

Meeting Minutes from Highway Traffic Safety Commission
Thursday, January 24, 2013 – 9:00 a.m.

Meeting called to order and certified Open Meeting notice by Chief Deputy Kevin Fults.

Members in attendance:

Chief Deputy Kevin Fults – Sauk County Sheriff's Dept.
Chief Kevin Stieve – Baraboo Fire Dept.
Chief Mark Schauf – City of Baraboo PD
Sgt. Tanya Connors – WI State Patrol
Trp. Scott Thiede – WI State Patrol
Jeremiah Johnson – WI State Patrol
Tom Knoop – WisDOT /BOTS
Jack Meegan – Hwy 12 Safety
Brad Byom – WisDOT
John Rago – BDAS
Sgt. Daniel Hess – Lake Delton PD
Stephen Muchow - Sauk County Highway Dept.

Motion to adopt agenda by Knoop, seconded by Meegan.
Motion carried.

Motion to adopt minutes of previous meeting by Knoop, seconded by Stieve.
Motion carried.

Correspondence:
None.

Public Comment:
None.

Review Sauk County Quarterly Statistics:
Chief Deputy Fults reported 9 fatalities YTD 2012. None for 2013.
No Action.

Review WisDOT Quarterly Reports and Statistics:
Knoop reported that statewide 2012 fatalities were 601 as compared to 565 in 2011 and a five year average of 571.
Reviewed the WisDOT 2012 Safety Report.
Discussed Wisconsin State Patrol Law of the Month:
January 2013 – Move Over Law.
February 2013 – State Law Prohibits Cell Phone Use While Driving For Teens.
March 2013 – Drivers Are Responsible For All Unbuckled Passengers.
No Action.

Brad Byom is replacing Reiny Yahnke as WisDOT Traffic Safety Engineer for the South West Region, La Crosse Office. He reported on 2013 State Highway Safety and Road Construction Projects slated for Sauk County this summer.

No Action.

Motion by Schauf, seconded by Knoop to adjourn to the next regular meeting scheduled for April 25, 2013.

Motion carried.

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