

TUESDAY – FEBRUARY 18, 2014

State of Wisconsin County of Iowa	UN-APPROVED MINUTES OF THE TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMISSION MEETING HELD TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2014 HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT CONFERENCE ROOM 1215 N BEQUETTE ST DODGEVILLE, WISCONSIN 53533	2014-01
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Item		
#1	Meeting called to order by committee Chair Craig Hardy at 9:30 AM in the Conference Room of the Iowa County Highway Department in Dodgeville.	Call to Order
#2b	Roll Call – Commissioner Hardy, State Trooper Briant Russell, Ryan Mayer (DOT), Robert Bott (DOT-BOTS), John Meyers (County Board), Bryan Bilse (Chief Deputy), Ann Thompson (Health Department), Matt Allen (Corp Counsel), Joe Thomas (Ridgeway).	Roll Call, Certification of Meeting
#2c and d	C & d. Motion by Russell, 2 nd by Mayer to approve the 11/12/2013 minutes and agenda for this meeting. Motion carried.	Approval of Agenda & Minutes
#3	No comments from the public.	Comment from Public/ Supervisors
#4	Introduction of Members and Review Commission membership. Commissioner Hardy distributed a contact list of members, members present introduced themselves, and discussion of other membership representation.	Commission Introductions and Membership
#5	Election of Commission Officers due to the recent changes in membership. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Traffic Safety Commission Coordinator. Nomination by Bilse and 2nd by Allen to elect Steve Bennett as the Safety Commission Coordinator. Motion Carried unanimously. 2. Traffic Safety Commission Chair. Nomination by Thomas and 2nd by Russell to elect Commissioner Hardy as the Commission Chair. Motion carried unanimously. 	Commission Officers
#6	Commissioner Hardy advised the commission he had talked with Gene Van Dyck with the DNR in regards to the parking issues with traffic along CTH H and Rosy Lane north of Ridgeway. The Town of Ridgeway had expressed concern for visibility at the location during hunting season last fall. DNR will meet this spring to discuss options for access to their properties at the location. Item was tabled until the June meeting.	CTH H and Rosy Lane parking issues
#7	Chief Deputy Bilse discussed the recent fatal accidents in the county, and if the causes were related to road conditions, safety concerns, or other items. The spot maps were not available for review due to changes in positions at the SO and WisDOT. The commission will review accident maps at the next meeting.	Community Map / Accident Spot Map
#9	Bott distributed multiple handouts with regards to a legislative update, fatality bar chart by county, and statewide fatality chart by date. The Commission reviewed the handouts. Bott advised the commission he is the new liaison for Iowa County TSC meetings.	Traffic Safety / Crash Summary updates
#10	State Highway Project updates:	Member

	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. STH 23, Taliesin. Mayer provided an update on the status of the STH 23 project and guardrail visibility concerns. Multiple meetings have been held to mitigate the concerns with Taliesin, State historic society and National Park Service; and they may be nearing a consensus on the beamguard concerns. At the present time it is not known if the project will be constructed in 2014. 2. STH 23 – CTH ZZ to Lower Wyoming Valley Road. Discussion of the recently completed road improvements last summer and the reflective cracking of the new surface. Discussion of WisDOT maintenance being aware of the situation and Iowa County’s recommendation to crackfill the route to alleviate issues from the cracking and water infiltration into the subbase materials. 3. CTH BB interchange on USH 151/18 near Ridgeway. Commissioner Hardy and Thomas advised and updated the commission on a recent public information meeting for the CTH BB interchange project. Several topics were discussed with regards to the roundabout, CTH naming designations, lighting, road profile, and other improvements in the vicinity. 4. CTH E Public Information Meeting. Commissioner Hardy advised the committee a bridge project along CTH E will occur during 2015 in Mifflin. A public information meeting is to be held this week to discuss different options. 5. STH 80 – CTH P to STH 133. Commissioner advised the commission a construction project is scheduled for this summer along STH 80 north of Highland down to STH 133. 6. Discussion of median and shoulder rumble strips along STH 18 west of Montfort and the criteria which contribute to their installation. 	<p>comments</p>
#10	<p>Discussion of recurring meeting dates and times of the second Tuesday of the month, or if there was interest in revising. After some discussion, the commission agreed to meetings on the morning of the 3rd Tuesday of the month within the middle of the quarter.</p>	<p>Meeting Dates</p>
#11	<p>Motion to set next meeting date and adjourn. Motion by Meyers, 2nd by Russell to set the next meeting date for Tuesday, May 20, 2014 at 9:30 AM. Meeting adjourned at 10:14 AM.</p>	<p>Adjourn.</p>

Respectfully Submitted;
 Highway Commissioner Hardy