

Traffic Topics Webinar

Introducing the 2020-2024 Strategic Highway Safety Plan

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Presentation overview

The Minnesota Strategic Highway Safety Plan (SHSP) is the overarching plan that sets the direction to reduce traffic fatalities and serious injuries for all roadway users in Minnesota. The plan recognizes the complicated relationship between crash types and promotes strategic partnerships to impact safety for all users. From the beginning of its development, the plan set out to be informed by data and input from traffic safety professionals and advocates of many disciplines. This plan is required by federal law and is updated every five years.



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Derek Leuer, P.E., is the State Traffic Safety Engineer for the Minnesota Department of Transportation (MnDOT) in the Office of Traffic Engineering. He has been responsible for the development of the District and Local County Road Safety Plans, assisting in statewide traffic safety planning efforts, and providing technical assistance to state, county, and local agencies. Derek has a bachelor's degree in Civil Engineering from North Dakota State University, and a Masters in Infrastructure Systems Engineering from the University of Minnesota. He is a registered professional engineer in Minnesota.

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