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**OZAUKEE COUNTY
TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMISSION MINUTES**

Chairperson Myers called the meeting to order at 9:03a.m. at the Ozaukee County Justice Center, Room 16.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Chairperson Fran Myers, Citizen, Lt. McCormick, Ozaukee County Sheriff's Department, Chief Steven Graff, Mequon Police Department, Jon Garms, Mequon Director of Public Works, Ozaukee County Highway Commissioner Bob Dreblow, Trooper Robert Simpson, David Brantner-Wisconsin Department of Transportation, Jean Clement, Citizen, David Albert, Citizen.

Not present: Ozaukee County Corporation Counsel Dennis Kenealy, Coroner John Holicek, Supervisor Frederick Kaul, Michael Panosh, Wisconsin Department of Transportation, Barbara Aagerup, Citizen, and Supervisor Gerald Walker.

Chairperson Fran Myers asked if meeting was properly noticed. Lt. McCormick advised that the meeting was properly noticed.

GUESTS:

Sgt. Tim Huibbregtse-Wisconsin State Patrol, Trooper Raymond Goldberg-Wisconsin State Patrol

APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

Chairperson Myers move to adopt agenda. Mr. Albert moved, Dreblow second, all aye. Agenda adopted.

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

None.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Chairperson advised adoption of minutes. Corrections: Mr. Brantner stated on page 15-should be Mr. Panosh and page 15, fifth paragraph should also be Mr. Panosh. Ms. Myers, page 7, third paragraph-should state "closer, not farther." Minutes approved as amended, Mr. Dreblow moved, Lt. McCormick second, all aye.

COMMUNICATIONS:

Lt. McCormick advised that informational article is enclosed with Traffic Safety Committee packet, fatal crash facts from Wisconsin Department of Transportation, Weekly fatal report from Department of Transportation and the Traffic Safety Report issued by the state. No communications received.

Sgt. Huibregtse advised Mr. Dreblow that the stop sign northbound on the southwest corner of STH 33 blocks the westbound traffic. Mr. Dreblow will check the situation and correct, along with some line marking corrections.

Chief Graff also advised that the double turn lanes on STH 167/STH 57 need striping and missing signage in the area.

Discussion. No action taken.

FATAL ACCIDENT REVIEW:

Lt. McCormick advised that there were two (2) fatals this quarter. One involving the median barriers as the investigation is still active; he will place this on the next meeting's agenda.

STATE REPORT:

Mr. Brantner advised that the state will be changing the phasing at I43 southbound ramp at Mequon Road. Because of the traffic backup on I43 Mequon Exit, the state plans to change the eastbound single lane onto I43 southbound. They will change the eastbound thru lane to a thru right; instead of traffic going together at Mequon Road, they will be going separately. They also will be adding a right turn overlap phase for the southbound ramp. These changes will be implemented soon.

Mr. Dreblow advised that there will be a public informational meeting at the Mequon City Hall next Tuesday evening from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. concerning implementing a roundabout at the intersection of Highland and Wauwatosa Road. Also looking at roundabouts at Western and Wauwatosa, Bridge and Wauwatosa and then at Sycamore and CTH NN.

Discussion. No action taken.

LOCAL REPORT:

Highway Department will be constructing raised curbed island at the intersection of CTH Y and CTH NN this spring.

Pioneer Road Project, City of Mequon to reconstruct Pioneer Road, will have paved shoulders from Green Bay to Klug Lane. Following the construction, Pioneer Road will be County Highway's jurisdiction. Klug Lane to Port Washington Road, the county's portion, overlay for roadway this summer.

EDUCATIONAL ARTICLE:

Traffic Safety Reporter

Next meeting, April 23, 2008

Ms. Myers, motion to adjourn meeting, Dreblow moved, all aye.

Meeting ended at 10:52 a.m.