

Alachua Bradford TIM Team Meeting

Wednesday, August 11th, 2021

Meeting Minutes

The list of attendees, agenda, and meeting handouts are attached to these meeting minutes.

****For the health and safety of everyone, this meeting was held virtually to adhere to COVID-19 safety guidelines.***

Introductions and TIM Updates

- Dee Dee Crews opened the meeting and welcomed everyone.
- Dee Dee stated the purpose of this meeting is partnering efforts to strive to continuously reduce incident scene clearance times, deter congestion and improve safety. The objective is to exceed the open roads policy, ensuring mobility, economic prosperity, and quality of life.
- The June 2021 Alachua/Bradford TIM Team meeting minutes were sent to the Team previously, and receiving no comments, they stand as approved.

Emergency Operations Update by Carrie Stanbridge

- Carrie introduced Amber Brock to the Team. Amber is the new Emergency Management Coordination Officer and will be giving the Emergency Operations Updates for the TIM Team meetings moving forward. Her email address is amber.brock@dot.state.fl.us, her office phone number is (386) 961-7581, and her cell number is (386) 867-0182.
- Carrie provided the 2021 Atlantic Hurricane Season outlook. The predictions are:
 - 15-21 named storms.
 - 7-10 hurricanes.
 - 3-5 major hurricanes
- There has already been a tremendous amount of rainfall throughout the District with unnamed storms alone. A lot of County Roads and facilities are under water and for a period of time parts of US-19 and SR 51 were underwater. The EOC is continuously monitoring these areas.

ITS/511/RTMC Update by Craig Carnes and Jason Evans

- The ITS maintenance group is working on installing the informational display monitors at the Rest Areas throughout the entire District. Cameras will be installed as well so the displays can be monitored to make sure the content is being displayed and is correct.
- The TPAS (Truck Parking Availability System) project is coming to a close. Craig noted there are still issues, but the issues are with the product. As the project is accepted, work will continue with the manufacturer to make sure that everything under warranty is replaced and upgraded as needed. Jason also noted that the data has been live for the last week, so almost all the signs that are approaching the weigh stations and rest areas have accurate information for the amount of available parking spaces. This information is also accessible on the FL 511 website.
- The FL 511 app is still undergoing updates to make it more user friendly, more hands free, and with more voice activation/prompts to keep driver's attention on the roadway and not on their phones while they are driving.

Incident Debrief

- Dee Dee went over a few of the incidents on the incident list and encouraged the Team to talk about them.
 - The Team discussed the incident on July 7th on US 301 between Davis St. and W. Weldon St. All lanes were blocked for 3 hours due to flooding so Carrie asked if anything could be done to prevent this in the future. The drains there cannot hold the large amount of water. Jesse Sutton said they can look into this and see if anything can be done.

Performance Measures by Jason Evans

- Jason provided the Team with a Performance Measures presentation.

Road Ranger Update by Dee Dee Crews

- Road Ranger Assists for Alachua County:
 - In the month of June there were 736 events. 713 of those events were assisted by Road Rangers. 542 of those events were disabled vehicles, 72 were crashes, and the remaining events were abandoned vehicles, debris on the roadside, weather events, vehicle fires, MOT, etc.
 - In the month of July there were 697 events. 677 of those events were assisted by Road Rangers. 534 of those events were disabled vehicles, 96 were crashes, and the remaining events were abandoned vehicles, debris on the roadside, weather events, vehicle fires, MOT, etc.
 - With Hurricane Season here, Dee Dee has prepared the Road Rangers by letting them know they will be expected to work 12 hour shifts in the event of a hurricane.

Announcements

- The next Alachua/Bradford TIM Team meeting will be held on October 13, 2021. The decision on if the meeting will be held in person or virtually will be sent out with the reminders.
- If anyone needs anything or has any questions, please contact Dee Dee Crews at DeeDee.Crews@dot.state.fl.us or (904) 903-2009.

Meeting Adjourned



Alachua-Bradford Traffic Incident Management Team

August 11th, 2021 10AM to 12PM

Link to Meeting: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/500779213>

WELCOME

INTRODUCTIONS

Team Members

PURPOSE OF MEETING

Dee Dee Crews

MINUTES – JUNE 2021 APPROVAL

Team Members

EMERGENCY OPERATIONS UPDATES

Carrie Stanbridge

ITS/511/RTMC UPDATE

Craig Carnes/ Jason Evans

INCIDENT DEBRIEF – (RTMC List attached)

Team Members

PERFORMANCE MEASURES/ INCIDENT REVIEW

Jason Evans

ROAD RANGER UPDATE (RR Assists)

Dee Dee Crews

OPEN FORUM

Team Members

ANNOUNCEMENTS

➤ **Next Meeting is October 13th, 2021**

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.

TRAFFIC INCIDENT MANAGEMENT LIST (JUNE 2, 2021 THROUGH AUGUST 4, 2021). THIS LIST INCLUDES EVENTS FROM THE REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION MANAGEMENT CENTER AS WELL AS SUNGUIDE

Date	Unit	Incident	Road Number	Time of Day	Description	Duration of Incident	Deaths	90 Minute Goal Met?
06/11/21	TMC	ACCIDENT	I-75	08:20:00 AM	I-75 NB AT SR-121, 2 VEHICLE CRASH WITH 1 CONFIRMED FATALITY, ALL NB LANES BLOCKED	4.0 HRS	1	N
06/18/21	TMC	ACCIDENT	I-75	01:45:00 AM	I-75 NB AT MM 385, 3 VEHICLE CRASH WITH INJURIES, ALL NB LANES BLOCKED	2.75 HRS	0	N
08/02/21	TMC	ACCIDENT	I-75	01:48:00 PM	I-75 NB AT MM 391, 5 VEHICLE CRASH WITH NO INJURIES REPORTED. 3 SEMI TRUCKS IN THE TREE LINE, DEBRIS ALL OVER THE ROADWAY, ALL NB LANES BLOCKED	11.25 HRS	0	N
06/14/21	TMC	ACCIDENT	SR-121	03:06:00 PM	SR-121 AT NW 290TH AVE, LOG TRUCK OVERTURNED WITH ALL NB AND SB LANES BLOCKED	5.0 HRS	0	N
07/07/21	TMC	EMERGENCY VEHICLES	SR-121	08:42:00 AM	SR-121 AT SW 98TH PLACE, TREE DOWN BLOCKING ALL NB AND SB LANES	2.0 HRS	0	N
07/30/21	TMC	ACCIDENT	SR-26	11:51:00 PM	SR-26 AT SE 55TH BLVD, SINGLE VEHICLE MOTORCYCLE CRASH WITH 1 CONFIRMED FATALITY	4.25 HRS	1	N
07/07/21	TMC	EMERGENCY VEHICLES	US-301	05:52:00 PM	US-301 BETWEEN DAVIS ST AND W. WELDON ST, ALL LANES BLOCKED DUE TO FLOODING	3.0 HRS	0	N
07/14/21	TMC	ACCIDENT	US-301	07:52:00 AM	US-301 AT SW 89TH ST, SINGLE SEMI OVERTURNED WITH 1 CONFIRMED FATALITY, HAZMAT TANKER, ALL NB AND SB LANES BLOCKED	13.0 HRS	1	N
08/02/21	TMC	ACCIDENT	US-41	11:24:00 PM	US-41 AT SW 215TH TERRACE, SINGLE VEHICLE VERSUS TREE WITH 1 CONFIRMED FATALITY, ALL NB AND SB LANES BLOCKED	3.5 HRS	1	N
06/18/21	TMC	ACCIDENT	US-441	11:40:00 AM	US-441 AT SW 51ST AVE, SINGLE VEHICLE VERSUS TREE WITH 1 CONFIRMED FATALITY, ALL NB LANES BLOCKED	3.75 HRS	1	N