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**OCTOBER 26, 2011**

**OZAUKEE COUNTY  
TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMISSION MINUTES**

Ms. Myers called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. at the Ozaukee County Justice Center, Room 240.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Chairperson Myers, Lt. McCormick-Ozaukee County Sheriff's Department, Jean Clement-Citizen, , Gerald Walker, County Supervisor, Kathlyn Geracie, County Supervisor, John Holicek, Coroner, Sgt. Tony Burrell-WSP.

Not present: Bob Dreblow-Highway Commissioner, Chief Steve Graff, Dennis Kenealy-Corporation Counsel, David Brantner-Wisconsin Department of Transportation, Barbara Aagerup-Citizen, Andrea Loeffelholz-Wisconsin Department of Transportation

Myers meeting properly noticed. McCormick confirmed.

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA:**

Clement, Holicek second, all aye

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

None

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

Minutes approved, Lt. McCormick stated that Clement was listed as absent and attending. Ms. Clement was present at the meeting. Lt. McCormick, Clement second, all aye.

**COMMUNICATIONS:**

None.

Holicek inquired if Lt. McCormick had the total fatalities this year. Lt. McCormick five (5) fatalities.

### **QUARTERLY FATAL REPORT:**

McCormick, one (1) fatal which occurred in the city of Mequon. Failure to yield was a cause in this accident.

Accident which occurred at CTH I and Gray Log, no fatalities. Motorcycle involved, no helmets worn by driver and passenger. No alcohol, possibility of drugs.

### **STATE OFFICIAL'S REPORT:**

None.

### **LOCAL OFFICIAL'S REPORT:**

None.

Lt. McCormick spoke about the construction project on STH 33. Ozaukee County Sheriff has an officer/liaison advising the public about the new roundabouts. Possibility of having elderly drivers accustom themselves with the roundabouts before they are open to the public.

Walker inquired about the roundabouts slated for Wauwatosa Road and Western/Bridge roads. Lt. McCormick advised that construction possibility in 2017.

Walker, what is the benefit of having roundabouts compared to having signal lights, land acquisitions. Geracie, public isn't thrilled about roundabouts. School nearby, how are children going to cross the roundabouts etc. Discussion on the pros and cons of roundabouts. Clements, Sheboygan has many roundabouts. Maybe once the public gets use to them, they will like them. Myers, slows traffic down and prevents serious accidents.

Myers do we still send educational articles to the media. McCormick we do not routinely send out articles to the media unless requested by the Commission. Clement, have one on roundabouts when closer to opening of the roadway.

Next meeting January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2012 at 10:00 a.m.

Meeting adjourned Myers, McCormick second, all aye.

Meeting ended at 10:22 a.m.

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