm	What Did You Do?	0.50	
Total PDH	Units:		4.75	

Name:	Date	2:

# Proof of Completion Peace Officer Standards and Training Credit (POST) Course Number: 10211-0050

Name of Program:	East Central Toward Zero D	eaths Regional Workshop				
Dates:	April 5, 2018					
Location:	CentraCare South Point, St. Cloud, MN					
Training (POST) cred	* *	pard of Peace Officer Standards and ing this credit must complete this Post completion.				
This is to certify that	I was in attendance for the sessi	ons indicated below:				
I attended the Ap	ril 5, 2018 event and will receiv	re 5.0 POST credits for my participation.				
Name (First)	(M.I.)	(Last)				
Affiliation						
Signature		Date				
Minnesota TZD progredit tracking. Office	ram staff will submit the TZD re	ers tracks the CE credits of officers. The egional workshop rosters to POST for CE rates or other proof of completion				
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TZD'S STATEWIDE GOAL: Fewer than 300 fatalities and 850 serious injuries on Minnesota's roads by 2020

#### **Key accomplishments**

- A 45 percent reduction in the number of traffic deaths since T7D was launched in 2003.
- A statewide seat belt use rate of 92 percent.
- Passage of stronger traffic safety policies related to seat belt use, texting while driving, ignition interlock, graduated driving licensing, impaired driving, and speeding in work zones.
- Eight regional partnerships statewide that collaborate and build local relationships to implement TZD.
- A statewide trauma system enabling 99 percent of Minnesotans to reach a trauma hospital within 60 minutes.
- Implementation of low-cost, high-benefit strategies for intersection and lane-departure crashes on state and local roads
- More than 900 statewide conference participants annually.

# WHAT IS THE MINNESOTA TOWARD ZERO DEATHS PROGRAM?

Minnesota TZD is the state's cornerstone traffic safety program that employs an interdisciplinary approach to reducing traffic crashes, injuries, and deaths on Minnesota roads. The program's vision is to reduce fatalities and serious injuries to zero.

The program is a partnership between the Minnesota Departments of Public Safety, Transportation, and Health; the University of Minnesota; and other stakeholders.

Minnesota TZD works to create a culture in which traffic deaths and serious injuries are no longer acceptable through the integrated application of the "4Es": Education, Enforcement, Engineering, and Emergency Medical and Trauma Services. The program also uses data to target areas for improvement, employ proven countermeasures, implement best practices, and advance innovations and new technologies.



Giving drivers the knowledge they need to avoid hazardous driving practices and choose responsible behavior.

Ensuring compliance with traffic laws to change driver behavior and reduce unsafe driving practices.

#### Engineering

Changing the roadway—including cable median barriers, signage, and the roadside—to make travel safer.

### **Emergency Medical & Trauma Services**

Providing fast, efficient emergency medical and trauma services to reduce fatalities and serious injuries whenever a crash does occur.

#### Everyone

Advocating for zero deaths while adopting behaviors and changing culture to get there.

#### **Program goals**

- Pursue public support of traffic safety as a priority
- Strengthen TZD as a priority for all units of government and traffic safety partnerships
- Promote and implement effective traffic safety initiatives

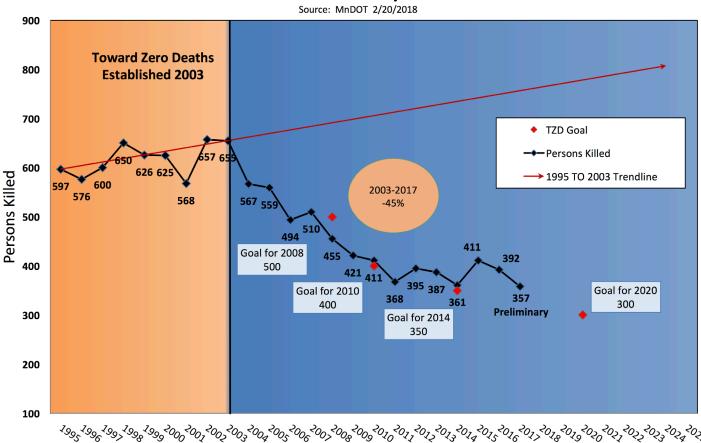
#### Traffic safety is everyone's responsibility: Get involved!

- Contact your regional TZD coordinator and/or participate in a local TZD safety coalition (minnesotatzd.org/initiatives/regions).
- Attend the annual statewide TZD conference and/or regional workshops (minnesotatzd.org/events).
- Attend the TZD stakeholder breakfasts in person or participate online (minnesotatzd.org/events/breakfasts).
- Request to be added to the TZD mailing list: Idolan@umn.edu.

#### For more information

- Contact Linda Dolan, Program Coordinator, 612-626-9587, Idolan@umn.edu
- Contact Kristine Hernandez, Statewide TZD Program Coordinator, 507-286-7601, kristine.hernandez@state.mn.us
- Visit the TZD website: MinnesotaTZD.org

#### **Minnesota Roadway Fatalities**

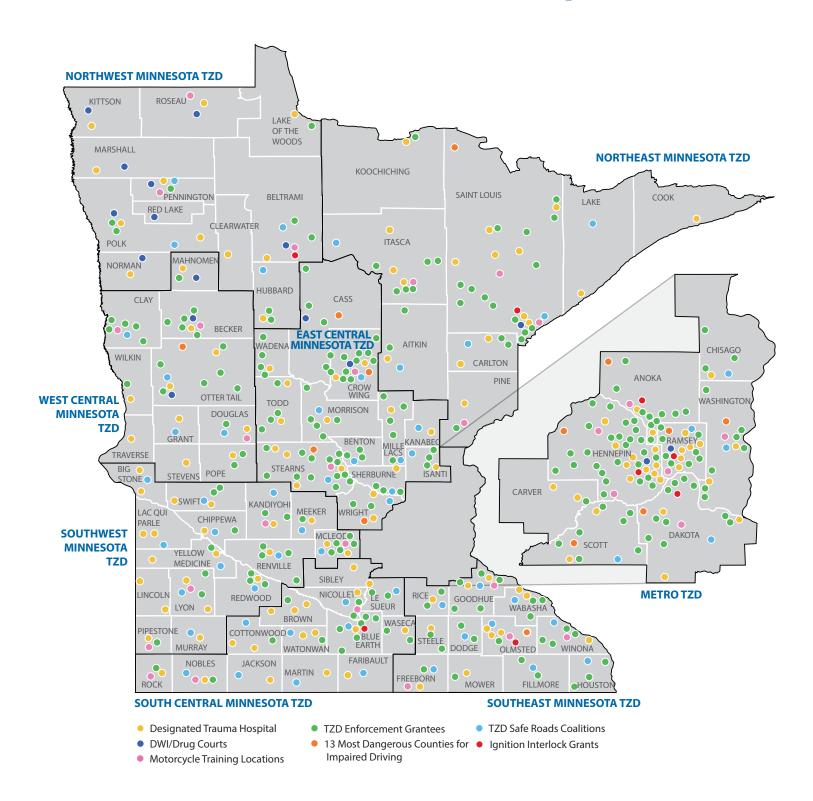


In 2003, 655 traffic deaths occurred on Minnesota's roads. That same year, the statewide TZD program was launched as a deliberate, interdisciplinary approach to traffic safety. Despite increases in the number of licensed drivers, registered motor vehicles, and vehicle miles traveled, there were 357\* traffic deaths in Minnesota in 2017—a 45 percent reduction from 2003.

\*preliminary count



# **Local Minnesota Traffic Safety Initiatives**



#### STRATEGIC DIRECTION



→ **STATEWIDE GOAL:** Fewer than 300 traffic-related fatalities—and fewer than 850 serious injuries—by 2020



#### **VISION**

To reduce fatalities and serious injuries on Minnesota's roads to zero

#### MISSION

To create a culture for which traffic fatalities and serious injuries are no longer acceptable through the integrated application of education, engineering, enforcement, and emergency medical and trauma services. These efforts will be driven by data, best practices, and research.

→ GOAL 1: Pursue public support of traffic safety as a priority

#### **Strategies**

- Foster the initiatives of the traffic safety culture action team
- Increase public awareness
- Facilitate effective policy and legislation
- Engage the media in traffic safety messaging
- → **GOAL 2:** Strengthen TZD as a priority for all units of government and traffic safety partnerships

#### **Strategies**

- Urge state agencies and local jurisdictions to make TZD a part of their culture and responsibility
- Engage the court system as a traffic safety partner
- Promote agency-to-agency collaboration
- Implement TZD communications to engage partners and stakeholders
- Increase and diversify participation in TZD programs and events
- → **GOAL 3:** Promote and implement effective traffic safety initiatives

#### Strategies

- Improve the traffic safety records system across all disciplines
- Implement the 2014 Strategic Highway Safety Plan
- Identify projects and actions resulting from the district and county safety plans
- Leverage Minnesota's trauma system to ensure timely treatment
- Increase collaboration among law enforcement agencies on all state and local roads
- Advance and evaluate new technologies and innovations
- Adopt and implement best practices

Italics signify priority strategies for 2018

#### **VALUES**

- Continuous improvement
- Engaged partners
- Evidence-based approaches

#### Mark Your Calendars

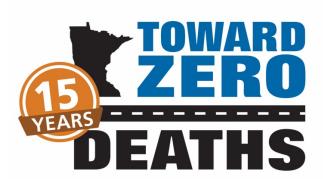
# 2018 Minnesota Toward Zero Deaths Conference

October 23-24, 2018

Mankato, MN

Verizon Wireless Center

#### Annual Statewide Conference for Traffic Safety Stakeholders



#### **Sponsored by**

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#### **Conference Description**

This conference provides a forum to share information on best practices in engineering, enforcement, education, and emergency medical/health and trauma services, and to identify new approaches to reducing the number of traffic fatalities and life-changing injuries on Minnesota roads.

#### Who Should Attend

- Attorneys
- Child Passenger Safety Advocates
- City and County Engineers
- Departments of Transportation, Public Safety, and Health Employees
- Driver Educators
- Drug Recognition Evaluators
- EMS and Health Care Personnel
- Judges
- Law Enforcement Officials
- Local and State Elected Officials and Public-Sector Employees
- Members of the Court System
- Probation Staff
- Public Health Officials
- Safe Communities Coalitions
- Traffic Safety Stakeholders

#### At this Conference you will ...

- explore best practices for establishing traffic safety coalitions
- find out what's new in law enforcement on traffic safety
- get the latest on traffic engineering techniques for improving safety
- hear about challenges for EMS in rural communities
- interact with leaders from other disciplines to learn how all 4 Es can best work together
- learn about CPS technical updates
- learn the latest on drugged driving
- discover new ideas through research
- learn about how technology can affect the courtroom . . . and much more!

#### **Credit**

PDH, POST, CEU, and CLE credits will be available for attendance at this conference.

#### **Registration and Further Information**

A conference brochure with a detailed program schedule and registration materials will be distributed in late summer 2018. For more information, email ccapsconf5@umn.edu or visit TZD's website at:

www.minnesotatzd.org