Navajo DOT Transportation Partnership Goals Implementation Plan

Updated April 21, 2016

Concern

In order to effectively pursue safety funding for projects on Navajo Nation as a partnership we need to have and share data to support funding. NDOT and ADOT use different systems and they are not compatible.

Goal

Develop and implement a method for NDOT and ADOT systems to share information.

Action step	Responsible party(ies)	Deadline	Status
Invite Navajo PD to the July 21, 2016 meeting	Garret Silversmith will ask		
and share information with them about the	Norma Bowman to invite them.		
importance of collecting crash data.	He will also ask that Norma		
	attend the meeting.		
Invite DPS and Sheriff (Coconino, Navajo and	Audra Merrick and Lynn		
Apache) to the July 21, 2016 meeting. Share	Johnson will coordinate to		
information with them about the importance	invite the proper		
of collecting crash data.	representatives from the four		
	agencies.		
Email the Arizona Crash form to Mackenzie	Don Sneed		Complete
and Bonnie so that it can be shared with the			
steering committee.			
During the July 21, 2016 meeting, partnership	Audra Merrick will ask Kent		Complete
members will provide information about the	Link to present information and		
benefits of implementing a method for NDOT	review the form with the		
and ADOT systems to share pertinent	group.		
information and the Arizona Crash Form that is			
used by DPS.			
Focus the July 21, 2016 Steering Committee	Steering Committee members.		
meeting on sharing the importance of this			
information with Navajo PD and			
recommending that Navajo PD adopt the			
Arizona Crash form.			

If Navajo PD agrees to pursue this action then		
the steering committee will move forward		
with next steps. Plan to share information and		
meet with others at the annual meeting.		
Request Tribal Council to release the needed		
crash data.		
Contact the Resource and Development		
Committee to seek approval to move forward.		
Contact MWTTAP regarding training and		
technical assistance.		
Bring the NDOT Highway Safety Department		
into this process.		
Bring ADOT Traffic into this process.		
Bring DPS into this process.		
Bring Navajo Public Safety into this process.		
Bring Navajo Rangers into this process.		
Bring County Sheriff into this process.		

Concern

There is an ongoing effort to pursue a new MOU but this may be unnecessary.

Goal

Have critical team members from NDOT and ADOT look into the existing MOU and the draft new MOU to determine what changes are required, if any.

Action step	Responsible party(ies)	Deadline	Status
Send the current and draft MOU to Garret, Lynn and Audra	Bonnie	April 25, 2016	
Review current MOU and draft MOU and	Garret Silversmith, Lynn	July 11, 2016	
provide recommendations to retain current,	Johnson, Audra Merrick	July 11, 2010	
accept draft or modify draft Memorandum of			
Understanding (MOU) to Mackenzie			
Provide an update to the steering committee	Mackenzie and Don	July 21, 2016	
at the July 21 st meeting			

Concern

Staff members change frequently within the partnership agencies.

Goal

The communication list will be updated at each meeting.

Action step	Responsible party(ies)	Deadline	Status
Review the communication list at each	Mackenzie		
steering committee meeting			

Concern

Staff members change frequently within the partnership agencies.

Goal

The Issue Escalation ladder will be updated at each meeting.

Action step	Responsible party(ies)	Deadline	Status
Review the Issue Escalation Ladder at each	Mackenzie		
steering committee meeting			