

First Coast TIM Meeting Tuesday, July 19, 2011

Meeting Minutes



The list of meeting attendees and the Meeting Agenda are attached to these meeting minutes.

- Donna welcomed everyone.
- Donna stated that the purpose for these meetings is to discuss accidents/incidents that have happened over the last couple of months and see if there is anyway we can improve and help each other.
- All in attendance introduced themselves. Please see attached sign in sheet.
- Meeting minutes from the May TIM meeting were approved. They will be posted on Jax511.com
- Mike Goldman gave the construction update.
 - For the I-10 project, a lane was added and traffic has been shifted. One issue that FDOT is aware of is ponding of water. This is being corrected.
 - Chaffee Road project is expected to continue through the end of the year.
 - Work on the Matthews Bridge will likely begin in September. It will involve painting, structural repairs and bulk replacements. Actual start date is currently unknown.

- Ed Ward gave the Emergency Operations update.
 - Ed attended the Hurricane conference in May. This was the first time in three years that DOT was able to attend. Not as big of a turnout as in previous years, but it was a good conference.
 - Tropical Storm Brett is expected to dissipate and turn toward Bermuda. It is not expected to affect us.
 - Wildfires in the area have been extinguished. Bradford county fire was one of the main ones and was extinguished with the help of the recent rain.
 - Annual hurricane exercise was held the week after the Hurricane Conference. EOC physically moved their operations to Camp Blanding for the exercise. New facility and very nice, but did not work for State EOC since it is not big enough. Camp Blanding does not allow wireless internet. Cellular service in the area was poor.
 - Regional Planning Counsel Tsunami seminar will be held by National Weather service tomorrow.
 - St Johns County annual hurricane exercise will be Tuesday, July 26 from 9 to 3pm at the St Johns County EOC.
 - Florida Emergency Preparedness Association (FEPA) will hold their annual mid-year work session where they will plan the FEPA conference. It will be in Tampa in August. Those in the emergency management field will be attending.
 - Regional Emergency Planners is an organization created through Northeast Regional Counsel. Their next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, August 9th from 10 am to noon. Group meets two to three times a year to discuss what is going on in the emergency management field, but anyone that would like to attend is welcome.
 - DEM Region 3 meeting will be held on September 5th at the Clay County EOC.

- Pete Vega gave the ITS Update.
 - Project on SR 9A from Atlantic to I-95 interchange on north end is in construction but is approximately 70 days behind schedule.
 - Hinson Electric has started construction on the project on I-295 from I-10 to the Northern I-95 Interchange.
 - The project on SR 9A from the I-95 interchange on the south end to Atlantic Blvd is the last project with funding from Central Office. It is a comprehensive project including arterial dynamic message signs and environmental sensors. This project is currently in the 100% Design phase.

- The Blanding Boulevard Clay County Sheriff's office was connected to the SR 21 Traffic/ITS system last week. They are currently using cameras and testing message boards. Clay County Sheriff officers can access the network and view images from their laptops in their vehicle.
 - Bluetooth devices have arrived. First deployment will be on Philips Hwy from Southside to Wishart/Emerson area and on I-95. The goal of these devices is to provide travel times to TMC operators. These devices will be installed throughout the area.
 - Road Weather Information System (RWIS) devices will be installed by next hurricane season on 20 bridges. These devices will be used primarily to monitor high wind conditions during storms/evacuations.
 - CCTV deployment has begun on arterials. TMC, JSO and other agencies can access them and in the future more agencies will be able to access them. Trafficland.com is showing streaming video of these CCTVs for anyone who may be interested in viewing them.
 - The College Drive Fiber Installation Project in Clay County will be let in the next couple months. This project will put their traffic signal system on fiber. This is the beginning of improving their system for expansion.
 - CCTVs will be installed next spring on SR 200 from I-95 to Fernandina.
 - Regional Transportation Management Center (RTMC) project is moving forward. The money will become available July 1, 2012.
- Greg Gaylord gave the Road Ranger update.
 - A motorist went through MOT and hit a Road Ranger vehicle last Wednesday. It left only minor damage and the Road Ranger was not injured.
 - With the heat, the Road Rangers have been dispensing a lot of water for motorists' vehicles.
 - Road Ranger signs are installed on interstates entering Jacksonville. They are west of US 301 on I-10, I-95 heading to Jacksonville from Nassau and St Johns Counties and JTB westbound. Companies can sponsor the Road Ranger program and place an advertisement on these Road Rangers signs.
 - Smart Phone Application for Road Rangers is helping performance measures.
 - Pete talked about the Florida 511 application for iPhone. It has all the information that is available on FL511.com and the phone system.



- Craig Carnes led the FHWA TIM Assessment
 - The Excel spreadsheet with questions was displayed for the group to see.
 - All members of the team participated in agreeing on answers for the assessment.
- Craig Carnes provided an Incident Debrief.
 - Craig presented the Performance Measures data in a PowerPoint presentation.
 - Craig highlighted response times and on scene times as shown in the PowerPoint
 - Discussed incident on June 23
 - I-10 at US 301
 - Overturned semi
 - Photos on the incident were shown to the group
 - Crash occurred midnight and lasted over 12 hours
 - Lt Bright was on scene and gave a summary of his observations. He came to the scene after everyone was already 'in action' and no supervisor had been on scene earlier to call a RISC. It was thought that they would be able to clear the scene before the morning rush. Fuel and oil spill, damage to the trailer and offloading frozen chickens prolonged the cleanup.
 - Lanes were closed from the time the incident occurred until about 7:45 am.
 - There were no comments on Ed's Incident list
- Donna Danson gave Announcements
 - FHP Holiday Enforcement Results (Statewide statistics)
 - 8,541 citations
 - 90 DUIs
 - FHP Office Closures
 - Some FHP offices will be closed to public access, but will be accessible to FHP troopers for storage or other work.
 - Future training
 - Will research NUG training as discussed earlier to see if anything additional can be done
 - Portions of the TIME 4 Safety video will be added to the agenda for future meetings.
 - The next TIM meeting is scheduled for September 20, 2011.
 - Donna thanked everyone for their participation.
- Meeting adjourned



FIRST COAST TRAFFIC INCIDENT MANAGEMENT TEAM AGENDA

July 19, 2011

WELCOME

Team Members

INTRODUCTION/GREETINGS

Team Members

PURPOSE

Donna Danson

MINUTES – May 2011 APPROVAL

Team Members

CONSTRUCTION PROJECT UPDATE

Mike Goldman

EMERGENCY OPERATIONS UPDATE

Ed Ward

ITS UPDATE

- **ITS PROJECTS/511**

Peter Vega

ROAD RANGER UPDATE

Greg Gaylord

FHWA TIM ASSESSMENT

Team Members

**INCIDENT DEBRIEF - (ED'S List attached)
JUNE 23, 2011 – I-10 EB @ US 301**

**Team Members/
Craig Carnes/Jill Dawson**

CONCERNS

Team Members

- **PERFORMANCE MEASURES**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Donna Danson

- **FHP HOLIDAY ENFORCEMENT RESULTS**
- **FHP OFFICE CLOSURES**
- **FUTURE TRAINING – TIME 4 SAFETY, NIMS 100 REFRESHER COURSE**
- **NEXT MEETING: SEPTEMBER 20, 2011**

MEETING ADJOURNED

MISSION: The Florida Department of Transportation District 2 Traffic Incident Management Teams through partnering efforts strive to continuously reduce incident scene clearance times to deter congestion and improve safety. The Teams' objective is to exceed the Open Roads Policy thus ensuring mobility, economic prosperity, and quality of life.

VISION: Through cooperation, communication and training the Teams intend to reduce incident scene clearance times by 10% each year through 2015.

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DATE	UNIT	INCIDENT	LOCATION	LENGTH OF CLOSURE	DEATHS	90 MIN GOAL MET
5/18/2011	BRIDGE	MAINTENANCE	BRIDGE OF LIONS IS CLOSED DUE TO A MECHANICAL PROBLEM WITH THE MOVEABLE SECTION.	1 HOUR	N/A	YES
5/18/2011	ST. AUGUSTINE	LAW ENFORCEMENT	I-95 S.B. REST AREA @ S.R. 210 MOTORIST COMMITTED SUICIDE IN THE REST AREA PARKING LOT. INTERSTATE TRAFFIC NOT AFFECTED.	N/A	1	N/A
5/19/2011	JACKSONVILLE	MAINTENANCE	S.R. 228/NORMANDY BLVD @ LENOX. N.B. TURN LANE IS CLOSED DUE TO A WATER MAIN BREAK.	13 HOURS	N/A	N/A
5/19/2011	JACKSONVILLE	ACCIDENT	U.S. 301 N.B. JUST S OF I-10 IS CLOSED DUE TO AN OVERTURNED SEMI TRUCK.	4 HOURS	0	NO
5/20/2011	BRIDGE	ACCIDENT	S.R. 211 S.B. @ ORTEGA RIVER. DRIVER RAN THROUGH THE TRAFFIC GATE. BRIDGE IS CLOSED FOR REPAIRS TO BE MADE.	4 HOURS	0	NO
5/21/2011	FHP	ACCIDENT	U.S. 90 E.B. @ C.R. 139 IN BAKER CO. SINGLE VEHICLE CRASH. DRIVER RAN OFF ROAD, OVERCORRECTED & CRASHED. PASSENGER EJECTED	UNK	1	UNK
5/23/2011	JACKSONVILLE	MAINTENANCE	S.R. 21 @ BELMONT ST. JAX. S.B. RIGHT LANE IS CLOSED FOR REPAIRS TO A SEWER MANHOLE INLET.	3.50 HOURS	N/A	N/A
5/31/2011	ST. AUGUSTINE	FIRE	S.R. 207 @ HOLMES BLVD. SMOKE FROM A BRUSH FIRE HAS CLOSED S.R. 207 NEAR HOLMES BLVD.	1.50 HOURS	0	YES
6/1/2011	ST. AUGUSTINE	ACCIDENT	S.R. 13 N OF RIVERTOWN IN ST. JOHNS COUNTY. LARGE TREE HAS FALLEN ACROSS THE ROADWAY.	1 HOUR	N/A	N/A
6/1/2011	ST. AUGUSTINE	FIRE	I-95 S OF JAX & N OF ST. AUGUSTINE IS CLOSED DUE TO SMOKE FROM A BRUSH FIRE.	3.50 HOURS	0	N/A
6/2/2011	BRIDGE	ACCIDENT	S.R. 5 - MAIN STREET BRIDGE IN JACKSONVILLE IS CLOSED DUE TO A VEHICLE CRASH ON THE BRIDGE	1 HOUR	0	YES
6/3/2011	BRIDGE	ACCIDENT	S.R. 115 N.B. OVER THE RIBAUTL RIVER. DRIVER STRUCK THE BRIDGE RAILING CAUSING SIGNIFICANT DAMAGE. TEMP REPAIRS MADE.	3 HOURS	0	NO
6/3/2011	ST. AUGUSTINE	FIRE	S.R. 206 E OF C.R. 305 IN ST. JOHNS CO. IS CLOSED DUE TO SMOKE FROM A BRUSH FIRE.	1 HOUR	N/A	YES
6/6/2011	FHP	ACCIDENT	S.R. 207 E.B. IN HASTINGS. PEDESTRIAN WALKING IN THE OUTSIDE LANE WAS STRUCK BY A LOG TRUCK.	UNK	1	UNK
6/8/2011	JACKSONVILLE	ACCIDENT	S.R. 23 CECIL COMMERCE PKWY NEAR ARGYLE FOREST IS CLOSED DUE TO A SEMI TRUCK ON FIRE.	2.50 HOURS	0	NO
6/9/2011	ST. AUGUSTINE	FIRE	A1A NORTH IN ST. AUGUSTINE IS CLOSED DUE TO HEAVY SMOKE FROM A WILDFIRE.	1.75 HOURS	N/A	N/A
6/11/2011	JACKSONVILLE	ACCIDENT	U.S. 17 @ TIMUQUANA. N.B. LANES CLOSED DUE TO A TRAFFIC CRASH.	2 HOURS	0	NO
6/12/2011	FHP	ACCIDENT	I-10 W.B. @ MM 302. DRIVER RAN OFF OF ROAD & CRASHED INTO TREES.	UNK	0	UNK
6/13/2011	JACKSONVILLE	MAINTENANCE	S.R. 13 SAN JOSE @ KORI RD IS CLOSED DUE TO A 24" WATER MAIN BREAK. JEA TO MAKE REPAIRS.	48 HOURS	N/A	N/A
6/21/2011	FHP	ACCIDENT	U.S. 90 W.B. @ LOUDER ST. IN MACCLENNY. W.B. DRIVER RAN THE RED LIGHT & WAS STRUCK BY ANOTHER VEHICLE.	UNK	0	UNK
6/21/2011	FHP	ACCIDENT	S.R. 228 NORMANDY BLVD @ NORMANDY ACRES DRIVE. DRIVER CROSSED LANES, RAN OFF ROAD & CRASHED IN THE TREES.	UNK	1	UNK
6/22/2011	JACKSONVILLE	ACCIDENT	U.S. 301 @ NORMANDY. N.B. 301 CLOSED PLUS RAMPS TO NORMANDY DUE TO MULTI VEHICLE CRASH INVOLVING A SEMI TRUCK.	2 HOURS	0	NO
6/23/2011	FHP	ACCIDENT	I-10 W.B. @ I-295 W.B. SINGLE VEHICLE CRASH. DRIVER OF A JEEP FAILED TO NEGOTIATE THE CURVE OF THE RAMP & OVERTURNED.	UNK	0	UNK
6/23/2011	JACKSONVILLE	ACCIDENT	I-10 E.B. @ U.S. 301 R.R. BRIDGE. SEMI FULL OF FROZEN CHICKENS STRUCK THE BARRIER WALL. CARGO SPILLED ONTO THE ROADWAY.	8 HOURS	0	NO
6/24/2011	BRIDGE	ACCIDENT	BRIDGE OF LIONS. A MULTI-VEHICLE CRASH HAS CLOSED THE N.B. LANE.	1 HOUR	0	YES
6/27/2011	BRIDGE	LAW ENFORCEMENT	MATHEWS BRIDGE IS CLOSED DUE TO A SUICIDE JUMPER ON THE BRIDGE. JSO RESOLVED THE SITUATION.	3 HOURS	0	N/A
7/3/2011	JACKSONVILLE	ACCIDENT	I-95 N.B. @ MM 376 NASSAU CO. CENTER & RIGHT LANES CLOSED DUE TO A SINGLE VEHICLE CRASH.	3 HOURS	0	NO
7/7/2011	JACKSONVILLE	ACCIDENT	I-95 S.B. @ S.R. 115, E.B. RAMP TO MLK BLVD IS CLOSED DUE TO AN OVERTURNED SEMI TRUCK.	1 HOUR	0	YES
7/8/2011	BRIDGE	ACCIDENT	I-10 W.B. OVER CSX RAILROAD. SEMI TRUCK STRUCK BARRIER WALL. MINOR DAMAGE.	.50 HOURS	0	YES
7/8/2011	JACKSONVILLE	ACCIDENT	I-10 W.B. @ EXIT RAMP TO MCDUFF AVE. DRIVER OF DISABLED VEHICLE STEPPED OUT IN FRONT OF MOVING VEHICLE.	5.75 HOURS	1	NO
7/10/2011	FHP	ACCIDENT	S.R. 16 E.B. E OF C.R. 229A. SINGLE VEHICLE CRASH. DRIVER LOST CONTROL, SPUN & STRUCK A TREE.	UNK	1	UNK
7/12/2011	BRIDGE	ACCIDENT	S.R. 115 OVER THE RIBAUTL RIVER. JACKSONVILLE PUBLIC WORKS REPORTED THE BRIDGE HAS BEEN HIT BY SOMEONE/SOMETHING.	UNK	UNK	UNK
7/12/2011	EOC	ACCIDENT	I-95 S.B. NEAR DUNN AVE. OVERTURNED SEMI TRUCK LEAKING FUEL. S.B. LANES BLOCKED. TEMP REPAIRS BEING MADE	2.50 HOURS	0	NO
7/13/2011	ST. AUGUSTINE	ACCIDENT	I-95 S.B. @ MM 320 ST. JOHNS CO. INSIDE S.B LANE IS CLOSED DUE TO A TRAFFIC CRASH.	.75 HOURS	1	YES
7/15/2011	FHP	ACCIDENT	I-95 S.B. 2 MI S OF OLD ST. AUGUSTINE RD. DRIVER RAN INTO THE REAR OF ANOTHER VEHICLE CAUSING BOTH TO CRASH.	UNK	1	UNK
7/15/2011	FHP	ACCIDENT	U.S. 90 W OF C.R. 121 IN NASSAU CO. DRIVER LOST CONTROL & ROTATED INTO ONCOMING TRAFFIC.	UNK	1	UNK
7/15/2011	FHP	ACCIDENT	I-10 2/10 MI W OF I-295. W.B. DRIVER LOST CONTROL & STRUCK CONCRETE BARRIER WALL.	UNK	1	UNK
7/15/2011	JACKSONVILLE	ACCIDENT	I-95 N.B. N OF EMERSON ST. N.B. LANES AND 2 S.B. LANES WERE CLOSED DUE TO A SINGLE VEHICLE CRASH WITH FATALITY.	5.50 HOURS	1	NO